



**Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs
Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine**

Agenda for March 17th, 2026

Time

Executive Session – 8:45 A.M.

Public Session – 10:30 A.M.

Location

In Person:

Eaton conference room

2525 N. 7th Street

Harrisburg, PA 17110

Online via Microsoft Teams:

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Board Counsel

Dana Archer, Esquire

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MEETING CALL TO ORDER (Donald M. Yealy, M.D., Chair)

1. Call to Order - 10:30 A.M

ACKNOWLEDGE PUBLIC - TURN OFF ELECTRONIC DEVICES (Donald M. Yealy, M.D., Chair)

RECURRING MEETING REQUIREMENTS AND CONDUCT (Board Counsel)

ATTENDEE IDENTIFICATION (Board Administrator)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Donald M. Yealy, M.D., Chair)

2. February 2nd, 2026

APPOINTMENTS

3. 10:35-Bureau of Finance and Procurement Fiscal Presentation-Taylor Koch

REPORT OF PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS

Todd Kriner, Esq

4. VRP Case No. 26-49-001509
5. VRP Case No. 25-49-019494
6. VRP Case No. 26-49-002594
7. Case No. 24-49-002311

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Keith E. Bashore, Esq

- 8. Case No. 24-49-011302
- 9. Case No. 25-49-012452
- 10. Case No. 26-49-001762

Nicholas C. Kahler, Esq

- 11. Case No 25-49-003739
- 12. Case No. 25-49-001960
- 13. Case No. 23-49-008939

Berk V. Demiral, Esq

- 14. Case No. 22-49-016840

Jason T. Anderson, Esq

- 15. Case No. 25-49-012044

Courtney J. Restemayer, Esq

- 16. Case No. 25-49-010497

REPORT OF BOARD COUNSEL (Dana Archer, Ashley Keefer Jones)

Proposed Reports from Hearing Examiner

- 17. Myah Davis, Behavior Specialist-Case No. 25-49-009876
- 18. Nabil Jabbour, M.D.-Case No. 25-49-010423
- 19. Janette Chilson, Respiratory Therapist-Case No. 25-49-012981

Adjudications from Hearing Examiner

- 20. Ronald Davis, Respiratory Therapist-Case No. 19-49-017723
- 21. Douglas Jackson, M.D.-Case No. 25-49-008469

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Final Adjudications for Board Approval

- 22. Khristine Maria Garcia Osorio, Behavior Specialist-Case No. 25-49-014954
- 23. Iwan Sugirharto Nyotowidjojo, M.D.

Regulatory Report

- 24. Status of Regulations

Other

- 25. FYI- HB 2173 and House Co-Sponsorship Memo-Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Health and Safety Act.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE

Applications – Allied Health Professionals

- 26. Behavior Specialist-Aniellio Destefano
- 27. Behavior Specialist-Evelyn Mensah
- 28. Behavior Specialist-Dina Abudaih
- 29. Behavior Specialist-Donovan Oliver Brown
- 30. Behavior Specialist-Lisa Bailey Berry
- 31. Behavior Specialist-Mackenzie Mastro

Applications – Unrestricted Physician and Surgeon

- 32. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Mengchen Suo, M.D.
- 33. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Hussam Tallab, M.D.
- 34. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Bahareh Mahdikhani, M.D.
- 35. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Gregory Hayner, M.D.
- 36. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Abdul Mahmood, M.D.

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Applications – Reactivations

- 37. Athletic Trainer-Renee Bosso
- 38. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Amy Elizabeth Swegan, M.D.
- 39. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Anthony Baron Colangelo, M.D.
- 40. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Elias Durry, M.D.

Reconsiderations

- 41. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Aletha Akers, M.D.

RATIFICATIONS

- 42. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Jatana Gurpoornam, M.D.
- 43. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Zehavit Kirshenboim, M.D.
- 44. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Rashad Sukhtian, M.D.
- 45. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Mragank Gaur, M.D.
- 46. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Kranthi Kumar Marathu, M.D.
- 47. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Juliet Nevins, M.D.
- 48. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Jeffrey Arle, M.D.
- 49. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Sasank Kalipatnapu, M.D.

FSMB Updates

FOR THE BOARDS INFORMATION – DISCUSSION

Board Meeting Dates

- 50. Upcoming 2026 Board Meeting Dates.
- 51. Upcoming 2027 Board Meeting Dates.

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MISCELLANEOUS

52. FYI - 2025 BPOA Finalized Reports

53. FYI - Hil Rizvi, M.D. v. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 81 WM 2025 - Motion for Reconsideration Denied

54. FYI - Milad Ishak Shaker, M.D. vs. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of State, State Board of Medicine 1339 CD 2026

55. 2026 Trauma-Informed Regulation Recap

56. PA DOH Office of Drug Surveillance and Misuse Prevention Accreditation Proposal: It Takes a Team: Providing Evidence-Based Care to People Living with Opioid Use Disorder

57. PA DOH Office of Drug Surveillance and Misuse Prevention Accreditation Proposal: Strategies for Improving Maternal and Infant Health Related to Opioid Use

REPORT OF BOARD CHAIR (Donald M. Yealy, M.D.)

REPORT OF VICE CHAIR (Michael R. Ripchinski M.D., MBA, CPE, FAAFP)

REPORT OF ACTING COMMISSIONER (Arion Claggett)

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (Debra Bogen, M.D., FAAP)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HEALTH-RELATED PROFESSIONALS

(Michael Ripchinski, MD, MBA, CPE, FAAFP, Gerard Dillon, PH.D.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION/POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND REVIEW

(Mark B. Woodland, M.S., M.D., FACOG, Adanma Okereh, CNM, CRNP, Nurse Midwife, John D. Six, M.D.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSURE QUALIFICATIONS

(Gerard F. Dillon, PH.D., Michael Ripchinski, M.D., MBA, CPE, FAAFP, John Kutz, M.D.)

REPORT OF BOARD ADMINISTRATOR (Jamison Cassel)

PUBLIC COMMENTS

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Committee Information**

Probable Cause Screening Committee		
John Kutz, M.D.	Chair	Primary
Michael Ripchinski, M.D., MBA, CPE, FAAFP		Primary
John D. Six, MD		Primary
Gerard Dillon, PH.D.		Alternate*
Committee on Allied Health Related Professionals**		
Michael Ripchinski, M.D., MBA, CPE, FAAFP	Chair	
Gerard F. Dillon, PH.D.		
Committee on Legislation / Policy Development and Review		
Mark B. Woodland, M.S., M.D., FACOG	Chair	Primary
Adanma Okereh, CNM, CRNP, Nurse Midwife	Co-Chair	Primary
John D. Six, M.D.		Primary
Committee on Licensure Qualifications***		
Gerard F. Dillon, PH.D.	Chair	Primary
Michael Ripchinski, M.D., MBA, CPE, FAAFP		Primary
John Kutz, M.D.		Primary

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2026 Board Meeting Dates
February 2
March 17
April 22
May 19
July 1
August 18
September 29
November 10
December 23

2027 Board Meeting Dates
February 2
March 15
April 27
June 9
July 19
August 31
October 13
November 22
December 28