

COMMISSION ON DENTAL ACCREDITATION  
**Friday, August 9, 2024**  
Chicago, Illinois and Video Conference

**Call to Order: Friday, August 9, 2024**  
**9:00 a.m. Central Time, Open Session**

Dr. Maxine Feinberg, presiding

**I. Roll Call:** Dr. Evanthia Anadioti, Dr. Victor Badner, Dr. Keith Beasley, Dr. Indraneel Bhattacharyya (virtual), Dr. Jessica Lee, Ms. Margaret Bowman-Pensel, Dr. Carolyn Brown, Dr. Ngoc Chu, Dr. Joseph Cohen, Dr. Scott DeRossi, Dr. Cherae Farmer -Dixon, Dr. Maxine Feinberg (chair), Dr. Joseph Giovannitti, Ms. LaShun James, Dr. George Kushner, Dr. Cataldo Leone, Dr. Frank Licari (vice-chair), Dr. Paul Luepke, Ms. Lisa Mayer, Dr. Keith Mays, Ms. Martha McCaslin, Dr. Garry Myers, Dr. Monica Nenad, Dr. Lisa Nowlin, Dr. Cornelius Pitts, Dr. Jeffrey Price, Dr. Miriam Robbins, Dr. Nancy Rosenthal, Dr. Kenneth Sadler, Dr. Glenn Sameshima, Ms. Lonni Thompson, Dr. Deborah Weisfuse, and Mr. Noah Williams.

**Commissioner Trainees:** Ms. Jill Day, Dr. Catherine Hayes, Dr. Renee McCoy-Collins, Dr. Kanthasamy Ragananthan and Dr. Fabricio Teixeira.

**Commission Staff:** Dr. Sherin Tooks, *ex-officio* (senior director), Ms. Jamie Asher Hernandez, Ms. Katie Navickas, Dr. Yesenia Ruiz, Ms. Peggy Soeldner, Ms. Kelly Stapleton, managers, Ms. Marjorie Hooper, operations coordinator, and Ms. Samara Schwartz, senior associate general counsel, CODA.

**Trustee Liaison:** Dr. Brendan Dowd, Second District Trustee, Board of Trustees Liaison to CODA, American Dental Association (ADA).

**Guests:** Ms. Mandy Hayre, vice-chair, and Ms. Dawn Wilson, chief executive officer, Commission on Dental Accreditation of Canada (CDAC).

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| <b>II. Adoption of the Agenda</b>   | <b>Dr. Feinberg</b> |
| <b>III. Conflict of Interest Statement, Fiduciary Reminder, and Reminder of Professional Conduct Policy and Prohibition Against Harassment</b>  | <b>Ms. Schwartz</b> |
| <b>IV. Approve Minutes from Winter 2024 Meeting</b>   | <b>Dr. Feinberg</b> |
| <b>V. Mail Ballot Approved Since Last Commission Meeting</b>  | <b>Dr. Feinberg</b> |
| • None  |                     |
| <b>VI. Consent Agenda</b>   | <b>Dr. Feinberg</b> |
| <b>VII. Report of the Review Committee on Predoctoral Dental Education:</b> Dr. Cataldo Leone, Chair, Mr. Drew Christianson, Dr. Sillas Duarte, Dr. Kevin Haubrick, Ms. Wilhemina Leeuw, Dr. Ana Karina Mascarenhas, Dr. Thomas McConnell, Dr. Scott Phillips, and Dr. Deborah Weisfuse-Lipner. |                     |

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Dental Education Programs (p. 100)
- B. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Dental Therapy Education Programs (p. 101)
- C. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee to Review the Accreditation Standards for Dental Education Programs (p. 102)

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**Review Committee Minutes and New Business**

