Call to Order
Dr. Angela Rake, Committee Chair, called the meeting to order at 5 pm

Board Members Present
P. Angela Rake, DDS, MS, Committee Chair
Carl Ebert, DDS
Heidi Donnelly, LDA (Teleconference)

Board Staff Present
Bridgett Anderson, Executive Director
Joyce Nelson, Director of Licensing
Kathy Johnson, Legal Analyst

Others in Attendance (Per sign in sheet)
Paul Tompach – MSOMS; Majda Hodzic – MDA; Rick Marlow – MSOMS; Terri Youngdahl – Sedation Inspector; Harold Tu – OMSOD; Rob Jones – UMSOD; Jim Hinrichs = UMSOD; Mark Roszkowski – MSOMS; Pat Ennen – Sedation Inspector; Robert Rupperciti – MSOMS

Teleconference Participants
Heather Robinson – Dental Anesthesiologist, Course Instructor; Nawaf Aslam-Pervez – Sedation Inspector; Allan Schwartz – Course Instructor

Approval of Draft Agenda
The April 8, 2019 draft agenda was reviewed and unanimously approved.

Review and Approval of Past Meeting Minutes
The February 25, 2019 meeting minutes were reviewed.

MOTION: Dr Ebert made a motion to approve the February 25, 2019 meeting minutes as submitted.

SECOND: Unanimous
RESULT: Motion Passed. Minutes approved as submitted or as amended.

Reports (This can include discussion items)
None
Unfinished Business

a. MSOMS Inspections for 2020

The Committee discussed the qualification requirement for individuals who conduct inspections for oral and maxillofacial surgeons. They discussed whether individuals conducting inspections for dentists with general anesthesia certification should also have the same type of sedation certification given the potential adverse outcomes for patients. The Committee discussed whether or not to extend the new standard to dentists that hold a sedation contractor certification since they sometimes utilize general anesthesia sedation. Dr. Rake noted that if an individual has not received adequate training, they may not have enough insight to accurately determine which patients would be good candidates for general anesthesia. Ms. Anderson discussed the issue of conflicts of interest in the past with inspectors. This includes inspectors that might conduct inspections for their colleagues or inspectors that accept gifts as a form of payment. Ms. Nelson mentioned that inspectors require calibration training to ensure that inspections are conducted with similar standards. Dr. Aslam-Pervez questioned how conflicts of interest would be identified and managed. Ms. Nelson highlighted the current process steps involved in conducting an inspection, including things like notifying the licensee and receiving documentation from the inspectors. The Committee discussed the potential fee structure for inspections. MSOMS is requesting for approval to conduct inspections for all oral and maxillofacial surgeons in MN that fall under their membership. The Board will also retain a separate consultant for OMS for oral surgeons that do not belong to their state association.

MOTION: Dr. Rake made a motion to approve the MSOMS proposal.

SECOND: Dr. Ebert.
RESULT: Motion Passed. The MSOMS proposal was accepted.

New Business

a. Introduction to Dr. Robinson’s Sedation Course

Dr. Robinson discussed a medical emergencies course that she teaches. The course covers responding to emergencies that might occur in the dental clinic. The Committee discussed allowing this course to be used by sedation providers as continuing education. They agreed to discuss the issue further.

b. Discussion of Dr. Schwartz’s Proposed Nitrous Course

Dr. Schwartz discussed his nitrous oxide certification course. He noted that his dental school will no longer be able to issue certification for students due to the retirement of staff. He
proposed that the Committee accept certification from his organization for nitrous oxide certification. Ms. Nelson clarified that Minnesota Rule requires licensees applying for nitrous oxide certification to have taken their training course at a CODA-accredited institute. She noted that Dr. Schwartz initiated his course as an adjunct faculty member of St. Louis University. She added that individuals could possibly apply for a variance, but that would mean each student would need to apply for a variance individually. Dr. Schwartz noted that the course has not changed since its inception in 2013. Dr. Rake stated that the Board granted a similar variance for Hennepin County to teach a nitrous oxide course for their staff members.

MOTION: Dr. Ebert made a motion to grant the variance for Dr. Schwartz’s nitrous oxide course.

SECOND: Unanimous
RESULT: Variance granted.

(c. Future Meeting Date

Announcements

Adjourn
MOTION: Dr. Rake made a motion made to adjourn at 7:00 pm.
SECOND:

VOTE: Unanimous
RESULT: Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm

Reviewed by: P. Angela Rake, DDS, MS, Chair 6/3/19

Date