

**TITLE 16. DENTAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

**PROPOSED LANGUAGE**

Amend Section 1020.4 of Article 5.5 of Chapter 1 of Division 10 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations to read as follows:

**Section 1020.4. Diversion Evaluation Committee Membership.**

(a) A diversion evaluation committee shall consist of six members: three licensed dentists, ~~one licensed dental auxiliary, one public member~~two public members, and one licensed physician or psychologist.

(b) Each committee member shall have experience or knowledge in the evaluation or management of persons who are impaired due to alcohol or drug abuse.

(c) Each member of the committee shall be appointed by the board and shall serve at the board's pleasure. ~~Members of a committee shall be appointed for a term of four years, and each member shall hold office until the appointment and qualification of his or her successor or until one year shall have elapsed since the expiration of the term for which he or she was appointed, whichever first occurs. No person shall serve as a member of the committee for more than two terms.~~

Note: Authority cited: Sections 1614 and 1695.2, Business and Professions Code.  
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