

GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Board Meeting

July 14, 2006

The meeting for the Georgia Board of Dentistry was held on Friday, July 14, 2006, at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:	Others Present:
Dr. Clyde Andrews, Vice-President Ms. Pamela Bush Dr. Becky Carlon Dr. Henry Cook Dr. Tom Godfrey Dr. Issac Hadley Dr. Pete Trager	Anita O. Martin, Executive Director Eva Holmes, Board Secretary Reagan Dean, Board Attorney Doug Ohlsen, AG's Office Intern Robert Renjel, GDA Don Benton, GDA Darryl Smith, DSG/HCS Candice Kendall, ADHS Antwan Treadway, GSOMS Elena Proctor, CGTC Keasha Myrick, GDHA Tonye Metz, CGTC Ashliah Brown, CGTC Dr. Harvey Zion, CGTC

Dr. Andrews established that a quorum was present and the Public Hearing that was scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. for Board Rules 150-5-.02, 150-5-.06, 150-9-.03, and 150-13-.01 was called to order at 10:00 a.m. No public or written comments were received. The Public Hearing was adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Dr. Andrews established that a quorum was present and the meeting that was scheduled to begin at 9:35 a.m. was called to order at 10:10 a.m.

Consideration to adopt Board Rule 150-5-.02: - Ms. Bush motioned, Dr. Trager seconded and the Board voted to adopt Board Rule 150-5-.02.

150-5-.02 Qualifications for Dental Hygienists.

(1) No persons shall be issued a license to practice as a dental hygienist unless such person is a graduate of a school or college for dental hygienists recognized by the board and accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association or its successor agency. Such school or college must conduct a course consisting of not less than two (2) academic years for dental hygiene graduation.

(2) All applicants must show passage of all sections with a score of 75 or higher on a clinical examination administered by the board or a testing agency designated and approved by the board. The board will only consider examination results from the Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) that were attained between February 22, 1993 and December 31, 2005. SRTA retake examination results will be accepted until December 31, 2006. After December 31, 2005, the board will only consider the American Board of Dental Examiners' (ADEX) examination as uniformly administered by the Central Regional Dental Testing Service, Inc. (CRDTS) or any other ADEX certified testing agency designated and approved by the board. Applicants must also pass a jurisprudence examination on the laws and rules governing the practice of dental hygiene in the State of Georgia. Such examinations shall be administered in the English language. The Board may hold other examinations as may be required and necessary.

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(3) The applicant must provide the board with a copy of his or her score showing passage of all sections with a score of 75 or higher on the National Board Examination.

(4) An applicant for dental hygiene licensure must provide the board with the following items:
(a) An official transcript under seal showing the date of graduation and degree awarded from an accredited dental hygiene school certified by the appropriate officials;
(b) A certified copy of the results of the clinical examination given by the board or a testing agency designated and approved by the board;
(c) Copies of score of the National Board Examination;
(d) Proof of current CPR certification;
(e) Copies of any and all National Practitioner's Data Bank reports pertaining to the applicant;
(f) Furnish a criminal background check. The applicant shall be responsible for all fees associated with the performance of a background check; and
(g) Verification of licensure from all states where the applicant has ever held or currently holds a license to practice dental hygiene. All such licenses shall be unencumbered by any past or present disciplinary action.

Authority O.C.G.A. §§43-11-7, 43-11-8, 43-11-9, and 43-11-70

The Board voted that the formulation and adoption of this rule does not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws as provided by the Attorney General's office.

The board also voted that it is not legal or feasible to meet the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed in O.C.G.A. §50-13-4(3)(A)(B)(C)(D). The formulation and adoption of this rule will impact every licensee in the same manner and each licensee is independently licensed, owned and operated in the field of Dentistry.

Consideration to adopt Board Rule 150-9-.03 – Dr. Trager motioned, Dr. Hadley seconded and the Board voted to adopt Board Rule 150-9-.03.

150-9-.03 Prohibited Use of Technologies by Dental Assistants. Amended.

(1) General and expanded duty dental assistants shall not utilize laser equipment and technology in the course of the performance of their duties which are otherwise authorized by these rules.

(2) General and expanded duty dental assistants shall not utilize intraorally micro etching and/or air polishing equipment and technologies in the course of the performance of those duties otherwise authorized by these rules.

Authority O.C.G.A. §§43-11-7, 43-11-8, 43-11-9 and 43-11-80.

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Consideration of Board Rule 150-5-.06: Temporary Permits for Dental Hygienists – Dr. Carlon motioned, Dr. Trager seconded and the Board voted to post as amended.

150-5-.06 Temporary Permits for Dental Hygienists.

