

Vermont Board of Medical Practice
February 7, 2024

108 Cherry St., Suite 206, Burlington, VT 50402

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10:30 AM Licensing Committee

12:00 PM Vermont Board of Medical Practice

- **Call to Order; Roll Call; Acknowledge Guests:**
- **Public Comment:**
- **Approval of Minutes of the January 3, 2024, and January 17, 2024, Board Meetings**
- **Board Issues (Dr. Hildebrant):**
- **Administrative Update (David Herlihy):**
- **Other Business:**
 - **Legislative issue – S.233** - An act relating to amendments to the scope of practice for optometrists. A draft statement from the Board is attached to the agenda. A separate memo with links to the bills is also attached.
 - **Legislative Issue – S.263** - An act relating to expanding Vermont's health care workforce through graduates of international medical schools
 - **Legislative Issue – H.572** – An act relating to enacting the Physician Assistant Licensure Compact
 - **Legislative Issue – No bill yet** – Naturopaths added to the list of those authorized to prepare a death certificate
 - **FSMB** request for input on draft revisions of two FSMB policy documents: Report of the FSMB Workgroup on Reentry to Practice; and, Guidelines for the Structure and Function of a State Medical and Osteopathic Board. Copies of each are attached to the agenda. There

will be a discussion to determine if the Board desires to submit comments on either document. Deadline for comment submission to FSMB is February 16.

- **Reconvene meeting; Executive Session to discuss:**
 - Investigative cases recommended for closure
 - Other matters that are confidential by law; if any
- **Return to Open Session; Board Actions on matters discussed in Executive Session:**
- **Board Actions on Committee recommendations regarding any non-confidential matters:**
- **Upcoming Board meetings, Committee meetings, hearings, etc.:** [Locations are subject to change. A notification will be provided if a change takes place.](#)
 - **February 15, 2024, North Investigative Committee Meeting, 9:00 AM.** [Remote via Teams and 108 Cherry St. Suite 206, Burlington, VT 05402.](#)
 - **February 16, 2024, Central Investigative Committee Meeting, 9:00 AM.** [Remote via Teams and 108 Cherry St. Suite 206, Burlington, VT 05402.](#)
 - **February 21, 2024, South Investigative Committee Meeting, 12:15 PM.** [Remote via Teams and 108 Cherry St. Suite 206, Burlington, VT 05402.](#)
 - **March 6, 2024, Licensing Committee Meeting, 10:30 AM.** [Remote via Teams and 280 State Drive, Suite D-305, Waterbury, VT 05671.](#)
 - **March 6, 2024, Board Meeting, 12:00 PM.** [Remote via Teams and 280 State Drive, Suite D-305, Waterbury, VT 05671.](#)
- **Open Forum:**
- **Adjourn:**

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