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The Illinois State Medical Board convened an open meeting at 9:04a.m. on Wednesday, September 3, 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 Thomas Boyle, DO, Member, Vice Chair Mary Huffman, DC, Member Maria LaPorta, MD Member James MacKenzie, DO, Member Bartlomiej Nierzwicki, MD, Member

Sreenivas Reddy, MD, Member Amber Poettker, PA-C, Member

Henry Adekoka, MD, member; Mohammed Asif, MD, Member; Mohammad Jameel, MD, Member, attending the meeting via WebEx

Alicia Rauh, MD, Member; Ratna Kanumury, PA-C, Member; James Brooks, Member; and Radhika Lohia, JD, member, did not attend the meeting

<u>Department staff were physically present for the meeting:</u>

Lauren McGinn, JD, Associate General Counsel Meghan Pipolo, Chief of Medical Prosecutions Macie Flesher, Law Clerk Greg Marion, Chief of Medical Investigations Jerry R. Miller, Board Liaison Jane Livingston, Administrative Assistant

Department staff attended the meeting via WebEx:

Shami Goyal, MD, Chief Medical Coordinator Theodore Adams, JD, Chief of Statewide Investigations Joseph Fojtik, MD, Deputy Medical Coordinator

Open Minutes

A motion was made and seconded (Boyle/Reddy) to approve the open minutes from the Medical Board meeting held on August 20, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on September 3, 2025

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

- Close 12 complaints 6 with a letter of concern.
- Refer 13 complaints to Medical Prosecutions for review.

 Approve open and closed minutes from Complaint Committee meetings held August 20,2025

A motion was made and seconded (Laporta/Boyle) to accept the recommendations made by the Complaint Committee on August 6, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Recommendations made by Medical Board in closed session on September 3, 2025

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

- Approve 2 subpoenas.
- Approve 3 non-disciplinary orders, and defer 1.
- Approve 4 application reviews: Maria El Gemayel, MD; Buse Guneri Beser, MD; Syed Saeed Mohammadi, MD, and Lucy Rose Hinton, MD
- Approve 3 consent orders: 2023-04810 Jamiere Y. Smith, MD; 2025-09223 Jeff Pierce, DO;
 2025-09419 Anne M. Frea, MD
- Indefinity suspend physician and surgeon license #036-036-160257 for a minimum of 1 year. Case#: 2023-07026, Respondent: Todd M. Raleigh, MD

A motion was made and seconded (Boyle/Reddy) to accept the recommendations made by the Medical Board during the closed session meeting on September 3, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

Reports

Mr. Marion reported for the month of August 1,2025 through August 27, 2025: 136 complaints were received; 29 complaints were referred to Medical Prosecutions for review; 220 complaints were closed; there were 531 open investigations; and the average caseload for an investigator was 106 cases.

Dr. Goyal reported that as of September 3, 2025, there were 95 cases assigned to the medical coordinators with 25 agreements of care, counseling, or treatment (CCT), and 336 cases monitored by the Probation unit.

Ms. Pipolo reported that as of September 3, 2025, there were 922 open cases assigned to the Medical Prosecutions unit, and 10 tax cases.

Adjourn Closed Session

A motion was made and seconded (Reddy/Boyle) to adjourn the closed session meeting of the Medical Board. The motion passed by a voice vote and the meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.