



**VETERINARY MEDICAL BOARD
MULTIDISCIPLINARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF TELECONFERENCE MEETING
10:00 a.m., January 24, 2023**

Committee Members

Leah Shufelt, RVT, Chair
Richard Sullivan, DVM, Vice Chair
Christina Bradbury, DVM
Kevin Lazarcheff, DVM
Jennifer Loreda, RVT
Dianne Sequoia, DVM
Marie Ussery, RVT

Action may be taken on any item listed on the agenda.

The Multidisciplinary Advisory Committee (Committee) of the Veterinary Medical Board (Board) will meet by teleconference, with the following location available for Committee and public member participation¹:

Department of Consumer Affairs
1747 North Market Blvd., Hearing Room
Sacramento, CA 95834

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AGENDA

1. Call to Order/ Roll Call/ Establishment of a Quorum
2. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
Note: The Committee may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. (Government Code sections 11125 and 11125.7(a).)

¹ Face masks may or may not be required at the location depending on state and local laws and business preferences on the day of the meeting.

3. Review and Approval of October 18, 2022 Committee Meeting Minutes
4. Update, Discussion, and Potential Recommendations from Equine Practice Subcommittee – *Richard Sullivan, DVM, and Marie Ussery, RVT*
 - A. Recommendation Regarding Legislative Proposal to Amend Sections 4825.1 of Article 2 and 4875.1 of Article 4, and Add Sections 4826.01, 4826.6, and 4829.1 to Article 2, Chapter 11, Division 2 of the Business and Professions Code
 - B. Recommendation to the Board on California Horse Racing Board Regulatory Proposal to Amend California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 4, Section 1867
5. Update, Discussion, and Potential Recommendation to the Board on Potential Rulemaking to Amend CCR, Title 16, Sections 2032.1, 2034, and 2036 Regarding Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship, Animal Health Care Tasks Definitions, and Animal Health Care Tasks for R.V.T – *Leah Shufelt, RVT, and Richard Sullivan, DVM*
6. Update, Discussion, and Potential Recommendations from Complaint Process Audit Subcommittee – *Christina Bradbury, DVM, and Dianne Sequoia, DVM*
 - A. Recommendation Regarding Legislative Proposal to Amend Business and Professions Code Section 4875.3
 - B. Recommendation to Add Subject Matter Expert Criteria to the Administrative Procedure Manual
7. Update, Discussion, and Potential Recommendation Regarding Access to Care
 - A. Recommendation Regarding Spectrum of Care Frequently Asked Questions
8. Update, Discussion, and Potential Recommendation to Add to the Board's Frequently Asked Questions Regarding Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship
9. Update and Discussion Regarding Requirements of Assembly Bill 1885 (Kalra, Chapter 389, Statutes of 2022) to Develop Guidelines for Veterinarian Recommendation of Cannabis Use Within the Veterinarian-Client-Patient-Relationship – *Christina Bradbury, DVM, and Richard Sullivan, DVM*
10. Update and Discussion Regarding Rulemaking Proposal to Amend CCR, Title 16, Sections 2064, 2065, 2065.1, 2065.2, 2065.6, 2065.7, 2065.8, and 2066, Regarding Registered Veterinary Technician (RVT) School Approval and RVT Student Exemption – *Leah Shufelt, RVT, and Jennifer Loreda, RVT*
11. Future Agenda Items and Meeting Dates
12. Adjournment

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