

**GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY**  
**Board Meeting**  
**June 6, 2008**

The Board Meeting for the Georgia Board of Dentistry was held on Friday, June 6, 2008 at the Professional Licensing Board, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

<b>The following Board members were present:</b>	<b>Others Present:</b>
Dr. Clyde Andrews, DDS – President Dr. Becky Carlon, DMD Ms. Pam Bush Dr. Clark Carroll, DMD Dr. Henry Cook, DDS Dr. Tom Godfrey, DMD Dr. Steve Holcomb, DMD Dr. Barry Stacey, DDS Ms. Elaine Richardson	Anita Martin, Executive Director Eva Holmes, Board Secretary Reagan Dean, Board Attorney Dr. Donna Moses, GDA Melana McCatchey, GDA Nelda Greene, GDA Don Benton, GDA Mark Shurett, Shurett Dental Pamela Patterson, Shurett Dental Carol Woodsen, AGD

**Dr. Andrews established** that a quorum was present and the meeting that was scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m., was called to order at 9:45 a.m.

**Minutes from the May 9, 2008 board meeting:**

Dr. Cook moved to **approve** the minutes **as amended**. Dr. Nalley seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

**Conscious Sedation/General Anesthesia Committee** – Drs. Clyde Andrews and Barry Stacey

- Dr. Stacey reported that the proposed rule changes are still in the rules committee. Once finalized by the committee, they will be placed on the agenda for the board to review and vote. The Committee will not propose a permit for minimal sedation.

**Examination Committee** – Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr.

- Dr. Nalley encouraged all board members to register and attend the CRDTS annual meeting to be held in August 2008.
- Dr. Holcomb requested that the Board support Dr. John Cosby as the District 6 ADEX Representative – Dr. Holcomb made the motion, Dr. Nalley seconded and the motion was approved by the board.

**Rules Committee** – Dr. Clyde Andrews

- Dr. Holcomb discussed the issue of teeth whitening and the status of the rules on teeth whitening.

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**General:** Dr. Clyde Andrews

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

Dr. Godfrey made a motion, Dr. Carlon seconded and the Board voted to **ratify** the following newly issued licenses.

License #	Name	Profession	Status
DNCS000255	Abbott, Roger W	Conscious Sedation Permit	Active
DNCS000256	Johnson, Nicholas David	Conscious Sedation Permit	Active
DH010379	Evasovic, Gina Maria	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010380	Joyner, Brianna Wren	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010381	Gill, Abbey Elizabeth	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010382	Stankiewicz, Melissa Danielle	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010383	Raven, Grace Gail	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010384	Allbritton, Beth Shawn	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010385	Strickland, Dawn L	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010386	Kahle, Lori Ann	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010387	Prater, Emmylou Ann	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010388	Welchel, Kristi Leann	Dental Hygienist	Active
DH010389	Hart, Jennifer Rochelle	Dental Hygienist	Active
DN013692	McGuinn, Leslie Megan	Dentist	Active
DN013693	Brunson, Jordan Albert	Dentist	Active
DN013694	Zitofsky, Jason Wesley	Dentist	Active
DN013695	Wilson, Antionette C	Dentist	Active
DN013696	Joshi, Ajay P	Dentist	Active
DN013697	Burnett, Bevon Lanslot	Dentist	Active
DN013698	Billingsley, Michael Lee	Dentist	Active
DN013699	Toub, Farid	Dentist	Active
DN013700	Garza-Gongora, Carlos Alberto	Dentist	Active
DN013701	Philipose, John T	Dentist	Active
DN013702	Fry, Katherine Lynn	Dentist	Active
DN013703	Folan, Matthew Harrison	Dentist	Active
DN013704	Wilson, Stephen Bradley	Dentist	Active
DN013705	Register, Katrice Lorraine	Dentist	Active
DN013706	Bhatia, Vikram	Dentist	Active
DN013707	Brown, Chastity Moore	Dentist	Active
DN013708	Chen, Jeffrey	Dentist	Active
DN013709	Dillard, Michael Shane	Dentist	Active
DN013710	Frazier, Michael Kristopher	Dentist	Active
DN013711	Hur, Yookyung Bibianna	Dentist	Active
DN013712	Kumar, Praneetha	Dentist	Active
DN013713	Le, Ha Ngoc	Dentist	Active
DN013714	McGovern, Justin Henry	Dentist	Active
DN013715	Parente, Justin Matthew	Dentist	Active
DN013716	Rahimi, Nasim	Dentist	Active
DN013717	Rainford, Chea Onar	Dentist	Active
DN013718	Walker, Patrick Warren	Dentist	Active
DNES000175	Baker, J. Brian	Enteral/Inhalation Sedation	Active

