



**TEXAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
BOARD MEETING**

Convenes on November 4, 2022 – 8:30 a.m. – Conclusion
Texas Capitol Extension
1100 Congress Avenue, Room E2.028
Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.**
- 2. Roll Call of Board Members.**
- 3. Discussion and Approval of Minutes from Previous Board Meetings.**
 - a. Minutes for August 12, 2022 Board Meeting.
- 4. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed Case Resolutions.**
 - a. Agreed Settlement Orders.
 - b. Remedial Plans.
 - c. Agreed Administrative Penalties.
 - d. Consent Orders.
 - e. Pre-ISC Recommendations of Dismissal.
 - f. Post-ISC Recommendations of Dismissal.
 - g. Modification Orders.
 - h. Discussion of Specific Orders.
- 5. Discussion and Possible Action on Cases Heard before the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH).**
 - a. Docket No. 504-22-0967, Ankita Vishwamitra, Applicant/Petitioner. Consideration of Default Dismissal Order, Recommendations, and Board Action.
 - b. Docket No. 504-22-1324, Thomas Heap, DDS. Dental License No. 10706. Consideration of Default Dismissal Order, Recommendations, and Board Action.
 - c. Docket No. 504-22-2111, Hema Sathish Kumar, Applicant/Petitioner. Consideration of the Administrative Law Judge's Proposal for Decision, Recommendations, and Board Action.

6. Presiding Officer Report.

- a. Advisory Committee on Dental Anesthesia Nominations and Vote.
- b. Dental/Hygiene/Assistant Education Reports.

7. Professional Recovery Network Report (PRN).

8. Discussion and Possible Action on Disciplinary Review Committee Report and Recommendations.

- a. Committee recommendation and possible action on preventative disciplinary measures.
- b. Committee recommendation and possible action on licensure application question pertaining to mental health.

9. Discussion and Possible Action on Licensing Committee Report and Recommendations.

- a. Committee recommendation and possible action on applications for registration of a non-profit corporation authorized to hire dentists.
- b. Committee recommendation and possible action on staff's deferral to licensing committee: 2023-Q1-DDS1
- c. Committee recommendation and possible action on request for exception to Board rules:
 - i. 2023-Q1-RDA1
 - ii. 2023-Q1-RDA2
 - iii. 2023-Q1-DDS2
 - iv. 2023-Q1-DDS3
 - v. 2023-Q1-DDS4
- d. Committee recommendation and possible action on currently proposed rule from the August 12, 2022 Board Meeting: 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 101.2 – Dental Licensure by Examination, published in the September 30, 2022 issue of the Texas Register.

- e. Committee recommendation and possible action on currently proposed rule from the August 12, 2022 Board Meeting: 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 101.3 – Dental Licensure by Credentials, published in the September 30, 2022 issue of the Texas Register.
- f. Committee recommendation and possible action on currently proposed rule from the August 12, 2022 Board Meeting: 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 103.2 – Dental Hygiene Licensure by Examination, published in the September 30, 2022 issue of the Texas Register.
- g. Committee recommendation and possible action on currently proposed rule from the August 12, 2022 Board Meeting: 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 103.3 – Dental Hygiene Licensure by Credentials, published in the September 30, 2022 issue of the Texas Register.

10. Discussion and Possible Action on Dental Practice Committee Report and Recommendations.

- a. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 114.1, Permitted Duties of a Dental Assistant.
- b. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 114.6, General Qualifications for Registration or Certification of Dental Assistants.
- c. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 114.21, Requirements for Dental Assistant Registration Courses and Examinations.
- d. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 115.2, Permitted Duties of a Dental Hygienist.

11. Discussion and Possible Action on Continuing Education Review Committee Report and Recommendations.

- a. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 104.1, Continuing Education Requirement.
- b. Committee recommendation and possible action on 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 104.2, Continuing Education Providers.
- c. Committee recommendation and possible action on review of continuing education providers pursuant to 22 Tex. Admin. Code § 104.2.

12. Discussion and Possible Action on Anesthesia Committee Report and Recommendations.

- a. Committee recommendation and possible action on staff update pertaining to

sedation/anesthesia inspections.

13. Public Comments.

14. Agency Activity Reports.

- a. Executive Division Report.
- b. Finance and Administration Division Report.
- c. Licensing Division Report.
- d. Dental Division Report.
 - i. Discussion and possible action on Dental Review Panel (DRP) mentees.
- e. Investigations Division Report.
- f. Legal Division Report.

15. Announcements.

16. Adjourn.

MEETING HELD IN-PERSON AND BY VIDEOCONFERENCE: The November 4, 2022 meeting will be held in-person and by videoconference. The public can join the meeting in-person or by videoconference, and may address the Board through public comment. In accordance with Texas Government Code § 551.127, notice is given that the presiding officer of the Board will be physically present at the location of the meeting listed above, and the presiding officer will preside over the meeting at that location. An audio-video recording of the meeting will be available on the Board's YouTube channel at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFsl4eyDEQf9_M1gnnNpFJg.

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CLOSED SESSION AND DELIBERATIONS: The Texas State Board of Dental Examiners and its committees reserve the right to enter a closed meeting session to discuss any posted agenda items or other issues as authorized by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code and Chapter 263, Texas Occupation Code, as applicable. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code § 263.001(b), the Board's deliberations with regard to an application for a license are exempt from Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.