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The Illinois State Medical Board convened an open meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 15, 2025. The meeting was held in the IDFPR offices located at 555 W. Monroe Street, Chicago, IL 60661 and at 320 W. Washington Street, Springfield, IL 62786. The locations were connected by video conferencing.

A quorum of board members were physically present for the meeting:

Douglas Matzner, DC, Member, Chair	Sreenivas Reddy, MD, Member
Thomas Boyle, DO, Member, Vice Chair	Amber Poettker, PA-C, Member
Mary Huffman, DC, Member	
Mohammad Jameel, MD, Member	
Maria Laporta, MD, Member	
Bartlomiej Nierzwicki, MD, Member	

Mohammed Asif, MD, Member; James MacKenzie, DO Member; Ratna Kanumury, PA-C, Member; James Brooks, Member attending the meeting via WebEx

Henry Adekoka, MD, member; Alicia Rauh, MD, Member did not attend the meeting

Department staff were physically present for the meeting:

Meghan Pipolo, Chief of Medical Prosecutions
Greg Marion, Chief of Medical Investigations
Jane Livingston, Administrative Assistant

Department staff attended the meeting via WebEx:

Shami Goyal, MD, Chief Medical Coordinator
Lauren McGinn, JD, Associate General Counsel
Jerry R. Miller, Board Liaison
Theodore Adams, JD, Chief of Statewide Investigations

Open Minutes

A motion was made and seconded (Jameel/Reddy) to approve the open minutes from the Medical Board meeting held on October 1, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on October 15, 2025

Mr. Miller reported that the Complaint Committee made the following recommendations:

- Close 7 complaints - 1 with a letter of concern.
- Refer 4 complaints to Medical Prosecutions for review.
- Close 11 mandatory reports with 2 letters of concern.
- Refer 7 mandatory reports to prosecutions.

- Approve open and closed minutes from Complaint Committee meetings held October 1, 2025

A motion was made and seconded (Jamee;l/Huffman) to accept the recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on October 15 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by Medical Board in closed session on September 17, 2025

Mr. Miller reported that the Medical Board made the following recommendations:

- Approve 3 subpoenas.
- Approve 2 application review Elsayed Desouky, MD and Krishn Mohan Jain, MD
- Review 4 Default Orders:
Case: 2025-06989: Joseph Jude Babu, – Indefinitely suspend license 036-163573 for a minimum of 1 year.
Case: 2025-07132: Avi Y. Factor, MD – Indefinitely suspend license 036-170677 for a minimum of 1 year.
Case: 2025-06990: Jonathan Hemmert, MD – Indefinitely suspend license 036-146556 for a minimum of 1 year.
Case: 2025-00345: Gautam Sharma, MD – Indefinitely suspend license 036-106311 for a minimum of 1 year.
- Approve 1 consent order:
Case # Respondent
2024-00124 William I. Bond

A motion was made and seconded (Boyle/Jameel) to accept the recommendations made by the Medical Board during the closed session meeting on October 15, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Reports

Mr. Marion reported for the month of October 1 through October 8, 2025 : 71 complaints were received; 5 complaints were referred to Medical Prosecutions for review; 90 complaints were closed; there were 612 open investigations; and the average caseload for an investigator was 122 cases.

Dr. Goyal reported that as of October 15, 2025, there were 65 cases assigned to the medical coordinators with 20 agreements of care, counseling, or treatment (CCT), and 314 cases monitored by the Probation unit. Dr. Goyal announced the Department's Midwest Occupational Summit will be on October 22 & 23, 2025 in Chicago, Illinois.

Ms. Pipolo reported that as of October 15, 2025, there were 944 open cases assigned to the Medical Prosecutions unit and 12 tax liability orders.

Ms. McGinn announced Radhika Lohia resigned from the medical board.

Adjourn Closed Session

A motion was made and seconded (Jameel/Reddy) to adjourn the closed session meeting of the Medical Board. The motion passed by a voice vote and the meeting adjourned at 9:10 a.m.