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CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE ZOOM MEETING

Thursday, July 28, 2022, 8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

The July 28, 2022 Continuing Education Committee meeting of the Texas Optometry Board will be a hybrid meeting and held by videoconference call (Zoom) as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.127. One or more Board members may appear at the scheduled meeting via videoconference call, but the presiding member will be physically present at 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 9.300, Austin, Texas 78701. This location will be open to the public, but seating is limited to first come, first served. Due to the size of the available meeting room, public seating will be limited to two (2) individuals. In lieu of attending in person, members of the public are encouraged to access and participate virtually.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll Call of Committee Members.
- 3. **Course Approvals**. Discussion and possible committee action on continuing education courses to recommend for approval by the Board.
- 4. Public Comments.
- 5. Adjourn.

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COMMITTEE ON PEER ASSISTANCE

Thursday, July 28, 2022, 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

The July 28, 2022 Committee on Peer Assistance meeting of the Texas Optometry Board will be a hybrid meeting and held by videoconference call (Zoom) as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.127. One or more Board members may appear at the scheduled meeting via videoconference call, but the presiding member will be physically present at 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 9.300, Austin, Texas 78701. This location will be open to the public, but seating is limited to first come, first served. Due to the size of the available meeting room, public seating will be limited to two (2) individuals. In lieu of attending in person, members of the public are encouraged to access and participate virtually.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll Call of Committee Members.
- 3. **Peer Assistance Program**. Discussion and possible committee action regarding the peer assistance program.
- 4. Public Comments.
- 5. Adjourn.

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ADMINISTRATIVE/LICENSING COMMITTEE

Thursday, July 28, 2022 9:30 a.m.-10:15 a.m.

The July Administrative/Licensing Committee meeting of the Texas Optometry Board will be a hybrid meeting and held by videoconference call, as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.127. One or more Board Members may appear at the scheduled meeting via videoconference call, but the presiding member will be physically present at 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 9.300, Austin, Texas 78701. This location will be open to the public, but seating is limited to first come, first served. Due to health and safety concerns, as well as the size of the available meeting room, public seating will be limited to two (2) individuals. In lieu of attending in person, members of the public are encouraged to access and participate virtually.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll Call of Committee Members.
- 3. **Licensing.** Discussion and possible committee actions regarding licensure applicants, licensure without examination applicants, canceled licenses, expired licenses, transcript requirements for applicants and examination matters.
- 4. **Limited Licenses for Clinical Faculty**. Discussion regarding the requirements for a limited license for clinical faculty pursuant to 351.260 of the Optometry Act and Board Rule 273.5.
- 5. Public Comments.
- 6. Adjourn.

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RULES COMMITTEE

Thursday, July 28, 2022, 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

The July 28, 2022 Rules Committee meeting of the Texas Optometry Board will be a hybrid meeting and held by videoconference call (Zoom) as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.127. One or more Board members may appear at the scheduled meeting via videoconference call, but the presiding member will be physically present at 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 9.300, Austin, Texas 78701. This location will be open to the public, but seating is limited to first come, first served. Due to the size of the available meeting room, public seating will be limited to two (2) individuals. In lieu of attending in person, members of the public are encouraged to access and participate virtually.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. **22 TAC 273.17 Emergency Management**. The Committee may review the Regulatory Compliance Division's decision on the proposed new rule. The Committee may take final action on the new rule.
- 3. **Quadrennial Rule Review.** The Committee will discuss and review the workgroup's recommendations related to Chapter 280. The Committee may recommend proposal for readoption, readoption with amendments or repeal of Chapter 280.
- 4. Public Comments.
- 5. Adjourn.

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BOARD MEETING

Thursday, July 28, 2022, 1:00 p.m. - Conclusion

The July 28, 2022 Board meeting of the Texas Optometry Board will be a hybrid meeting and held by videoconference call (Zoom) as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.127. One or more Board members may appear at the scheduled meeting via videoconference call, but the presiding member will be physically present at 1801 N. Congress Avenue, Suite 9.300, Austin, Texas 78701. This location will be open to the public, but seating is limited to first come, first served. Due to the size of the available meeting room, public seating will be limited to two (2) individuals. In lieu of attending in person, members of the public are encouraged to access and participate virtually.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll Call of Board Members.
- Minutes.
 - a. Discussion and approval of minutes from the May 6, 2022 meeting.
- 4. Board Chair Report. (Gutierrez)
- 5. **General Matters**. Discussion and possible action on general matters.
 - a. Optometry School Liaison Reports. (Cornett/Schutte).
 - b. ARBO Meeting Report (Hopping)
- 6. **Public Comment** (Time certain 1:00 p.m.).
- 7. **Executive Director's Report.** (Parker)
- 8. **Legal Report**. (McKinney)
- 9. Committee Reports.

Administrative/Licensing Committee

- a. Discussion and possible Board actions on Administrative/License Committee report and recommendations.
- b. Number of candidates receiving licensure.

Continuing Education Committee.

- a. Discussion and possible Board actions on Continuing Education Committee report and recommendations.
- b. Recommendations on continuing education course approvals.

Investigation-Enforcement Committee.

- a. Discussion and possible Board actions on the Investigation-Enforcement Committee report and recommendations resulting from informal conferences.
 - 1. Case Number 2022-00025.
- b. Quarterly report on complaints and investigations.
 - 1. Glaucoma complaints & investigations.
- c. Approval of fines issued by the Executive Director.

Rules Committee.

- a. Discussion and possible Board action on Rules Committee report and recommendations.
- b. **Possible Adoption: 22 TAC 273.17.** Discussion and possible action on rule requiring CPR or BLS for initial license and renewal of license if approval is received from the Regulatory Compliance Division.
- c. **Proposal: Chapter 280/Quadrennial Rule Review.** Discussion and possible action for readoption, readopton with amendments or repeal.

Committee on Peer Assistance.

- a. Discussion and possible Board action on report and recommendations from the Committee on Peer Assistance.
- 10. Quarterly Board Member Training.
- 11. Announcements.
- 12. Adjourn.

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