- VIII. Report of the Review Committee on Postdoctoral General Dentistry Education:** Dr. Miriam Robbins, Chair, Dr. Robert Hollowell, Dr. Jayson Huber, Dr. Edward O'Connor, Dr. Cornelius Pitts, Dr. Sally Placa, Dr. Steven Rhodes, Dr. Eric Sung, and Dr. Michelle Ziegler.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Advanced Education in General Dentistry (p. 200)
- B. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in General Practice Residency Programs (p. 201)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 202)
- D. Consideration of Proposed Revision to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Advanced Education in General Dentistry and General Practice Residency Related to the Optional 2nd year (p. 203)

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- IX. Report of the Review Committee on Dental Assisting Education:** Ms. Martha McCaslin, Chair, Ms. Julie Bera, Ms. Kimberly Bland, Dr. Martin Bloom, Dr. Jennifer Boyce, Ms. Heather Ferris, Dr. Preeti Sahasi, Ms. Staci Schory, Ms. Heather Seghi, and Ms. Diana Williams.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Dental Assisting Education Programs (p. 300)
- B. Report on the 2024 Validity and Reliability Study of the Accreditation Standards for Dental Assisting Education Programs (p. 301)

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- X. Report of the Review Committee on Dental Hygiene Education:** Dr. Monica Nenad, Chair, Ms. Denise Avrutik, Dr. Linda Boyd, Dr. Ngoc Chu, Ms. Mara Crow, Dr. Marcia Ditmyer, Ms. Patricia Guenther, Dr. James Harrison, Dr. Lorie Holt, Ms. Joanne Pacheco, Dr. Carole Palmer, Dr. Paul Francis Tayag Ayson, and Ms. Maiga Van Haalen.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Dental Hygiene Education Programs (p. 400)

- B. Consideration of the Report of the Ad Hoc Committee to Study Dental Hygiene Standards Related to Ratios (p. 401)

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- XI. **Report of the Review Committee on Dental Laboratory Technology Education:** Ms. Lonni Thompson, Chair, Ms. LaShun James, Ms. Sandra Kotowske, Mr. Steven Pigliacelli, and Dr. Arpana Verma.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Dental Laboratory Technology Education Programs (p. 500)
- B. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee to Study the Accreditation Standards for Dental Laboratory Technology Education Programs (p. 501)

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- XII. **Report of the Review Committee on Dental Public Health Education:** Dr. Victor Badner, Chair, Dr. Bruce Dye, Dr. Maya Popova, Dr. Shannon Smith-Stephens, and Dr. Robert Weyant.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Dental Public Health (p. 600)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 601)

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- XIII. **Report of the Review Committee on Endodontics Education:** Dr. Garry Myers, Chair, Dr. Carolyn Brown, Dr. Linda Casser, Dr. Gerald Glickman, Dr. Timothy Kirkpatrick, and Dr. Josanne O'Dell.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Endodontics (p. 700)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revision to the Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Endodontics Related to Program Director Full Time Status (p. 701)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revision to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 702)

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**IX. Report of the Review Committee on Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology Education:** Dr. Neel Bhattacharyya, Chair; Dr. Leticia Ferreira Cabido, Dr. Ashley Clark, Dr. Dara Rogers, and Ms. Lisa Mayer.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Education Programs in Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology (p. 800)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 801)

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**XV. Report of the Review Committee on Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Education:** Dr. Jeffery Price, Chair, Dr. KC Chan, Dr. Karen Parker-Davidson, Dr. Tena Phillips, and Dr. Sindhura Anamali Reddy.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology (p. 900)
- B. Report on the 2024 Validity and Reliability Study of the Accreditation Standards for Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology (p. 901)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 902)

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**XVI. Report of the Review Committee on Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Education:** Dr. George Kushner, Chair, Dr. Vasiliki Karlis, Dr. John Manahan, Dr. Pushkar Mehra, Dr. Jan Mitchell, and Dr. Vincent Perciaccante.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (p. 1000)
- B. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Clinical Fellowship Training Programs in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (p. 1001)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organizations and Authority to Operate (p. 1002)
- D. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to the Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (p. 1003)

