PUBLIC AGENDA
MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
SEPTEMBER 8, 2006

Policy Statement: **The Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners is a legislatively-mandated state regulatory agency charged with the responsibilities of examining, licensing, registering, and regulating the practices of dentistry and dental hygiene to ensure competency (through examination and licensure) and ethics (through registration and regulation) among all dental professionals in the State of Mississippi for the ultimate goal of safeguarding and enhancing the health and welfare of the citizens of this State. As such, the Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners is neither affiliated with nor functions as a subsidiary of any private or professional organization.**

Public observers are requested to turn off all pagers and cell phones prior to entering the MSBDE meeting room. Also, comments from the public will be entertained solely at the discretion and request of the President and other Board members and only if deemed by the Board to be pertinent to the issues being discussed. Any such comments must not interfere with the timely conduct of the Board's business.

1. Welcome and Introduction of Guests.
2. Minutes.
3. Director's Report.
4. Enteral Conscious Sedation Permit Site Visit Report.
5. Dental Hygiene Licensure Reinstatement Application.
6. Annual Report for Dental Hygiene Program.
7. Mobile Dental Facility/Portable Dental Operation Application.
8. Report Concerning Survey by Mississippi State Department of Health Regarding Administration of Local Anesthesia by Licensed Mississippi Dental Hygienists.
9. Appearances from Dental Hygienists Concerning Proposed Amendments to Board Regulation 13.
10. Proposed Amendments to Regulation 13.
11. Future Structure of Dental Hygiene Licensure Reactivation Clinical Assessment.
12. Update and Policy Clarifications for Dental Manual from CITA and Appointment of Additional Board Member to CITA Board of Directors.
13. Reciprocal Recognition of Other State or Regional Licensure Examinations for Licensure by Examination in Mississippi.
14. Conducting Annual Balloting Process for State-at-Large Dentist Position.
15. Proposed Anesthesia Permit Site Visit Checklist Changes.
16. Amendment of 01/23/1998 Board Policy Statement Regarding Procedures Performed in Dental Offices.
17. Policy for Future Requests for Out-of-State Dentists Temporarily Practicing in Mississippi Pursuant to Board Regulation 57.
18. Report Concerning Individuals Licensed by Other Regulatory Boards Performing Procedures in a Dental Office Authorized and Regulated by that Regulatory Board.
19. Personal Interview for Dental License by Credentials.
20. Personal Interview for Dental Hygiene License by Credentials.
21. Applications for Dental Licenses By Examination.
22. Consent Orders.
23. Reports on Status of Pending Investigations/Disciplinary Actions.