



Pennsylvania Department of State

Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine

Agenda for May 19th, 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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1-267-332-8737

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Adanma Okereh, CNM, CRNP, Nurse Midwife

Vacant, Public Member

Board Counsel

Dana Archer, Esquire

Ashley Keefer Jones, Esquire

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Todd Kriner, Esquire

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Jamison Cassel

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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. April 22nd, 2026

APPOINTMENTS

REPORT OF PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS

Todd Kriner, Esq

3. VRP Case No. 26-49-004485

4. VRP Case No. 26-49-006669

5. VRP Case No. 26-49-004745

6. VRP Case No. 26-49-005446

7. VRP Case No. 26-49-006815

Keith E. Bashore, Esq

8. Case No. 25-49-012732

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Berk V. Demiral, Esq

9. Case No. 25-49-013921

10. Case No. 25-49-010496

Jason T. Anderson, Esq

11. Case No. 25-49-016553

12. Case No. 26-49-002052

Courtney J. Restemayer, Esq

13. Case No. 23-49-017478

Nicholas C. Kahler, Esq

14. Case No. 25-49-018715

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

Proposed Reports from Hearing Examiner

15. Derrick Mobley, M.D. Case No. 25-49-018577

16. Amjad Butt, M.D.- Case No. 25-49-016776

17. Angelo-Behavior Specialist-Case No. 25-49-014800

18. Alessandra Griffith, Behavior Specialist- Case No. 25-49-009876

Adjudications from Hearing Examiner

19. Sunil Kurup, M.D.-Case No. 24-49-015129

Final Adjudications for Board Approval

20. Matthew Degirolamo, M.D.-Case No. 24-49-014042

21. Amy Mazza Macintyre, M.D. -Case No. 21-49-012788

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Regulatory Report

22. Status of Regulations

Other

23. FYI - HCO3347 - Protection of Minors from Conversion Therapy

24. FYI - HB 2379 - Continuing Education in Trauma-Informed Maternity Care

25. FYI - HB 2390 - Respiratory Care Interstate Compact

26. FYI - SB 507 - Passed

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE

Applications – Allied Health Professionals

27. Behavior Specialist-Ibrahim Ibrahim

28. Certified Nurse Midwife-Sara Bergey

29. Certified Nurse Midwife- Noura Quayson

Applications – Unrestricted Physician and Surgeon

30. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Kevin Lane Lewis, M.D.

31. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Sheref Elseidy, M.D.

Applications-Institutional License

32. Medical physician and Surgeon-Ahmed Draz, M.D.

Applications – Reactivations

33. Medical Physician and Surgeon-James Slavin, M.D.

Reconsiderations

34. Behavior Specialist-Keeshina Debose

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RATIFICATIONS

- 35. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Asher Eliezer Shafrir, M.D.
- 36. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Ergin Coskun, M.D.
- 37. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Menchen Suo, M.D.
- 38. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Gleidson Silva, M.D.
- 39. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Juan Ramon Torres Anguiano, M.D.
- 40. Medical Physician and Surgeon-Stuard Feguson
- 41. Naturopathic Doctor-Areti Fitsioris

FSMB Updates

FOR THE BOARDS INFORMATION – DISCUSSION

Board Meeting Dates

- 42. Upcoming 2026 Board Meeting Dates.
- 43. Upcoming 2027 Board Meeting Dates.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 44. FMSB Annual Meeting Recap
- 45. Bring back the Board Newsletter!

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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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**State Board of Medicine 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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2026BoardMeeting 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