~~(1) An application to take the next regularly scheduled examination must have been completed and on file before the Board will consider an application for a temporary permit. An applicant applying for a temporary permit must be currently licensed to practice as a dental hygienist in another state and meet the conditions as specified in O.C.G.A. §§43-11-70 and 43-11-71.~~

~~(2) A person requesting a temporary permit must submit proof of current CPR certification in one and two rescuer and the management of obstructed airway for infant, child and adult. An application to take the required examination must have been completed and on file before the Board will consider an application for a temporary permit.~~

~~(3) It shall be the responsibility of the dental hygienist to inform the Board of the name of the dentist/employer where he/she will be practicing. A person requesting a temporary permit must submit proof of current CPR certification in one and two rescuer and the management of obstructed airway for infant, child and adult.~~

~~(4) A temporary permit shall be valid from the date of issuance until the date of release of the results of the next examination. It shall be the responsibility of the dental hygienist to inform the Board of the name of the dentist/employer where he/she will be practicing.~~

~~(5) If applicant fails the examination or fails to appear at the examination, the temporary permit shall automatically stand revoked, without a requirement of prior notice of such revocation. A temporary permit shall be valid from the date of issuance or until the date of the release of the results of the next examination scheduled for the applicant.~~

~~(6) No temporary permit will be issued to an applicant who has previously failed the examination. If applicant fails the examination or fails to appear at the examination, the temporary permit shall automatically stand revoked, without a requirement of prior notice of such revocation.~~

~~(7) No temporary permit shall be issued more than one time. No temporary permit will be issued to an applicant who has previously failed the examination.~~

~~(8) A temporary permit shall be posted and displayed in the place in which the dental hygienist is employed. No temporary permit shall be issued more than one time.~~

~~(9) All fees are due at the time of making application. Fees are as shown in the schedule of fees adopted by the Board of Dentistry. Fees are not refundable. A temporary permit shall be posted and displayed in the place in which the dental hygienist is employed.~~

~~(10) All fees are due at the time of making application. Fees are as shown in the schedule of fees adopted by the Board of Dentistry. Fees are not refundable.-~~

Authority O.C.G.A. §§43-11-8, 43-11-70, 43-11-70.1.

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Consideration of Board Rule 150-13-.01: Conscious Sedation Permits – Dr. Trager motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted **not** to adopt.

Minutes from the June 9, 2006 board meeting: Dr. Godfrey made a motion, Dr. Hadley seconded and the Board voted to **approve** the minutes.

C.E. Audit Committee: - Dr. Henry Cook, Sr.

- Reported on two pending audits.
- **D.E.J.** – renewal applicant – *Board response:* Dr. Godfrey motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to notify applicant that the Board will consider approval upon receipt of proof of CPR for 2004-2005 and current – cannot show lapse of CPR. If the CPR cannot be provided, take back to board for decision. Dr. Trager opposed this vote.

Conscious Sedation/General Anesthesia Committee: Dr. Clyde Andrews

- No report

Credentialing Committee: Dr. Becky Carlon

- No report

Dental Hygiene Committee: Ms. Pamela Bush, RDH

- Ms. Bush requested that a Dental Hygiene committee meeting be scheduled at the conclusion of the September Board meeting.
- Ms. Bush also reported that she is participating in testing at the Medical College of Georgia.

Examination Committee: Dr. Peter Trager reported in the absence of Dr. Logan Nalley

- Dr. Trager reported that the 2006-2007 CRDTS exam schedules have been sent out to all board members.

Investigative Committee: Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr.

- Ms. Martin reported in Dr. Nalley's absence - No open session report.

Legislative Committee: Dr. Steve Holcomb and Dr. Pete Trager

- No report

Licensure Overview Committee: Dr. Issac Hadley

- No open session report.

Rules Committee: Dr. Peter Trager - Presentation of Board Rules

- **150-3-.01:** Examination for Dental Licensure – Dr. Carlon motioned, Dr. Hadley seconded and the Board voted to post.

150-3-.01 Examination for Dental Licensure.

(1) Each candidate submitting an application for a dental license must have passed all sections of the National Board Theory Examinations – Part I and Part II with a score of 75 or higher. The President of the Georgia Board of Dentistry may appoint one or more members of the Board to proctor the National Dental Board Examinations held in Georgia.

(2) Each candidate for a license to practice dentistry must pass with a score of 75 or higher a jurisprudence examination on the laws and rules governing the practice of dentistry in the State of Georgia. Such examination shall be in the English language. The score will be valid for one year.

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(3) Each candidate for a license to practice dentistry must pass all sections with a score of 75 or higher on a clinical examination administered by the Georgia Board of Dentistry, or a testing agency designated and approved by the Board. Such examination shall be in the English language.

