



**MEETING NOTICE & AGENDA**  
**August 20, 2009**

Department of Consumer Affairs  
1625 North Market Blvd.  
"El Dorado Room"  
Sacramento, CA  
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**9:00 a.m. Audiology Practice Committee Meeting**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Legislation
  - A. SB 821- Omnibus Legislation – Senator Negrete McLeod- Entry-Level Licensing Standards for Audiologists (Doctorate Education) & Amendments to Audiology Aide Supervision Standards- (Review Audiology Support Personnel Data)
  - B. AB 1535 – Assembly Member Jones- Authorization for Audiologists to Dispense Hearing Aids/ Merger of the Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology Board and the Hearing Aid Dispensers Bureau
- IV. Discussion on Audiology Scope of Practice Provisions and the Authorization for Audiologists to Cochlear Implant Fitting and Mapping
- V. Update on Collaboration with the Department of Health Care Services Newborn Hearing Screening Program Regarding Audiology Provider Education and Enforcement
- VI. Discussion of the Need for Further Services Provided by Regional Centers for Deaf/Heard of Hearing Children
- VII. Review of the Medi-Cal Optional Benefit Exclusions for Audiology Services

**11:00 a.m. Speech-Language Pathology Practice Committee Meeting**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Review Board Comments on the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing Special Education Credentialing – Communication Development Specialist- Proposed Regulations Title 5 California Code of Regulations Section 80048.6.
- IV. Discussion of Speech-Language Pathology Assistant Training in California
  - A. Status of Audit of San Joaquin Delta Speech-Language Pathology Assistant Program

B. Update on New Training Programs

**1:00 p.m. Full Board Meeting – Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology Board**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Approval of Meeting Minutes for May 7, 2009 Audiology Practice Committee Meeting, Speech-Language Pathology Practice Committee Meeting, & Full Board Meeting Minutes
- IV. Executive Officer's Report (Annemarie Del Mugnaio)
  - A. Budget Update
  - B. Review/Status and Implementation Issues of Proposed Regulations
    - 1. Review Final Statement of Reasons and Language for Clean-up Package – Continuing Professional Development Amendments Related to Supervision Requirements and Board Approved Institution Regulations (California Code of Regulations Sections -1399.152 (e), 1399.153.3 & 1399.160.4)
    - 2. License Renewal Requirements- Retroactive Fingerprinting – (Adopt California Code of Regulations Section- 1399.157.3)
  - C. Examination Validation Study (Audiology)– Draft Report
  - D. Miscellaneous- Governor Schwarzenegger's Allied Health Care Initiative
- V. Update from Board Member Lisa O'Connor
  - A. National Council of State Boards of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology – Conference 2009- New Orleans, LA September 10-12, 2009
- VI. Practice Committee Reports
- VII. Proposed Legislation
  - A. Senate Bill 389 (Negrete McLeod) Fingerprinting Authority
  - B. Senate Bill 638 (Negrete McLeod) Regulatory Boards/Operations
  - C. Senate Bill 820 (Negrete McLeod/Aanestad) Healing Arts/Peer Review
  - D. Assembly Bill 613 (Beall) Medi-Cal Treatment Authorization Requests
  - E. Assembly Bill 1310 (Hernandez) Healing Arts: Database
  - F. Legislation of Interest to the Board
- VIII. Licensing / Enforcement Statistical Data- Report on Improved Enforcement Efforts

**CLOSED SESSION**

- IX. Closed Session (pursuant to Government Code Subsections 11126(a)(1) & (c)(3) Proposed Stipulation and Settlement for Probation In the Matter of the Accusation Against Guadalupe Garcia, AU 685

**RETURN TO OPEN SESSION**

- X. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
- XI. Announcements- Next Board Meeting/Strategic Planning Session- August 20-21, 2009 Sacramento
- XII. Adjournment

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