

DENTAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

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NOTICE OF MEETING

May 14-15, 2025

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**Action may be taken on any
item listed on the agenda.**

The Dental Board of California (Board) will meet in-person in accordance with Government Code section 11123, subdivision (a), approximately at, but no earlier than, 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, May 14, 2025, and 8:30 a.m., on Thursday, May 15, 2025, at the following location:

Hilton Anaheim
777 W. Convention Way (Fourth Floor, Huntington Room)
Anaheim, CA 92802
(714) 750-4321 (Hotel)
(916) 263-2300 or (877) 729-7789 (Board Office)

AGENDA

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 14, 2025

1. Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum
2. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
Note: The Board may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this Public Comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. (Government Code sections 11125 and 11125.7(a).)
3. Discussion and Possible Action on February 6-7, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes
4. Board President Report

5. Assistant Executive Officer Report
 - a. Update on 2022-2025 Strategic Plan
6. Report on Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) Activities, which may include updates on DCA's Administrative Services, Human Resources, Enforcement, Information Technology, Communications and Outreach, as well as Legislative, Regulatory, and Policy Matters
7. Budget Report
8. Report on Dental Hygiene Board of California Activities
9. Dental Assisting Council Meeting Report
10. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on Proposed Regulations
 - a. Status Update on Pending Regulations
 - i. Update on Rulemaking to Amend California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 16, Sections 1021, 1028, 1028.4, 1028.5, 1030, and 1035, and Repeal Sections 1032, 1032.1, 1032.2, 1032.3, 1032.4, 1032.5, 1032.6, 1032.7, 1032.8, 1032.9, 1032.10, 1033.1, 1034, and 1036.01 Regarding Applications for Dentist Licensure and Fees
 - b. Discussion and Possible Action to Initiate a Rulemaking to Amend CCR, Title 16, Section 1005 Regarding Minimum Standards for Infection Control
11. Licensing, Certifications, Permits, and Examinations
 - a. Update on Dental Licensure and Permit Statistics
12. Enforcement
 - a. Review of Statistics and Trends
13. Substance Use Awareness
 - a. Diversion Program Report and Statistics
14. Anesthesia and Sedation
 - a. General Anesthesia and Sedation Permits: Inspections and Evaluations Statistics
 - b. Discussion and Possible Action on Recommendation from the Board's Anesthesia Committee Regarding Renewal of Moderate Sedation Permit Following Failure of Onsite Inspection and Evaluation
15. Recess Open Session Until May 15, 2025, at 8:30 a.m.

CLOSED SESSION (WILL NOT BE WEBCAST)

16. Convene Closed Session

17. Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126(c)(3), the Board will Meet in Closed Session to Deliberate and Vote on Disciplinary Matters, Including Stipulations and Proposed Decisions

18. Adjourn Closed Session

8:30 a.m., Thursday, May 15, 2025

19. Reconvene Open Session – Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum

20. Board President's Report on Closed Session Items

21. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on Legislative Proposals

- a. Legislative Proposal to Amend Business and Professions Code (BPC) Section 1724(a) to Remove Dentist Licensure Fee for Repealed Portfolio Pathway
- b. Legislative Proposal to Add BPC Section 1778 Relating to Board Approval of Dental Assistant Educational Programs and Courses
- c. Legislative Proposal to Amend BPC, Division 2, Chapter 4, Article 7 Title Regarding Dental Auxiliaries
- d. Legislative Proposal to Amend BPC Sections 1753 and 1753.5 Regarding Authorized Duties and Procedures of Registered Dental Assistants in Extended Functions

22. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on Legislation Impacting the Board, DCA, and/or the Dental Profession