~~(a) Passage of any sections of this examination taken prior to May 1 of the year of graduation from an American Dental Association accredited dental school shall be considered as passed to meet the requirement for successful passage of the clinical examination.~~

~~(b) Failure of any sections of this examination taken prior to May 1 31 of the year of graduation from an American Dental Association accredited dental school shall not be considered as a failure for the purposes of sections (c) and (d) of this rule.~~

~~(c) Any candidate who fails three or more sections of the clinical examination three times must successfully complete a one-year American Dental Association accredited course of study pre approved by the board.~~

~~1. Once the candidate provides written proof of successful completion of this one-year course of study, the board will grant the candidate one additional attempt at successful passage of the clinical licensing examination.~~

~~2. After a fourth failure of one or more sections of the clinical examination, no further attempts will be authorized or scores recognized by the board for licensure in Georgia.~~

~~(d) Any candidate who fails one or two sections of the clinical examination or any combination of one, two, or three sections of the clinical examination, three times must take a remedial course of study designated and pre approved by the board.~~

~~1. Once the candidate shows written proof of successful completion of the approved course of study, the Board will grant the candidate one additional attempt at successful passage of the clinical licensing examination.~~

~~2. After a fourth failure of one or more sections of the clinical examination, no further attempts will be authorized or scores recognized by the board for licensure in Georgia.~~

~~(4) The Georgia Board of Dentistry will not recognize and will not accept results of any clinical examination from any testing agency where the applicant has deviated from~~

~~(3)(a), (b), (c), or (d) of this rule.~~

~~(5) In determining whether an applicant has met the requirements for licensure, the board will only consider examination results from the Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) that were attained between February 22, 1993 and December 31, 2005 or results from any testing agency, including SRTA, designated and approved by the board by policy. SRTA retake examination results will be accepted until December 31, 2006. Results from the clinical examination given by the Georgia Board of Dentistry prior to February 22, 1993 are accepted.~~

~~(4) Any candidate who fails one or two sections of the clinical examination or any combination of one, two, or three sections of the clinical examination, three times must take a remedial course of study designated and pre-approved by the board.~~

~~(a) Once the candidate shows written proof of successful completion of the approved course of study, the Board will grant the candidate one additional attempt at successful passage of the clinical licensing examination.~~

~~(b) After a fourth failure of one or more sections of the clinical examination, no further attempts will be authorized or scores recognized by the board for licensure in Georgia.~~

~~(5) Any candidate who fails three or more sections of the clinical examination three times must successfully complete a one-year American Dental Association-accredited course of study pre-approved by the board.~~

~~(a) Once the candidate provides written proof of successful completion of this one-year course of study, the board will grant the candidate one additional attempt at successful passage of the clinical licensing examination.~~

~~(b) After a fourth failure of one or more sections of the clinical examination, no further attempts will be authorized or scores recognized by the board for licensure in Georgia.~~

~~(6) For purposes of this rule, failure of the completed curriculum integrated format type examination shall only be counted as one (1) examination failure. The final section/sections~~

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failed with the curriculum integrated format type examination will be applicable to sections (4) and (5) of this rule.

(7) In determining whether an applicant has met the requirements for licensure, the board will only consider examination results from the Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) that were attained between February 22, 1993 and December 31, 2005. SRTA retake examination results will be accepted until December 31, 2006. After December 31, 2005 the board will only consider results from the American Board of Dental Examiners (ADEX) examination as uniformly administered by the Central Regional Testing Agency (CRDTS) or any other ADEX certified testing agency designated and approved by the board. Results from the clinical examination given by the Georgia Board of Dentistry prior to February 22, 1993 are accepted.

(8) The Board may hold other examinations as may be required and necessary.

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- **150-8-.01: Unprofessional Conduct Define.** Amended – Dr. Cook motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to post.

150-8-.01 Unprofessional Conduct Defined. Amended.

The Board has the authority to refuse to grant a license to an applicant, or to discipline a dentist or dental hygienist licensed in Georgia if that individual has engaged in unprofessional conduct. For the purpose of the implementation and enforcement of this rule, unprofessional conduct is defined to include, but not be limited to, the following:

(a) Failing to conform to current recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (C.D.C.) for preventing transmission of Human Immunodeficiency Virus, Hepatitis B Virus, and all other communicable diseases to patients. It is the responsibility of all currently licensed dentists and dental hygienists to maintain familiarity with these recommendations, which are considered by the Board to be minimum standards of acceptable and prevailing dental practice. (Copies of the guidelines may be obtained from the Centers for Disease Control, the Department of Human Resources, or from the Board.)

