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The Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board (MDB) met via WebEx on Wednesday, March 17, 2021 for the purpose of conducting a regular business meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Amy Derick at 9:00 a.m.

The following members were present for all or portions of the meeting:

Sreenivas Reddy, M.D., Member, Vice Chair  
Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Member  
Peter Hofmann, M.D., Member  
Umang Patel, M.D., Member  
Karen O'Mara, D.O., Member  
Shami Goyal, M.D., Member  
Caroline Moellering, Public Member  
Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., Public Member

The members present constituted a quorum.

Also present for all or part of the meeting were the following:

John Zander, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Joseph Fojtik, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Frank Lamas, Chief of Medical Prosecutions Unit, Robert Mosley, M.D., Deputy Medical Coordinator, Kathleen Walsh, Board Liaison, Greg Marion, Chief of Medical Investigations, Munaza Aman, Associate General Counsel, Ted Adams, Chief of Investigations, and Jessica Pantoja, Patient Advocate Liaison.

**COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT:**

Kathleen Walsh reported that the Complaint Committee met on March 17, 2021 for the purpose of reviewing 41 investigative files.

A motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Sreenivas Reddy to move to accept the Complaint Committee report for March 17, 2021. The motion passed.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None.

**MINUTES:** A motion was made by Dr. Darren Hancock and seconded by Caroline Moellering to move to accept the open minutes of the March 3, 2021 meeting. Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Shami Goyal, M.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. Abstained; Aja Carr-Favors, J.D. The motion passed.

**MEDICAL COORDINATOR’S REPORT:**

Dr. John Zander reported 50 CCTs, 290 Probation cases, and 226 cases assigned to the Medical Coordinators.

**CHIEF OF MEDICAL INVESTIGATIONS REPORT:**

Greg Marion reported 53 complaints were received, 12 cases were referred to Medical Prosecutions and 120 complaints were closed.

**CHIEF OF MEDICAL PROSECUTIONS REPORT:** Frank Lamas reported 692 cases pending in Prosecutions Unit.

**GENERAL COUNSEL REPORT:** MPA Sunset HB 3139 was presented to Medical Disciplinary Board on March 17, 2021.

**ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT:** Kathleen Walsh, Board Liaison, announced March 17, 2021 is Dr. Shami Goyal’s last board meeting as a board member. As of April 1, 2021, Dr. Goyal is the Department’s Chief Medical Coordinator.

**OLD BUSINESS:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** None.

**CLOSED SESSION:**

A Motion was made by Dr. Sreenivas Reddy and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann that the MDB open meeting be adjourned and the Board go into closed session, as permitted by the portion of the Open Meetings Act, Sections 2c (15). The Motion passed unanimously.

Amy Derick, M.D., requested roll call as follows: Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Sreenivas Reddy, M.D., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O’Mara, D.O., Shami Goyal, M.D., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering.

After discussion of deliberations, a motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Darren Hancock that the MDB closed meeting be adjourned and the Board reconvene open business meeting, as permitted by the portion of the Open Meetings Act, Sections 2c (15). The Motion passed unanimously.

**DISCUSSION AND DELIBERATIONS**

A motion was made by Dr. Umang Patel and seconded by Dr. Sreenivas Reddy to move to accept the following Consent Orders:

- 1. Lawrence M. Lavine, MD CO 2019-10614
- 2. Dominic J. Gaziano, MD CO 2019-07376
- 3. Todd R. Cevene, DC CO 2013-04082
- 4. Wayne Gudgel, DC CO 2019-07681
- 5. Donald L. Yakel, MD CO 2010-09920-3

Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Umang Patel, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Shami Goyal, M.D., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. The motion passed.

In closed session, the MDB made the following recommendation on the respective cases:

- 0 Non-Disciplinary Order presented and accepted.
- 2 Agreement of Care, Counseling and Treatment Orders presented.
- 1 Default Judgment presented.
- 0 Petition to Compel Examination and Order to Compel Examination Order presented.
- 0 Recommendation to the Director on Dismissal of Petition presented.
- 1 Administrative Law Judge Report presented.
- 3 Subpoenas presented and accepted.
- 5 Consent Orders presented and accepted.
- 0 Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendation to the Director presented.

A motion was made by Dr. Amy Derick and seconded by Dr. Umang Patel to move to accept the above closed minutes recommendations. Roll call: All in favor; Amy Derick, M.D., Darren D. Hancock, D.C., Peter Hofmann, M.D., Sreenivas G. Reddy, M.D., Shami Goyal, M.D., Karen O'Mara, D.O., Umang Patel, M.D., Aja Carr-Favors, J.D., and Caroline Moellering. All opposed; None. The motion passed.

A Motion was made by Dr. Sreenivas Reddy and seconded by Dr. Peter Hofmann that the MDB open meeting be adjourned. The motion passed.

**ADJOURNMENT:** There being no further business to be brought before the Medical Disciplinary Board, the meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.