

Kentucky Board of Dentistry
Minutes of Board Meeting
September 14th, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL – Crystal Holloway

Members Present:, Brad Fulkerson DMD, Donna Ruley RDH, Geoffrey Ball DMD, Mariam Fallahzadeh DMD, Louis Beto DMD, Yvonne Bach, Louis Beto DMD and Christopher Mattingly DMD

Ex-Officio Members Present: Julie McKee, DMD (Department for Public Health) and Deborah Ray DMD (University of Kentucky), Jill Keaton DMD (Big Sandy) and Tim Daugherty DMD (University of Louisville)

Also Present: (KBD Legal Counsel), David Payne (Frost Brown & Todd), Jenna Scott (KDA), Kayla Tudor (President-Elect ADHA), Bill Lee DMD, Jerry Caudill (Avesis) and Lynn Phillips (Vice President ADHA).

MINUTES – Jeff Allen, Executive Director

The minutes of the May 2019 meeting approved with no amendments.

Motion was made by Christopher Mattingly DMD to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Geoffrey Ball DMD. All were in favor and the minutes were approved.

FINANCIALS – Jeff Allen

The Summary of Revenues and Expenditures as of 09/13/2019 were reviewed.

Dr. Fulkerson noted that there was an increase in investigative fees due to LEC Complaints.

LEGAL REPORT -

Nothing to Report

Regulatory Review/Committee Updates

Committee Chair Updates

- Tele-Dentistry Committee – Serving on the committee are: Dr. Robert Zena, Dr. Julie McKee, Dr. Christopher Mattingly, and Donna Ruley RDH. Dr. Fallahzadeh commented on if dental assistants were able to take photographs for screenings. Donna Ruley stated that only if a dentist is present. Jerry Caudill stated that a team of hygienist and assistants can gather information and send to the dentist and then the dentist can diagnose. Dr. Fallahzadeh suggests that there needs to be an extra section to the regulations concerning dental assistants' duties for tele-dentistry. Dr. Fulkerson asks Dr. Fallahzadeh to help with the language for the extra section and Dr. Fallahzadeh agreed.
- Sedation and Anesthesia Committee – Serving on the committee are: Dr. Louis Beto and Dr. Geoffrey Ball. Dr. Ball stated there was a meeting with interested parties and there were changes

made to address concerns. Dr. Beto stated that they modeled the regulations from ADA guidelines only but did not reference them.

Motion made by Geoffrey Ball DMD to approve Sedation Regulations to LRC. Motion seconded by Yvonne Bach. All were in favor of the motion.

- Prescribing & Dispensing – Serving on the committee are: Yvonne Bach and Dr. Geoffrey Ball. Dr. Ball states that the regulations are in the final approval stage. He stated that OIG wants schedule 3 put in as medical has them in their regulations, Section 2 (4) would state schedule 2 or schedule 3 to update the regulations.

Motion made by Yvonne Bach to accept final approval of the Prescribing Regulations. Motion was seconded by Christopher Mattingly DMD. All were in favor of the motion.

- Charitable Dentistry- Dr. Fallahzadeh stated that the charitable regulations are approved.
- Fee & Fines- Serving on the committee are: Dr. Mariam Fallahzadeh and Dr. Brad Fulkerson. They are going to start on them now, but not due until next year.

Executive Director Report-Mr. Jeff Allen

Board Appointment Update: Dentists will be appointed on Monday, September 16th, 2019. No hygienist was appointed.

Dental Renewal Cycle Update: Dentist renewal will be up and ready to go on October 15th, 2019.

Kentucky Injury Prevention & Research Center: Mr. Allen wanted to update the board on the launching of the Kentucky Injury Prevention survey.

Retreat, Strategic Planning Discussion: Mr. Allen stated that the Strategic Planning retreat will be November 2nd, 2019 at Valhalla golf course. Board orientation for new members will be in the morning.

Recognition for Tonia Socha-Mower RDH and Lucas Bowen DMD – Mr. Allen stated that we would send them plaques as we do with all board members whose appointments are complete.

Licensee Survey- Mr. Allen sent a survey to all licensees that had 30 questions about the KBD (PowerPoint Presentation).

Leadership Nominations- President Nomination: Dr. Geoffrey Ball, Vice President Nomination: Dr. Christopher Mattingly.

Motion made by Louis Beto DMD to accept Dr. Ball as President and Dr. Mattingly as Vice President. Motion seconded by Yvonne Bach. All were in favor of the motion.

Motion made by Christopher Mattingly to eliminate the Secretary/Treasurer position. Motion seconded by Brad Fulkerson DMD. All were in favor of the motion.

Julie McKee stated that dentist are authorized to administer immunizations and flu shots. It is voluntary. Dr. Ball doesn't think that you would need to make changes to the Dental Practice Act.

Motion made by Brad Fulkerson DMD to adjourn meeting. Motion seconded by Christopher Mattingly DMD. All were in favor of the motion.

The meeting adjourned at 10:08am.