- a. 2025 Tentative Legislative Calendar – Information Only
- b. Legislation of Interest
 - i. Assembly Bill [\(AB\) 341](#) (Arambula, 2025) Oral Health for People with Disabilities Technical Assistance Center Program
 - ii. [AB 350](#) (Bonta, 2025) Health care coverage: fluoride treatments
 - iii. [AB 371](#) (Haney, 2025) Dental coverage
 - iv. [AB 479](#) (Tangipa, 2025) Criminal procedure: vacatur relief
 - v. [AB 485](#) (Ortega, 2025) Labor Commissioner: unsatisfied judgments: nonpayment of wages.
 - vi. [AB 489](#) (Bonta, 2025) Health care professions: deceptive terms or letters: artificial intelligence
 - vii. [AB 667](#) (Solache, 2025) Professions and vocations: license examinations: interpreters
 - viii. [AB 742](#) (Elhawary, 2025) Department of Consumer Affairs: licensing: applicants who are descendants of slaves
 - ix. [AB 837](#) (Davies, 2025) Ketamine
 - x. [AB 872](#) (Blanca Rubio, 2025) Environmental health: product safety: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances
 - xi. [AB 873](#) (Alanis, 2025) Dentistry: dental assistants: infection control course
 - xii. [AB 876](#) (Flora, 2025) Nurse anesthetists: scope of practice
 - xiii. [AB 966](#) (Carrillo, 2025) Dental Practice Act: foreign dental schools

- xiv. [AB 1107](#) (Flora, 2025) Cigarette and Tobacco Products Licensing Act of 2003: nitrous oxide: licensure
- xv. [AB 1215](#) (Flora, 2025) Hospitals: medical staff membership
- xvi. [AB 1298](#) (Harabedian, 2025) The Department of Consumer Affairs
- xvii. [AB 1307](#) (Ávila Farías, 2025) Licensed Dentists from Mexico Pilot Program
- xviii. [AB 1431](#) (Tangipa, 2025) Personal income taxes: credit: medical services: rural areas
- xix. [AB 1434](#) (Michelle Rodriguez, 2025) Health care boards: workforce data collection
- xx. [AB 1461](#) (Essayli, 2025) Department of Consumer Affairs: regulatory boards
- xxi. Senate Bill [\(SB\) 338](#) (Becker, 2025) Mobile Health for Rural Communities Pilot Program
- xxii. [SB 351](#) (Cabaldon, 2025) Health facilities
- xxiii. [SB 386](#) (Limón, 2025) Dental providers: fee-based payments
- xxiv. [SB 470](#) (Laird, 2025) Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act: teleconferencing
- xxv. [SB 497](#) (Wiener, 2025) Legally protected health care activity
- xxvi. [SB 641](#) (Ashby, 2025) Department of Consumer Affairs and Department of Real Estate: states of emergency: waivers and exemptions
- xxvii. [SB 682](#) (Allen, 2025) Environmental health: product safety: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances
- xxviii. [SB 730](#) (Hurtado, 2025) Product safety: consumer products: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances
- xxix. [SB 806](#) (Dahle, 2025) Department of Consumer Affairs
- xxx. [SB 861](#) (Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development, 2025) Consumer affairs

23. Public Comment on Future Agenda Items

Stakeholders are encouraged to submit proposals in writing to the Board before or during the meeting for possible consideration by the Board at a future meeting.

24. Adjournment

Information regarding the meeting is available by contacting the Board at (916) 263-2300 or (877) 729-7789, email: DentalBoard@dca.ca.gov, or send a written request to the Dental Board of California, 2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 1550, Sacramento, CA 95815. This agenda can be found on the Dental Board of California website at dbc.ca.gov. The time and order of agenda items are subject to change at the discretion of the Board President and may be taken out of order. Items scheduled for a particular day may be moved to an earlier or later day to facilitate the effective transaction of business. In accordance with the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, all meetings of the Board are open to the public.

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public may, but are not obligated to, provide their names or personal information as a condition of observing or participating in the meeting. (Government Code section 11124.)

Government Code section 11125.7 provides the opportunity for the public to address each agenda item during discussion or consideration by the Board prior to the Board taking any action on said item. Members of the public will be provided appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Board, but the Board President may, at their discretion, apportion available time among those who wish to speak. Individuals may appear before the Board to discuss items not on the agenda; however, the Board can neither discuss nor take official action on these items at the time of the same meeting (Government Code sections 11125, 11125.7(a)).

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