(b) Violating any lawful order of the Board;

(c) Violating any Consent Agreement entered into with the Georgia Board of Dentistry or any other licensing board;

(d) Violating statutes and rules relating to or regulating the practice of dentistry, including, but not limited to, the following:

1. The Georgia Dental Practice Act (O.C.G.A. T. 43, Ch. 11);
2. The Georgia Controlled Substances Act (O.C.G.A. T. 16, Ch. 13, Art. 2);
3. The Georgia Dangerous Drug Act (O.C.G.A. T. 16, Ch. 23, Art. 3);
4. The Federal Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C.A., Ch. 13);
5. Rules and Regulations of the Georgia Board of Dentistry;
6. Rules of the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy, Ch. 480, Rules and Regulations of the State of Georgia, in particular those relating to the prescribing and dispensing of drugs, Ch. 480-28;

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7. Code of Federal Regulations Relating to Controlled Substances (21 C.F.R. Par. 1306);

8. O.C.G.A. T. 31-33 Health Records.

(e) Failing to maintain appropriate records whenever controlled drugs are prescribed.

Appropriate records, at a minimum, shall contain the following:

1. The patient's name and address;

2. The date, drug name, drug quantity, and diagnosis for all controlled drugs;

3. Records concerning the patient's history.

(f) Prescribing controlled substances for a habitual drug user in the absence of substantial dental justification.

(g) Prescribing drugs for other than legitimate dental purposes.

(h) Any departure from, or failure to conform to, the minimum standards of acceptable and prevailing dental practice. Guidelines to be used by the Board in defining such standards may include, but are not restricted to:

1. Diagnosis. Evaluation of a dental problem using means such as history, oral examination, laboratory, and radiographic studies, when applicable.

2. Treatment. Use of medications and other modalities based on generally accepted and approved indications, with proper precautions to avoid adverse physical reactions, habituation or addiction.

3. Emergency Service. Dentists shall be obliged to make reasonable arrangements for the emergency care of their patients of record. For purposes of this rule, a "patient of record" is defined as a patient who has received dental treatment on at least one occasion within the preceding year.

4. Records. Maintenance of records to furnish documentary evidence of the course of the patient's medical/dental evaluation, treatment and response. A dentist shall be required to maintain a patient's complete dental record, which may include, but is not limited to, the following: treatment notes, evaluations, diagnoses, prognoses, x-rays, photographs, diagnostic models, laboratory reports, laboratory prescriptions (slips), drug prescriptions, insurance claim forms, billing records, and other technical information used in assessing a patient's condition. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a dentist shall be required to maintain a patient's complete treatment record for no less than a period of ten (10) years from the date of the patient's last office visit.

(i) Practicing fraud, forgery, deception or conspiracy in connection with an examination for licensure or an application;

(j) Knowingly submitting any misleading, deceptive, untrue, or fraudulent misrepresentation on a claim form, bill or statement to a third party;

(k) Knowingly submitting a claim form, bill or statement asserting a fee for any given dental appliance, procedure or service rendered to a patient covered by a dental insurance plan, which fee is greater than the fee the dentist usually accepts as payment in full for any given dental appliance, procedure or service.

(l) Abrogating or waiving the co-payment provisions of a third party contract by accepting the payment received from a third party as payment in full, unless the abrogation or waiver of such co-payment of the intent to abrogate or waive such copayment is fully disclosed, in writing, to the third party at the time the claim is submitted for payment. For the purpose of this rule, a "third party" is any party to a dental prepayment contract that may collect premiums, assume financial risks, pay claims, and/or provide administrative service;

(m) Falsifying, altering or destroying treatment records in contemplation of an investigation by the Board or a lawsuit being filed by a patient;

(n) Committing any act of sexual intimacy, abuse, misconduct or exploitation related to the licensee's practice of dentistry or dental hygiene;

(o) Delegating to unlicensed or otherwise unqualified personnel duties that may only be lawfully performed by a dentist or dental hygienist;

(p) Using improper, unfair or unethical measures to draw dental patronage from the practice of another licensee.

(q) Termination of a dentist/patient relationship by a dentist, unless notice of the

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termination is provided to the patient. A "dentist/patient relationship" exists where a dentist has provided dental treatment to a patient on at least one occasion within the preceding year.

(1) "Termination of a dentist/patient relationship by the dentist" means that the dentist is unavailable to provide dental treatment to a patient, under the following circumstances:

- (i) The office where the patient has received dental care has been closed permanently or for a period in excess of (30) days; or
- (ii) The dentist discontinues treatment of a particular patient for any reason, including non-payment of fees for dental services, although the dentist continues to provide treatment to other patients at the office location.

(2) The dentist who is the owner or custodian of the patient's dental records shall mail notice of the termination of the dentist's relationship to patient, which notice shall provide the following:

- (i) The date that the termination becomes effective, and the date on which the dentist/patient relationship may resume, if applicable;
- (ii) A location at which the patient may receive emergency dental care for at least (30) days following the termination of the dentist/patient relationship;
- (iii) A statement of further dental treatment required, if any; and
- (iv) A means for the patient to obtain a copy of his or her dental records.

