

Dental Hygiene Committee of California

2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 1050, Sacramento, California 95815
Phone 916.263.1978 Fax 916.263.2688 | www.dhcc.ca.gov



Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Dental Hygiene Committee of California will be held as follows:

**Monday, December 6, 2010
9:00 A.M.**

**Evergreen Hearing Room
2005 Evergreen Street, 1st Floor
Sacramento, CA 95815
Webcast address:**

http://www.dca.ca.gov/publications/multimedia/webcast_current.shtml

AGENDA

The DHCC welcomes and encourages public participation in its meetings.

The public may take appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee at the time the item is heard.

9:00 a.m. Dental Hygiene Committee of California – Full Committee

1. Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum
2. Public Comment
3. Approval of the September 28, 2010, Meeting Minutes
4. President's Report
5. Executive Officer's Report
6. Presentation by Debbie Balaam regarding DCA's proposed new automated enterprise online licensing and enforcement system (BreEze Project)
7. Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education – overview by Joanne Wenzel
8. Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) Director's Report (DCA Representative)
9. Update on Pending Regulations
 - a. Retroactive Fingerprinting – Title 16, California Code of Regulations (CCR), § 1131, 1132
 - b. DHCC Uniform Standards related to Substance Abuse and Disciplinary Guidelines – §1138

Agenda Continued on next page.

10. Newly Proposed Cite and Fine Regulations
11. Budget Report
12. Education and Outreach Subcommittee Report
The Committee may take action on any items listed on the attached Education and Outreach Subcommittee agenda.
13. Licensing and Examination Subcommittee Report
The Committee may take action on any items listed on the attached Licensing and Examination Subcommittee agenda.
14. Enforcement Subcommittee Report
The Committee may take action on any items listed on the attached Enforcement Subcommittee agenda.
15. Legislation and Regulation Subcommittee Report
The Committee may take action on any items listed on the attached Legislation and Regulation Subcommittee agenda.
16. Annual Election of Officers
17. Proposed DHCC 2011 Meeting Calendar
18. Future Agenda Items
19. Closed Session
The Committee may meet in closed session to deliberate on disciplinary matters pursuant to Government Code §11126 (c) (3)

Return to Open Session

20. Adjournment

Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The Committee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-1978 or access the Committee's Web Site at www.dhcc.ca.gov.

The meeting facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Tom Jurach at (916) 576-5002 or e-mail tom.jurach@dca.ca.gov or send a written request to DHCC at 2005 Evergreen Street, Ste. 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.



Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Licensing and Examination Subcommittee of the Dental Hygiene Committee of California will be held as follows:

LICENSING AND EXAMINATION SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

**Saturday, December 4, 2010
Evergreen Hearing Room
2005 Evergreen Street, 1st Floor
Sacramento, CA 95815
10:00 A.M.**

The DHCC welcomes and encourages public participation in its meetings.

The public may take appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee at the time the item is heard.

LIC 1 – Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum

LIC 2 – Public Comment

LIC 3 – Approval of September 27, 2010 Minutes

LIC 4 – Chairperson's Report

LIC 5 – Licensure Statistics

LIC 6 – Clinical and Written Examination Statistics

LIC 7 – Alternative Testing Methods to Administer Law and Ethics Written Examination

LIC 8 – Discussion of Reference Materials for Development of RDH and RDHAP
Ethics Written Examinations

American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) Code of Ethics

California Dental Hygienists' Association (CDHA) Code of Ethics

American Dental Association (ADA) Code of Ethics

California Dental Association (CDA) Code of Ethics

Beemsterboer, P. L. (2009). *Ethics and Law in Dental Hygiene (2nd ed.)*. St. Louis, MO: Saunders Elsevier

Davison, J. (2000). *Legal and Ethical Considerations for Dental Hygienists and Assistants*. St. Louis, MO: Mosby

Kimbrough, V.J., & Lautar, C.J. (2006). *Ethics, Jurisprudence and Practice Management in Dental Hygiene (2nd ed.)*. Boston, MA: Prentice Hall

LIC 9 – Update on regulations relating to courses in the administration of nitrous oxide and oxygen, administration of local anesthetic agents and periodontal soft tissue curettage (California Code of Regulations, Title 16, §1072.2)

LIC 10 – Alternative Methods of Initial Licensure
Update on Standardized Exit Exam concept for California Graduates

LIC 11 – Future Agenda Items

**Licensing and Examination
Subcommittee**

Chair – Michelle Hurlbutt, RDH
Cathy DiFrancesco, RDH
Rhona Lee, RDHEF

Agenda Continued on next page.

The following will be considered in CLOSED session pursuant to Government Code 11126 (c) (1):

LIC 12 – Review of Examination Procedures/Forms, Grading Criteria and Grade Sheets

LIC 13 – Examiner Performance/Orientation/Calibration/Validation

Return to Open Session

LIC 14 – Adjournment

A quorum of the Committee may be present at the subcommittee meeting. Committee members who are not on the subcommittee may observe, but may not participate or vote. Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The subcommittee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-1978 or access the Committee's Web Site at www.dhcc.ca.gov. The meeting facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Tom Jurach at (916) 576-5002 or e-mail tom.jurach@dca.ca.gov or send a written request to DHCC at 2005 Evergreen Street, Ste. 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.



Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Education and Outreach Subcommittee of the Dental Hygiene Committee of California will be held as follows:

EDUCATION/OUTREACH SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

**Sunday, December 5, 2010
Evergreen Hearing Room
2005 Evergreen Street, 1st Floor
Sacramento, CA 95815
10:00 A.M.**

The DHCC welcomes and encourages public participation in its meetings.

