

## AGENDA

### CONNECTICUT STATE DENTAL COMMISSION

Wednesday, October 31, 2012 at 1:00 PM  
Department of Public Health  
410 Capitol Avenue  
Hartford, CT  
Third Floor Hearing Room

#### CALL TO ORDER

- I. **MINUTES**  
August 29, 2012
- II. **CHAIR UPDATES**  
Upcoming Medicaid Procedure Fee Changes
- III. **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES**  
Public Act 12-197 – Continuing Education for Dentists  
*Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief, Practitioner Licensing and Investigation, DPH*
- IV. **NEW BUSINESS**  
Schedule meeting dates for 2013.
- V. **LEGAL OFFICE BUSINESS**  
Michael Amodio, DDS – Petition No. 2012-464  
*Presentation of Consent Order – Matthew Antonetti, Principal Attorney DPH*

#### ADJOURN

The following minutes are draft minutes which are subject to revision and which have not yet been adopted by the Board.

**CONNECTICUT STATE DENTAL COMMISSION  
MINUTES OF MEETING  
August 29, 2012**

The Connecticut State Dental Commission held a meeting on August 29, 2012, at the Department of Public Health, Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut, in the third floor hearing room.

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COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT:      Jeanne P. Strathearn, DDS, Chairperson  
   Elliot S. Berman, DDS  
   Lance Banwell, DDS  
   Peter Katz, DMD  
   Steven Reiss, DDS  
   Barbara Ulrich  
   Martin Ungar, DMD

COMMISSION MEMBERS ABSENT:      None

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Dr. Strathearn called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

**I.      Minutes**

The minutes of the June 6, 2012 meeting were reviewed and approved.

**II.     EXECUTIVE SESSION - PENDING LITIGATION**

Dr. Katz made a motion, seconded by Ms. Ulrich, to enter executive session to discuss with Assistant Attorney General Daniel Shapiro litigation pending in Federal Court in which the Commission is a defendant (LISA MARTINEZ, ET AL., Plaintiffs, v .DR. JEWEL MULLEN, ET AL., Defendants Civil Action No. 3:11-CV-01787-WWE)

The Commission entered executive session from 1:01 p.m. until 1:28 p.m. No motions were made and no votes were taken during executive session.

**III.   Chair Updates/Correspondence**

NONE

**IV.    Department of Public Health Updates**

Public Act 12-197 as it pertains to continuing education for dentists will be discussed at the next meeting.

**V.     LEGAL OFFICE BUSINESS**

**A.     Steven Landman, DDS – Petition No. 2010-5402**

Linda Fazzina, Staff Attorney, Department of Public Health presented a Consent Order in this matter. Attorney Hilary Fisher Nelson was present on behalf of respondent.

Dr. Reiss made a motion, seconded by Dr. Banwell, to approve the Consent Order. The motion passed unanimously. Dr. Strathearn signed the Order which imposes a reprimand.

**B.     Michael Olkovsky, DDS - Petition No. 2010-216/2010-5116**

David Tilles, Staff Attorney, Department of Public Health presented a Consent Order in this matter. Neither respondent nor his attorney was present.

Dr. Banwell made a motion, seconded by Dr. Reiss, to approve the Consent Order. The motion passed unanimously. Dr. Strathearn signed the Order which imposes period of probation for eighteen months.

- C. Gregory A. Russo, Jr., DMD - Petition No. 2010-5263  
Diane Wilan, Staff Attorney, Department of Public Health presented a Consent Order in this matter. Attorney William Catalina was present on behalf of respondent.  
Dr. Katz made a motion, seconded by Dr. Banwell, recommending the addition of language requiring respondent to educate his staff regarding standard of care procedure and policies and proper billing practices. The motion passed unanimously
- VI. ADJOURN  
Dr. Reiss made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jeanne P. Strathearn, DDS, Chairperson  
Connecticut State Dental Commission