The notice shall be mailed at least fourteen (14) days prior to the date of termination of the dentist/patient relationship, unless the termination results from an unforeseen emergency (such as sudden injury or illness), in which case the notice shall be mailed as soon as practicable under the circumstances.

Authority O.C.G.A. §§ _____

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Dr. Trager reported that he will be reviewing the requested input from the Board members as to how to define the requirements in O.C.G.A. §43-11-47(a)(6) as the board needs to consider developing a new rule to address this requirement.

General: Dr. Clark Carroll – Dr. Andrews presented in Dr. Carroll's absence.

- **Consider for ratification licenses that have been administratively issued:**

Dr. Hadley made a motion, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to **ratify** the following newly issued licenses.

License #	Name	Profession
DNCS000232	Jacquot, John Hamilton	Conscious Sedation Permit
DN013333	Leland, Lindsay Brooke	Dentist
DN013334	Jenkins, Eleonora	Dentist
DN013335	Lane, Robert Anson	Dentist
DN013336	Carney, Andrew Kyle	Dentist
DN013337	Moghaddam, Farid	Dentist

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DN013338	Pikus, Alexander Pimen	Dentist
DN013339	Jones, Susan Katherine	Dentist
DN013340	Twilley, Thomas Daniel	Dentist
DN013341	Cox, Kelle Nikole	Dentist
DN013342	Datar, Rahul A	Dentist
DN013343	Craig, Ellene Noell	Dentist
DN013344	Walker, Heidi Lorraine	Dentist
DN013345	Harden, Martha Vera	Dentist
DN013346	Castor, Eric Alan	Dentist
DN013347	Lawson, Amber Peavy	Dentist
DN013348	Kelley, Andrea Jill	Dentist
DN013349	Manning, Jarrett La'Kaye	Dentist
DN013350	Payne, Lee Justin	Dentist
DN013351	Bramwell, R. Spencer	Dentist
DN013352	Nikain, Shiva	Dentist
DN013353	Moore, Frederick Jeffrey	Dentist
DN013354	Roher, Carla Hagen	Dentist
DN013355	Bobo, Charles Thomas	Dentist
DN013356	Doneff, Gregory Scott	Dentist
DN013357	Hall, Lauren Michelle	Dentist
DN013358	Swinney, Felicia Victoria	Dentist
DN013359	Armstrong, Jr., Anthony Hugh	Dentist
DN013360	Lee, Joshua Chang	Dentist
DN013361	Owens, Richard Chad	Dentist
DN013362	Decker, John Frederick	Dentist
DN013363	Williams, Bristol Marie	Dentist
DN013364	Martin-Ventura, Lilian B.	Dentist
DN013365	Cunningham, Aimee C	Dentist
DN013366	Johnson, Nicholas David	Dentist
DN013367	Simms, Mindy Lynn	Dentist
DN013368	Kersey, Douglas Brent	Dentist
DN013369	Le, Phuong B.	Dentist
DN013370	Velez, Martin R.	Dentist
DN013371	Green, Tiffany P.	Dentist
DN013372	Hawkins, Benjamin Lee	Dentist
DN013373	Johnson, Courtney Jevon	Dentist
DN013374	Akhtar, Sadia Imtiaz	Dentist
DN013375	Chandler, Katie Renee'	Dentist
DN013376	Nsofor, Ada Jacsin	Dentist
DN013377	Simpson, Natalie Renee	Dentist
DNES000091	Graham, Margaret Mary	Enteral/Inhalation Conscious Sedation
DNES000092	Houenou, Heliodore A.	Enteral/Inhalation Conscious Sedation
DH009775	Mims, Alicia Kerri	Dental Hygienist
DH009776	Wilmoth, Amanda Mae	Dental Hygienist
DH009777	Alvord, LuAnne Jones	Dental Hygienist
DH009778	Ayers, Laura Ashley	Dental Hygienist
DH009779	Benton, Brandi N.	Dental Hygienist
DH009780	Jones, Brittany Elaine	Dental Hygienist

