



NOTICE OF BOARD MEETING

Board Members

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The Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board) will meet on:

Thursday, October 19, 2023, and Friday, October 20, 2023
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
(or until completion of business)

Meeting Location

Southern California University of Health Sciences
Legacy Hall
16200 Amber Valley Drive
Whittier, CA 90304

The Board will hold a public meeting in person at the location listed above. The Board plans to webcast this meeting at <https://thedcapage.wordpress.com/webcasts/>. Webcast availability cannot, however, be guaranteed due to limitations on resources or other technical difficulties that may arise. The meeting will not be canceled if webcast is not available. If you wish to participate or to have a guaranteed opportunity to observe, please attend at the physical meeting location specified above. Meeting adjournment may not be webcast if adjournment is the only item that occurs after a closed session.

Note: Members of the public may also submit written comments to the Board on any agenda item by Monday, October 16, 2023. Written comments should be directed to chiro.info@dca.ca.gov for Board consideration.

The Board may take action on any agenda item listed on this agenda, including information-only items.

AGENDA

**Thursday, October 19, 2023
9:00 a.m.**

- 1. Open Session – Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of a Quorum**
- 2. Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda**
Note: Members of the public may offer public comment for items not on the agenda. However, the Board may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section that is not included on this agenda, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Government Code Sections 11125 and 11125.7, subd. (a).]
- 3. Board Chair’s Report**
- 4. Update on the September 22–23, 2023 Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Boards (FCLB) Districts III & V Meeting by the Board Chair and Vice Chair**
- 5. Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) Update Which May Include Updates on DCA’s Administrative Services, Human Resources, Enforcement, Information Technology, Communications and Outreach, and Legislative, Regulatory, or Policy Matters**
- 6. Review and Possible Approval of July 20, 2023 Board Meeting Minutes**
- 7. Review and Possible Ratification of Approved Doctor of Chiropractic License Applications**
- 8. Review and Possible Ratification of Approved Continuing Education Provider Applications**
- 9. Executive Officer’s Report and Updates on:**
 - A. Administration, Continuing Education, Enforcement, and Licensing Programs
 - B. Business Modernization Project and Implementation of Connect System
 - C. Board’s Budget and Fund Condition
 - D. Status of Board’s Pending Regulatory Proposals
 - E. Board’s 2022–2026 Strategic Plan Objectives
 - F. Status of New Issues and Recommendations from the Board’s 2022 Sunset Review
- 10. Update and Discussion on Implementation of 2023 Legislation Affecting the Board:**
 - A. [Assembly Bill \(AB\) 883 \(Mathis\)](#) Business licenses: United States Department of Defense SkillBridge program.
 - B. [AB 1707 \(Pacheco, Chapter 258, Statutes of 2023\)](#) Health professionals and facilities: adverse actions based on another state’s law.
 - C. [Senate Bill \(SB\) 143 \(Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review, Chapter 196, Statutes of 2023\)](#) State government.

- D. [SB 372 \(Menjivar, Chapter 225, Statutes of 2023\)](#) Department of Consumer Affairs: licensee and registrant records: name and gender changes.
- E. [SB 447 \(Atkins, Chapter 199, Statutes of 2023\)](#) GO-Biz.
- F. [SB 544 \(Laird, Chapter 216, Statutes of 2023\)](#) Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act: teleconferencing.

11. Licensing Committee Report

- Committee Chair's Update on August 25, 2023 Meeting

12. Government and Public Affairs Committee Report

- A. Committee Chair's Update on September 18, 2023 Meeting
- B. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action on Committee's Recommendation Regarding Pending Regulatory Proposal to Delegate Certain Functions to the Executive Officer and Make Conforming Changes to the Processes for Appealing Citations and Collecting Assessed Fines from Licensees (amend California Code of Regulations, Title 16, sections 306, 390.4, and 390.5)

13. Enforcement Committee Report

- Committee Chair's Update on Expert Recruitment and Pending Regulatory Proposals Being Considered and Developed by the Committee, Including Consumer Protection Enforcement Initiative (CPEI), Disciplinary Guidelines, and Uniform Standards for Substance Abusing Licensees

14. Continuing Education (CE) Committee Report

- Committee Chair's Update on Pending Regulatory Proposals Being Considered and Developed by the Committee, Including Basic Life Support Certification, CE Hardship Exemption, and Appeals Process for Denied CE Courses

15. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action Regarding Submission of Comments on Final Draft of Revised Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) Accreditation Standards and CCE Residency Program Accreditation Standards

16. Nominations of Candidates for 2024 Board Officer Positions

- A. Chair
- B. Vice Chair
- C. Secretary

17. Schedule 2024 Quarterly Board Meetings

18. Future Agenda Items

Note: Members of the Board and the public may submit proposed agenda items for a future Board meeting. However, the Board may not discuss or take action on any proposed matter except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Government Code Section 11125.]

19. Recess Until Friday, October 20, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

**Friday, October 20, 2023
9:00 a.m.**

20. Call to Order / Roll Call / Establishment of a Quorum

21. Petition Hearings for Reinstatement of Surrendered Licenses

- A. Diem Thi Nguyen, License No. DC 27710, Case No. AC 2017-1135
- B. Leon Patrick Weathersby Jr., License No. DC 22887, Case No. AC 2018-1164

22. Petition Hearing for Early Termination or Modification of Probation

- Andrew Tutino, D.C., License No. DC 20427, Case No. AC 2020-1254

23. Closed Session – The Board Will Meet in Closed Session to:

- Deliberate and Vote on Disciplinary Matters, Including the Above Petitions, Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126, subd. (c)(3)

24. Adjournment

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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 it 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 Chair may, at their discretion, apportion available time among those who wish to speak. Members of the public will not be permitted to yield their allotted time to other members of the public to make comments. 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 and 11125.7, subd. (a)).

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Telephone: (916) 263-5355

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