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The Illinois State Medical Board convened an open meeting at 9:13 a.m. on Wednesday, July 2, 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, Member, Chair Thomas Boyle, Member, Vice Chair Mary Huffman, DC, Member Mohammad Jameel, MD, Member Maria Laporta, MD, member James MacKenzie, DO, Member Bartlomiej Nierzwicki, MD, Member Alicia Rauh, MD, Member Sreenivas Reddy, MD, Member Ratna Kanumury, PA-C, Member James Brooks, Public Member

Henry Adekoka, MD, member, and Radhika Lohia, JD, member, did not attend the meeting

Department staff were physically present for the meeting:

Shami Goyal, MD, Chief Medical Coordinator Lauren McGinn, JD, Associate General Counsel Meghan Pipolo, Chief of Medical Prosecutions Jerry R. Miller, Board Liaison Jane Livingston, Administrative Assistant

Department staff attended the meeting via WebEx:

Greg Marion, Chief of Medical Investigations

Open Minutes

A motion was made and seconded (Reddy/Boyle) to approve the open minutes from the Medical Board meeting held on June 4, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on June 4, 2025

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

- Close 24 complaints 5 with a letter of concern and refer 1 case to the nurse board.
- Refer 16 complaints to Medical Prosecutions for review and to open 1 new case.
- Approve open and closed minutes from Complaint Committee meetings held June 4, 2025

A motion was made and seconded (Jameel/Brooks) to accept the recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on July 2, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by Medical Board in closed session on April 2, 2025

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

- Approve 15 subpoenas.
- Approve 17 non-disciplinary orders.
- Approve 1 CCT agreement
- Approve 2 Default Orders
- Approve 17 consent orders:

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2018-01811
            Gindi, George, R., MD
2021-04988 Williams, Donna C, DO
2025-04266 Sinha, Neil K., MD
2023-05923 Nahhas, Tony J., MD
2023-08183 Carazo, Elizabeth, MD
2020-03358 Bobba, Kumar, M.L., MD
2024-07179
            Asefi, Sadegh, DC (revised from 3/5/25 meeting)
            Orukari, Inema Epere, MD
2023-08255
            Riermaier, Michael J, MD
2021-01960
2025-04417
            Quershi, Zain, MD
2019-07428
            Khan, Mona, MD
            O'Connor, Phillip Michael, MD
2019-10851
2024-05292 Baylor, Mark C, MD
            Sadaf, Salma, MD
2025-04454
2025-06450 Patel, Kush, DO
2024-07164
            Foskett, James J, MD
            Lakemaker, Bernard E., DO
2017-08420
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A motion was made and seconded (Laporta/Jameel) to accept the recommendations made by the Medical Board during the closed session meeting on July 2, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Reports

Mr. Marion reported for the month of June 1 through June 26,2025: 149 complaints were received; 27 complaints were referred to Medical Prosecutions for review; 85 complaints were closed; there were 590 open investigations; and the average caseload for an investigator was 98 cases.

Dr. Goyal reported that as of July 2, 2025, there were 143 cases assigned to the medical coordinators with 23 agreements of care, counseling, or treatment (CCT), and 329 cases monitored by the Probation unit.

Ms. Pipolo reported that as of July 2, 2025, there were 926 open cases assigned to the Medical Prosecutions unit including 6 tax liability cases.

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 9:22 a.m.