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DH009781	Langley, Shannon Phillips	Dental Hygienist
DH009782	Lowe, Jessica Leigh	Dental Hygienist
DH009783	Meyer, Mallory Sarah	Dental Hygienist
DH009784	Spivey, Jana Lynn	Dental Hygienist
DH009785	Veal, Jaren Ann	Dental Hygienist
DH009786	Kemp, Katina Lashone'	Dental Hygienist
DH009787	Neal, Shawn Marie	Dental Hygienist
DH009788	Wheelus, Tonya L. B.	Dental Hygienist
DH009789	Alexander, Cynde Michele	Dental Hygienist
DH009790	Armitage, Kelly Adair	Dental Hygienist
DH009791	Noyes, Lisa Gay	Dental Hygienist
DH009792	Barrett, Ashley Michelle	Dental Hygienist
DH009793	Van Deven, Danielle Renee	Dental Hygienist
DH009794	Hulsey, Lynn LeNora	Dental Hygienist
DH009795	Warren, Erin Natasha	Dental Hygienist
DH009796	Maneval, Carrie Ann	Dental Hygienist
DH009797	Sills, Jessica Nicole	Dental Hygienist
DH009798	Tabron, Jobena Renae	Dental Hygienist
DH009799	McMillan, Courtney Michelle	Dental Hygienist
DH009800	Paradise, Adrienne Michelle	Dental Hygienist
DH009801	Hoening, Kimberly JoAnn	Dental Hygienist
DH009802	Olson, Melissa Paige	Dental Hygienist
DH009803	Jakobsen-Rogers, Tanja Anette	Dental Hygienist
DH009804	Stinson, Natalie Jenifer	Dental Hygienist
DH009805	Bennett, Jodie Chambers	Dental Hygienist
DH009806	Moss, Kristina Michelle	Dental Hygienist
DH009807	Nguyen, Anhthu Nu	Dental Hygienist
DH009808	Mechegia, Mahlet	Dental Hygienist
DH009809	Wilding, Holly Lee	Dental Hygienist
DH009810	Brown, Tiffany Veronica	Dental Hygienist
DH009811	Cobb, Amanda Ann	Dental Hygienist
DH009812	Land, Belinda Rena	Dental Hygienist
DH009813	Miller, Melissa Dale	Dental Hygienist
DH009814	Harbin, Allison M	Dental Hygienist
DH009815	Wass, Maranda Ellen	Dental Hygienist
DH009816	Allen, Claudia Jean	Dental Hygienist
DH009817	Isanovic, Anisa	Dental Hygienist
DH009818	Earnest, Melissa Diane	Dental Hygienist
DH009819	McKay, Courtney	Dental Hygienist
DH009820	Schroeder, Janice Roslina	Dental Hygienist
DH009821	Anthony, Melodi Shawn	Dental Hygienist
DH009822	Braddy, Anna Aileen	Dental Hygienist
DH009823	Brantley, Heather Dawn	Dental Hygienist
DH009824	Brown, LeeAnn A	Dental Hygienist
DH009825	Garcia, Carmen Natasha	Dental Hygienist
DH009826	Le, ThanhVan T	Dental Hygienist
DH009827	Merad-Boudia, Tarik	Dental Hygienist
DH009828	Papka, Erin Danielle	Dental Hygienist

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DH009829	Tran, Mimi T.	Dental Hygienist
DH009830	Valcu, Ancuta	Dental Hygienist
DH009831	Vinson, Mary Hillary	Dental Hygienist
DH009832	Williams, Jennifer L.	Dental Hygienist
DH009833	Williams, Kylie Jean	Dental Hygienist
DH009834	Broome, Jennifer D.	Dental Hygienist
DH009835	Collins, Kristin Mackenzie	Dental Hygienist
DH009836	Ford, Christina M.	Dental Hygienist
DH009837	Milam, Amy Frances	Dental Hygienist
DH009838	Bennett, Rachel Alissa	Dental Hygienist
DH009839	Charles, Rachel Yvette	Dental Hygienist
DH009840	Peacock, Windy Susanna	Dental Hygienist

- **Correspondence from Dr. Shrenna Clifton in reference to “Med Spas”** – *Board response*: Notify Dr. Clifton that O.C.G.A. §§43-11-1 and 43-11-17 do not allow services as described in her letter. Also, send a copy of Attorney General’s memo dated July 13, 2006 titled “Use of Dermal Fillers Per Advertisement.”
- **Correspondence from CRDTS regarding opportunities and challenges** – *Board response*: Viewed as informational.
- **Correspondence from Dr. Larry Buford requesting approval of course work** – Dr. Carlon motioned, Dr. Hadley seconded and the Board voted to **deny** the request and refer him to Board Rule 150-3-.09.
- **Default on Student Loan for Yvette Harper** – Dr. Carlon moved that the Board suspend Yvette Harper’s license to practice as a Dental Hygienist, License No. DH006872, for failure to repay a student loan, and further move that this suspension will cease upon receipt by the Joint Secretary of a “Notice of Release” from the Georgia Higher Education Assistance Corporation. Dr. Hadley seconded and the **Board voted to suspend**.
- **Correspondence from Frances Seville regarding Dr. Phermela White’s eligibility requirement for licensure** – Dr. Trager motioned, Dr. Godfrey seconded and the Board voted to notify Mr. Seville that Dr. White must meet the conditions of Board Rule 150-3-.01 before any additional consideration will be given to licensure in Georgia.
- **Consideration for acceptance of revised board policy.** – *Board response*: Dr. Trager motioned, Dr. Carlon seconded and the board voted to rescind the policy concerning examinations accepted by the board as the information is provided in the board’s rule. Dr. Godfrey abstained from the vote.
- **Correspondence from Lori Haidu regarding dental hygiene exam.** – *Board response*: Dr. Godfrey motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to notify Ms. Haidu that this concern has been referred to the Dental Hygiene Committee.
- **Correspondence from Alphee Bouffard, Conscious Sedation applicant petitioning for fee waiver.** – Dr. Hadley motioned, Dr. Carlon seconded and the Board voted to **deny** the request.

