

VERMONT BOARD OF MEDICAL PRACTICE

October 6, 2021

108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT

and remote via Teams

Dial: (802) 391-9319 Conference ID: 754 127 097 #

11:00 a.m. Licensing Committee

12:00 p.m. Vermont Board of Medical Practice

1. Call to Order; Call the Roll; Acknowledge Guests:

2. Public Comment:

3. Approval of Minutes of the September 1 and September 15, 2021 Board Meetings:

4. Board Issues (Dr. Bernstein):

5. Administrative Update (Mr. Herlihy):

6. Presentation of Applications:

7. Other Business:

- **COVID-19 Misinformation Statements – FSMB, some other state medical boards, and specialty boards have issued statements regarding physicians who put out bad information about COVID-19, preventative measures, and treatments. This topic has been touched on in brief at a prior meeting; this will be a more in-depth discussion of whether the Board should issue a statement regarding licensees who disseminate misinformation and/or disinformation about COVID-19.**
- **Update on the Interstate Telehealth Work Group process.**

8. Reconvene meeting; Executive Session to Discuss:

- **Investigative cases recommended for closure**
- **Other matters that are confidential by law, if any**

9. Return to Open Session; Board Actions on matters discussed in Executive Session:

10. Board Actions on Committee recommendations regarding any non-confidential matters:

11. Upcoming Board meetings, committee meetings, hearings, etc.: *(Locations are subject to change. You will be notified if a change takes place.)*

- **October 8, 2021, Central Investigative Committee Meeting, 9 AM, 108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams**
- **October 14, 2021, North Investigative Committee Meeting, 9 AM, 108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams**

- October 20, 2021, Board Meeting on pending applications, 12:10 PM, *108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams*
- October 20, 2021, South Investigative Committee Meeting, 12:15 PM, *108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams*
- November 3, 2021, Licensing Committee Meeting, 11:00 AM, *108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams*
- November 3, 2021, Board Meeting, 12:00 PM, *108 Cherry Street, Burlington, VT and remote via Teams*

12. Open Forum:

13. Adjourn:

NON-BOARD MEMBERS/GENERAL PUBLIC PLEASE NOTE:

*******REMOTE PARTICIPATION*******

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If you join the meeting during the time the Board is in Executive Session, the line will be open and monitored by staff. You are welcome to remain on the line until the Board returns to Open Session.

If you have any questions about this meeting, you may contact: 802-657-4220 or email:

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