

**BOARD OF DIETETIC PRACTICE
OPEN SESSION MINUTES
FEBRUARY 21, 2019**

Present

Nancy Ferrone, LDN–Board Chair
Laura C. Davis, LDN-Board Secretary/Treasurer
Chimene Castor, LDN Board Member
Lauren Mirkin, LDN– Board Member
Rebecca Snow, LDN–Board Member

Staff

Marie Savage – Administrator
Lenelle Cooper – Adm. Officer
David Bruce, Board Investigator
Stacey Darin, AAG

Absent

Erin Braunscheidel Duru, LDN-Board Member
Concepcion Placiente, LDN–Board Vice-Chair
Malcolm Rubinstein, Ph.D – Board Member

Visitors

Kim Lang, MDH
Amy Goldsmith, LDN, MAND

Call To Order

Nancy Ferrone, LDN, Board Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:07 a.m. on February 21, 2019.

New Business

ITEM 1

Approval of Minutes

The minutes for the November 15, 2018 meeting were approved as written.

ITEM 2

Committee Reports

Budget –

1. As required by law, the Board transferred \$18,512.00 to the Maryland Health Care Commission in FY 2019.
2. The Board will fund the HCC Fee for FY 19 and FY 20

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Ms. Savage recommended that the Board continue to pay for the HCC fee for licensure renewals for the next 2 years, since the Board will have an excess of \$125,791 to carry over to Fiscal Year 2020.

The Board's recommended carryover is 30% of the Board's budget, which is \$225,000. The Board voted to pay the HCC fee for renewals for Fiscal Years 2019 and 2020.

Ms. Savage reported, in response to a Board member inquiry from the last meeting, that the Board received 4 applications that checked military status. There are currently 498 out of state mailing addresses for active licensees.

Credentialing –

No Report.

Regulations/Legislation –

1. Update on 2019 Session

Ms. Savage reported that no legislation directly affecting the Board was introduced so far this legislative session. Specifically, no criminal background legislation was introduced. The Board will study this issue and discuss further at the May Board Meeting.

2. Update on 2018 Regulatory Review

The Board is in the process of drafting the final evaluation report. The Board did not receive any comments. The Board has no changes to regulations at this time.

Standards of Practice –

No Report.

Media and Public Awareness –

No Report.

Dietetic Rehabilitation Committee -

No Report.

ITEM 3

The Board reviewed the Commission on Dietetic Registration – January 1, 2024 Change in Entry Level Registration Eligibility Requirements. The Board will make the necessary changes to its law and regulations as the deadline nears in 2024.

ITEM 4

MDH IQ – Tracking System for Controlled Correspondence

The Board will ask the Department of Health to provide an overview on their IQ system that tracks correspondence.

ITEM 5

Approved for Licensure

Laura King, RD	930980	Kimberly Judy, RD	1028765
Laura Buckley, RD	965788	Angele Sandercock, RD	767386
Mehrnaz Paydar, RD	86102176	Alison Schissler, RD	968215
Ann Klunk, RD	913785	Katherine Hottel, RD	86071521
Hilary Milott, RD	86045023	Sabrin Kraziem, RD	86095566
Rachael Schirmer, RD	86013255	Nour Amri, CNS	17384
Jennifer Kanikula, RD	86005469	Amy Lukin, RD	1030601
Katrina Crichton, RD	1055404	Hannah Byrne, RD	86074122
Banafsheh Dhdashtizadeh, RD	86108589	Stephanie Zafiroopoulos, RD	86034577
Alisha Temples, CNS	17450	Carly Strickland, RD	86087429
Hollee Grady, RD	86065638	Alexa Rothstein, CNS	17440
Samantha Hunley, RD	86049955	Carla Spencer, RD	578949
Kathryn Cleffi, RD	86051943	Elizabeth Abel, CNS	17110
Stacie Austin, RD	1046958	Mary Marshburn, RD	725204
Jennifer Mozloom, RD	846135	Patricia Carey, RD	850700
Rachel Street, RD	961599	Casey Coffey, RD	818668
Stephanie Burner, RD	86097106	Andrew Hade, RD	86004066
Laura Sandoval, RD	86090644	Reem Salameh, RD	86037784
Kimberly Polacek Ortiz, RD	86087235	Dana Wallace, RD	945311
Mayuri Patel, RD	930301	Victoria Goodman, RD	14028
Susana Camarasa, CNS	17397	Courtney Bloom, RD	1013509
Jordan Batson, RD	86065179	Adjoa Oriyomi, CNS	17353
Emily Dorr, RD	1082950	Elaina D'Aguiar, RD	86114455
Lauren Melton, RD	86006617	Lisa Griffith, RD	969989
Shobha Nandivada, RD	807414	Allison Taylor, RD	86050919
Kristina Pestana, CNS	17653	Drew Landenburger, CNS	17199
Nicole Bennett, RD	86054188	Jie Ying Tan, RD	86084271
Nancy Ruberto-Beachler, CNS	16409	Jennifer Moore, CNS	17640
Ann Elkins, RD	1007924	Wanda Rivera, RD	915246
Tracey Gaines, RD	951772	Lauren Sommer, RD	86101375
Yasmin Abdelsalam, RD	977778	Kelsey Felter, RD	86098669
Cara Zaller, CNS	17587	Wendy Hernandez, CNS	17337
Honora Gandhi, RD	86101073	Brittany Kuhl, RD	86051272
Kathleen Pearlless, RD	86006431	Caroline Schmalz, RD	1081899
Kristie Yeung, RD	86006515	Cecilia Dalmau, RD	964651

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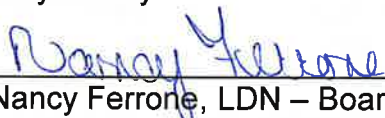
Julie Sorenson, CNS	17670	Nikolina Jorgenson, RD	86055672
Erin Sweeney, CNS	17449	Donjurea Daniels, RD	86054185
Samina Qureshi, RD	86020189		

The next Board meeting is scheduled on Thursday, March 21, 2019, at 10:00 a.m., 4201 Patterson Avenue.

Adjournment

The open meeting adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

Pursuant to the Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov., §3-305(b)(13) the Board Members present unanimously voted to close its meeting for the purpose of complying with Md. Code Ann, Health Occ. §1-401, which prevents public disclosures of the Board's proceedings, records, and files. The Board considered an application for licensure which contained confidential information regarding disciplinary history.



Nancy Ferrone, LDN – Board Chair



Laura C. Davis, LDN - Board Secretary



Marie Savage - Administrator