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- **Correspondence from Adrienne Digman relating to dental hygiene exam** – Dr. Cook motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to notify Ms. Digman that this concern has been referred to the Dental Hygiene Committee.
- **Correspondence from NERB seeking qualified dentists and dental hygienists for appointment as Consultant Members of NERB 2007 examination series.** – Board response: Notify NERB that no Georgia Board members are available to assist.

CRDTS Examination Report - Dr. Clark Carroll

- No report

Executive Director's Open Session Report: Anita O. Martin

- Provided numbers of dentists (223) & dental hygienists (240) whose licenses were lapsed for non-renewal.
- Reported on request for a Board representative for the July GDA meeting. Dr. Cook was approved.
- Provided information on the January 2007 Southern Conference of Deans and Dental Examiners which is sponsored by the Medical College of Georgia and the Georgia Board of Dentistry.

Attorney General's Open Session Report: Reagan Dean

- Provided written advice on Dermal Fillers. Ms. Bush motioned, Dr. Godfrey seconded and the Board voted to make the Attorney General's memo public.

Appointment with Board:

- Jane Walters & Dr. Michael Yarbrough, of the GDA Chemical Dependency Program discussed the Chemical Dependency Program and GDA approved treatment facilities within the state.

Dr. Trager made a motion, Dr. Cook seconded and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A §43-1-19(h)(2) and §43-1-2(k) to deliberate on applications and enforcement matters and to receive information on applications, investigative reports, and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Drs. Godfrey, Hadley, Carlon and Ms. Bush. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and continue with the public session.

Licensure Overview Committee: - Dr. Issac Hadley

- **M.R.S.** – credentials applicant – recommended approval
- **M.A.C.** – dental hygiene credentials applicant – recommended denial. Does not qualify based upon the law.
- **C.L.D.** – renewal applicant – recommended approval with a public consent order requiring 44 hours continuing education; of which 15 must be hands-on perio courses.
- **K.G.** – dental applicant – recommended required certified documentation of arrest, copies of all warrants & prosecution documentation before further consideration of application.
- **C.J.** – renewal applicant – recommended approval with a private consent order, 50 hours continuing education, of which 20 hours must be hands-on, 4 hours risk management and \$2500 fine.
- **T.R.B.** – reinstatement applicant with one report on the NPDB – recommended approval.

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- **R.L.F.** – **Renewal applicant** – recommended approval with Private Consent Order.

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- **D.J.L. – Dental applicant requesting approval for licensure.** – recommended to schedule with LOC.
- **J.D.M. – Dental applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **N.M.P. – Dental applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **C.E.T. – Dental applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **R.L.A. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **A.K.K. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting acceptance of credential evaluation in lieu of foreign transcript and approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **J.C.M. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **J.M.S. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure pending receipt of passing ADEX scores** – recommended approval.
- **C.A.B. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **M.L.B. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **T.N.P. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **C.E.C. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **A.B.D. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended to schedule with LOC.
- **H.M.A. – Dental applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended to schedule with LOC.
- **L.R.D. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **J.S.B. – Reinstatement applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended to schedule with LOC.
- **S.M.E. – Renewal applicant** – recommended approval.
- **J.A.W. – Renewal applicant with arrest and no proof of Continuing Education** – recommended denial.
- **S.R.E. – Dental applicant requesting acceptance of credentials evaluation along with copy of foreign transcript and approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **R.E.O. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended approval.
- **C.G. – Dental applicant requesting acceptance of credentials evaluation along with copy of foreign transcript and approval for licensure upon receipt of personal references** – recommended approval.
- **K.N.R. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure upon receipt of notarized ADEX scores** – recommended to schedule with LOC.
- **T.L.N. – Dental hygiene applicant requesting approval for licensure** – recommended tabling upon receipt of court disposition.
- **W.B.H. – Renewal applicant** – recommended tabling upon receipt of letter from Jane Walters with GDA.