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**GDA Advertising Questionnaire -**

- Board response: Drs. Holcomb & Godfrey provided draft responses for the board's consideration. The drafts were referred to the rules committee.

**Correspondence from GDA re: dental hygienist and direct supervision –**

- Board response: Dr. Holcomb moved to provide information as drafted as a response to the GDA. Dr. Nalley requested clarification be added that fees could not be charged for such services. Dr. Godfrey seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

**CRDTS Examination Report – Dr. Clark Carroll**

- Informed the board that the Medical College of Georgia exam was held last weekend. He also stated that in the last couple of weeks there had been four (4) dental hygiene exams.
- CRDTS meeting – the state will pay for two (2) board members to attend and CRDTS will cover seven (7) slots.

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

- Reminded board members about the submission of financial disclosure paperwork.
  - Board response: Viewed as informational.
- Request from Dawn Scotland to write a letter to a local D.A. re: the possible disciplinary action she may take if a dentist was subject to DUI and marijuana possession charges.
  - Board response: The board voted to not provide the requested letter.
- Request from the Dental Hygiene Association for a board member to give a CRDTS review at the October 2008 meeting.
  - Board response: Pam Bush will attend.
- Board & IC meeting changed from December 12<sup>th</sup> to December 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Request from Janice Cochran re: Dr. Mark Dravis' records.
  - Board response: Matter was referred to Dr. Henry Cook to assist with finding a dentist in Columbus to take the records.
- Letter to Don Munday from Michele Nettles.
  - Board response: Board took no action on this letter.
- Request from State of Illinois on applicant Dr. D.W.T.
  - Board response: Request denied.
- Provided renewal information.
  - 8 dental hygienist renewal pending.
    - 243 hygienists have not yet attempted to renew.
  - 16 dentist renewal pending
    - 181 dentists have not yet attempted to renew.
- Request from Wade Herring to open investigation into civil matter between Christine Wells and Dr. William H. Trout.
  - Board response: The board voted not to open a case.
- Nomination for officers for 2008 – 2009
  - Dr. Holcomb gave nominations from the committee.
    - Dr. Tom Godfrey – President
    - Dr. Becky Carlon – Vice President

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The nominations were seconded by Ms. Richardson and the board voted to **approve** by acclamation.

- **Dr. Donna Moses thanked the board** for their actions on the COAG issue and the advertising issue.

**Executive Session -**

Dr. Cook made a motion, Dr. Carlon 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. Carroll, Godfrey, Holcomb and Stacey, Ms. Bush and Ms. Richardson. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and continue with the public session.

**Appointments –**

- Dr. M.A.A. – denial appeal
  - **recommendation:** deny.
- Dr. C.M. – denial appeal
  - **recommendation:** File a rule waiver/variance request for consideration by the board at the July 2008 meeting.
- Dr. A.W.M. – denial appeal
  - **recommendation:** File a rule waiver/variance request for consideration by the board at the July 2008 meeting.
- C.K. – denial appeal
  - **recommendation:** approve
- Lisa Dunn/Cone Beam Presentation –
  - **Board response** – viewed as information