The public may take appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee at the time the item is heard.

- EDU 1** – Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum
- EDU 2** – Public Comment
- EDU 3** – Approval of September 27, 2010, Minutes
- EDU 4** – DHCC Web Site Statistics
- EDU 5** – 2011 Calendar of Outreach Events
- EDU 6** – Future Agenda Items
- EDU 7** – Adjournment

**Education/Outreach
Subcommittee**

Chair – Rita Chen Fujisawa
Cathy DiFrancesco, RDH
Michelle Hurlbutt, RDH
Andrew Wong

A quorum of the Committee may be present at the subcommittee meeting. Committee members who are not on the subcommittee may observe, but may not participate or vote. Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The subcommittee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-1978 or access the Committee's Web Site at www.dhcc.ca.gov.

The meeting facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Tom Jurach at (916) 576-5002 or e-mail tom.jurach@dca.ca.gov or send a written request to DHCC at 2005 Evergreen Street, Ste. 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.



Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Enforcement Subcommittee of the Dental Hygiene Committee of California will be held as follows:

ENFORCEMENT SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

**Sunday, December 5, 2010
Evergreen Hearing Room
2005 Evergreen Street, 1st Floor
Sacramento, CA 95815**

Upon conclusion of Education/Outreach Subcommittee

The DHCC welcomes and encourages public participation in its meetings.

The public may take appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee at the time the item is heard.

AGENDA

- ENF 1** – Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum
- ENF 2** – Public Comment
- ENF 3** – Approval of September 27, 2010, Minutes
- ENF 4** – Chairperson’s Report
- ENF 5** – Enforcement Statistics
- ENF 6** – Discussion and Consideration of Peer Review
- ENF 7** – Review of DHCC’s Consumer Complaint Form
- ENF 8** – Proposed regulations to implement DCA recommendation to strengthen DHCC’s enforcement program pursuant to Consumer Protection Enforcement Initiative (CPEI)
- ENF 9** – Future Agenda Items
- ENF 10** – Adjournment

Enforcement Subcommittee

Chair – Alex Calero
Miriam DeLaRoi, RDHAP
Cathy DiFrancesco, RDH

A quorum of the Committee may be present at the subcommittee meeting. Committee members who are not on the subcommittee may observe, but may not participate or vote. Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The subcommittee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-1978 or access the Committee’s Web Site at www.dhcc.ca.gov.

The meeting facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Tom Jurach at (916) 576-5002 or e-mail tom.jurach@dca.ca.gov or send a written request to DHCC at 2005 Evergreen Street, Ste. 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.



Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Legislative and Regulatory Subcommittee of the Dental Hygiene Committee of California will be held as follows:

LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

**Sunday, December 5, 2010
Evergreen Hearing Room
2005 Evergreen Street, 1st Floor
Sacramento, CA 95815**

Upon conclusion of Enforcement Subcommittee

The DHCC welcomes and encourages public participation in its meetings.

The public may take appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee at the time the item is heard.

AGENDA

LEG 1 – Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum

LEG 2 – Public Comment

LEG 3 – Approval of September 27, 2010 minutes

LEG 4 – Chairperson’s Report

LEG 5 – Legislative Calendar

LEG 6 – California Regulatory Notice Register Schedule

LEG 7 – Report on End of 2 Year Legislative Session Summary

- AB 171** (Jones) – Dental Services: Credit
- AB 403** (Fuller) – Dental Hygienists: Examination and Licensure
- AB 583** (Hayashi) – Health Care Practitioners: Disclosure of Education
- AB 667** (Block) – Topical Flouride: Application
- AB 1116** (Carter) – Cosmetic Surgery
- AB 1235** (Hayashi) – Healing arts: peer review
- AB 1310** (Hernandez) – Healing arts: database
- AB 1524** (Hayashi) – Dentistry: Examination Requirements
- AB 1659** (Huber) – State Government: Agency Repeals
- AB 2130** (Huber) – Professions and Vocations: Sunset Review
- AB 2699** (Bass) – Healing arts: licensure exemption
- SB 294** (Negrete McLeod) – Professions and Vocations: Regulations
- SB 442** (Ducheny) – Clinic Corporation: Licensing
- SB 599** (Negrete McLeod) – Workforce Development
- SB 630** (Steinberg) – Health Care Coverage: Cleft Palate Reconstructive Surgery: Dental and Orthodontic Services
- SB 700** (Negrete McLeod) – Healing Arts: Peer Review
- SB 1172** (Negrete McLeod) – Regulatory Boards: Diversion Programs

**Legislative and Regulatory
Subcommittee**

Chair – Alex Calero
Miriam DeLaRoi, RDHAP
Michelle Hurlbutt, RDH
Andrew Wong

Agenda Continued on next page.

LEG 8 – Consideration and Approval of Proposed Statutory “Clean Up” language for Business and Professions Code, §1900-1966.6

LEG 9 – Consideration and Approval of Proposed Dental Hygiene Regulations Implementing provisions of Business and Professions Code, §1900-1966.6

LEG 10 – Future Agenda Items

LEG 11 – Adjournment

A quorum of the Committee may be present at the subcommittee meeting. Committee members who are not on the subcommittee may observe, but may not participate or vote. Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the specific item is raised. The subcommittee may take action on any item listed on the agenda, unless listed as informational only. All times are approximate and subject to change. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-1978 or access the Committee’s Web Site at www.dhcc.ca.gov.

The meeting facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Tom Jurach at (916) 576-5002 or e-mail tom.jurach@dca.ca.gov or send a written request to DHCC at 2005 Evergreen Street, Ste. 1050, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.