Investigative Report – Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr. – Ms. Martin reported in Dr. Nalley’s absence.

- Dr. Hadley recommended **approval** of the Investigative Report.

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<u>CASE NUMBER</u>	<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>
05-0116	CLOSE
06-0266	CLOSE
06-0217	CLOSE
06-0229	CLOSE
06-0243	CLOSE
06-0087	CLOSE
06-0237	CLOSE
06-0233	CLOSE
06-0277	CLOSE
06-0207	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0277	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0220	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0228	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0242	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0257	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0247	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0218	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0208	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0224	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
06-0223	REFER PATIENT TO CONSULTANT
06-0262	REFER PATIENT TO CONSULTANT
06-0166	REFER RECORDS TO CONSULTANT
03-0198	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0163	REFER RECORDS TO CONSULTANT
05-0163	FURTHER INVESTIGATION
05-0138	REFER TO CONSULTANT
03-0087	REFER TO LEGAL SERVICES
05-0202	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0229	CLOSE
06-0097	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0026	REFER TO AG'S OFFICE
06-0099	CLOSE
05-0283	REFER TO LEGAL SERVICES
03-0124	CLOSE WTH LOC WHEN CE IS REC'D.
04-0281	REFER TO LEGAL SERVICES
06-0238	CLOSE
05-0265	FURTHER INVESTIGATION NEEDED
06-0044	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
05-0125	CLOSE
06-0094	CLOSE WITH LETTER OF CONCERN
06-0085	SEND MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCE LTR
06-0112	CLOSE
04-0099	CLOSE
04-0096	CLOSE

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06-0103	CLOSE WITH LETTER OF CONCERN
06-0072	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
05-0173	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
03-0041	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
04-0139	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW
05-0051	REFER TO CONSULTANT
03-0009	REFER TO AG'S OFFICE
04-0123	REFER TO AG'S OFFICE
06-0035	REFER TO AG'S OFFICE
03-0143	CLOSE
06-0307	CLOSE
06-0305	CLOSE
06-0325	CLOSE
04-0225	CLOSE
06-0088	CLOSE
05-0113	CLOSE
06-0123	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0216	CLOSE W/LOC
06-0284	CLOSE
06-0281	CLOSE
06-0280	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0283	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0282	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0285	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0302	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0202	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0101	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0311	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0318	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0309	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0084	REFER TO CONSULTANT
06-0301	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVEINTERVIEW
06-0290	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVEINTERVIEW
06-0231	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVEINTERVIEW
06-0299	SCHEDULE INVESTIGATIVEINTERVIEW
06-0304	SEND TO ENFORCEMENT
05-0144	DISCUSS WITH FULL I.C.

Executive Director's Report – Ms. Anita Martin

- No report

Attorney General's Report – Mr. Reagan Dean

- Provided update on the cases in his office.
- Request from Dr. C.J. to modify proposed consent order – recommended denial.

Legal Service Report – Mr. Jeff Clements

- Case #05-0041 – request from attorney to modify proposed consent order – recommended denial.

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- Case on Dr. V.G. – recommended referral to Attorney General’s office to file a Notice of Hearing.
- Case on Dr. A.F.M. – recommended referral to Attorney General’s office to file a Notice of Hearing.
- Dr. Lee I. Cohen – recommended referral to Attorney General’s office. Dr. Cohen has signed public consent order docket #2006-0823; would now like to contest order.

Miscellaneous –

- Consider consent orders on Robert Taliaferro, DDS; J.B.F., DMD; S.S.S., DDS; and Zoe Y. Pilgrim, DDS. – recommended to accept.

Dr. Carlon made a motion and Dr. Cook seconded and the Board voted to **approve** the recommendations **made in Executive Session.**

The next meeting is scheduled for August 11, 2006 at **12:00p.m.**

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 3:05pm.

A meeting of the Rules Committee of the Georgia Board of Dentistry was held on Friday, July 14, 2006, at 8:30 a.m. at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

In attendance: Dr. Pete Trager, Dr. Clyde Andrews, Ms. Anita O. Martin and Robert Renjel, GDA.

The Committee meeting that was scheduled to begin at 8:30 was called to order at 8:33. The committee discussed and revised the following rules and will make recommendations to the board as follows:

150-3-.01 Examination for Dental Licensure – Present to Board

150-8-.01 Unprofessional Conduct Define – Present to Board

The committee also discussed how to define the terms cited in O.C.G.A.§ 43-11-17(a)(5). This matter will also be discussed during the Board Meeting.

The committee meeting adjourned @ 8:50 a.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Eva Holmes, Board Secretary

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Anita O. Martin, Executive Director

These minutes were signed and approved on August 11, 2006.