**Licensure Overview Committee – Dr. Becky Carlon**

- C.S.V. – dental reinstatement applicant –
  - **recommendation:** approve for reinstatement after completion of refresher course.
- Dr. D.R.T. –
  - **recommendation:** approve under a public consent order with 7 years probation, enroll in aftercare with Jane Walters and relinquish DEA license.
- Dr. C. Terry Ennis –
  - **recommendation:** approve under a public consent order with 7 years probation, enroll in aftercare with Jane Walters, relinquish DEA license and must complete a refresher evaluation course at MCG before he can re-enter practice.
- Dr. James Riley – requesting to terminate probation
  - **recommendation:** approve

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**Applications/Licensure -**

- M.A.R. – dental applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- C.C.D. – dental applicant -
  - **recommendation:** approve
- T.K.A.K. – dental applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- W.C.D. – dental applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- M.C.H. – dental applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- J.H.W. – dental applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- S.S. – dental hygiene applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve
- E.V.J. – dental credentials applicant
  - **recommendation:** deny
- J.S.G. – dental hygiene credential applicant
  - **recommendation:** deny
- R.D.H. – dental hygiene applicant
  - **recommendation:** approve

**Investigative Report** – Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr.

- **Discussion case DENT07-0283** –
  - **recommendation:** Close & refer to the Composite Medical Board.
- **Received a report from Agent Mary Cagle** on Dr. Samuel Collins’ practice on a suspended license.
  - **Recommendation:** File a Notice of Hearing for Revocation. Also, copy his probation officer on the Notice of Hearing. Dr. Collin’s license is renewal pending and will lapse at end of June if it’s not cleared up.
- Investigative Report listed below:

Complaint#	Recommendation
DENT 07-0322	Close
DENT 08-0087	Close
DENT 07-0337	Close
DENT 08-0336	Close
DENT 08-0121	Close
DENT 08-0077	Close
DENT 07-0247	Close w/LOC
DENT 07-0281	Refer to Legal Services for revised consent order
DENT 08-0011	Close w/LOC
DENT 06-0231	Refer to Legal Services

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DENT 06-0111	Refer to Legal Services
DENT 08-0080	Close w/LOC
DENT 08-0279	Close
DENT 08-0269	Close

**Recommendation:** approve

**Examination Report**

Dr. Holcomb and Ms. Bush discussed the oral assessment on the hygiene examination that NERB wants to be removed from the examination. The Board recommends support of the requirement for an oral assessment on the examination.

**Executive Director's Report** – Ms. Anita Martin

- The Board requested information from the Medical College of Georgia re: applicant R.R.J. If there was an issue found – bring application back to board. If none, issue the license.
- Provided the board with a request for additional information from applicant Dr. J.G. –
  - **Board response:** Advise that there is no additional information to provide.
- Refer case DENT08-0318 back for infection control
- Provided the board with a request from LCDR Tammy L. Weinzatl re: Dr. G.T.A.
  - **Board response:** Advise that there is no public information available on this matter.
- Provided the board with a request from Dr. P.G.M. re: allowing for additional time to acquire the CE program as required by a mitigating circumstance letter.
  - **Board response:** Approve.

**Attorney General's Report** – Mr. Reagan Dean

- Gave an update as to cases in his office re:
  - Dr. W.H. renewal pending,
  - Dr. C.S. renewal pending,
  - OSAH Hearing on Dr. Charlotte Petty,
  - Hearing on Dr. Edward Trimmier is scheduled in Bibb County Superior Court on Wednesday June 11, 2008,
  - The Initial Decision on Dr. Martin Boeckh has been rendered.

**Staff Attorney's Report** – Ms. Julie Fisher

- Renewal pending – Dental hygiene renewal applicant J.J.A.
  - **recommendation:** Close if license lapses at the end of the month.
- Renewal pending – Dental renewal applicant Dr. K.L.
  - **recommendation:** Close if license lapses at the end of the month.

Dr. Carlon made a motion to accept the recommendations made in the Executive Session. Dr. Cook seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

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The next meeting is scheduled for July 11, 2008 at **9:30a.m.** There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

**Minutes recorded by:** Eva Holmes, Board Secretary

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:** Anita O. Martin, Executive Director

These minutes will be signed and approved on July 11, 2008.