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**XVII. Report of the Review Committee on Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics Education:** Dr. Glenn Sameshima, Chair, Dr. Sarandeep Huja, Dr. Howard Lieb, Ms. Marty Nicholson, Dr. Juan Palomo, and Dr. Emile Rossouw.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics (p.1100)
- B. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Clinical Fellowship Training Programs in Craniofacial and Special Care Orthodontics (p. 1101)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revision to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1103)

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**XVIII. Report of the Review Committee on Pediatric Dentistry Education:** Dr. Jessica Lee, Chair, Dr. James Boynton, Dr. Ana Keohane, Dr. Tad Mabry, Dr. Lisa Mayer, and Dr. Anupama Tate.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Pediatric Dentistry (p. 1200)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1201)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Anesthesia Standards of the Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Pediatric Dentistry (p. 1202)

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**XIX. Report of the Review Committee on Periodontics Education:** Dr. Paul Luepke (Chair), Dr. Wayne Kye, Dr. A.C. Liles, III, Dr. Angela Palaiologou-Gallis, Dr. Vishal Shah, and Dr. Dimitris Tatakis.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Periodontics (p. 1300)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revision to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1301)

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**XX. Report of the Review Committee on Prosthodontics Education:** Dr. Evanthia Anadioti, Chair; Dr. Linda Casser, Dr. David Felton, Dr. Sang Lee, Dr. Dean Morton, and Dr. Philip Rinaudo.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Prosthodontics (p. 1400)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1401)

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**XXI. Report of the Review Committee on Dental Anesthesiology Education:** Dr. Joseph Giovannitti, Chair, Ms. LaShun James, Dr. Gerard Kugel, Dr. Mana Saraghi, and Dr. Philip Yen.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards For Advanced Dental Education Programs in Dental Anesthesiology (2007) (p. 1500)
- B. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards For Advanced Dental Education Programs in Dental Anesthesiology (2023) (p. 1501)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revision to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1502)

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**XXII. Report of the Review Committee on Oral Medicine Education:** Dr. Scott DeRossi, Chair, Dr. Jennifer Barber, Dr. Michael DeBellis, Dr. Lina Mejia, and Dr. Thomas Sollecito.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Oral Medicine (p. 1600)
- B. Report on the 2024 Validity and Reliability Study of the Accreditation Standards for Oral Medicine (p. 1601)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1602)

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**XXIII. Report of the Review Committee on Orofacial Pain Education:** Dr. Joseph Cohen, Chair, Dr. Steve Bender, Dr. Reny de Leeuw, Dr. Bessie Katsilometes, and Dr. Robert Windsor.

- A. Informational Report on Frequency of Citings of Accreditation Standards For Advanced Dental Education Programs in Orofacial Pain (p. 1700)
- B. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs Related to Sponsoring Organization and Authority to Operate (p. 1701)
- C. Consideration of Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Standards for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Orofacial Pain (p. 1702)

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**XXIV. Miscellaneous Affairs – Consideration of Matters Relating to More than One Review Committee**

- A. Informational Report on Review Committee and Commission Meeting Dates (p.1800)  
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**Dr. Pitts**

**XXV. Miscellaneous Affairs – Matters for the Commission as a Whole**

- A. Report of the Standing Committee on Finance (p. 1900)

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- B. Report of the Standing Committee on Quality Assurance and Strategic Planning (p. 1901)

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- C. Report of the Standing Committee on Documentation and Policy Review (p. 1902)

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- D. Report of the Standing Committee on Communication and Technology (p. 1903)

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- E. Report of the Standing Committee on Site Visit Process and Training (p. 1904)

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- F. Report of the Standing Committee on Nominations (p. 1905)

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- G. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Development and Mega Issues (p. 1906)

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- H. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee to Study the Accreditation Standards Related to Diversity and Program Director On-Site Work Expectations in Dental, Advanced Dental and Allied Dental Education Programs (p. 1907)

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- I. Consideration of a Request to Establish a Process of Accreditation for Advanced Dental Education Programs in Operative Dentistry, Cariology and Biomaterials (p. 1908)

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- J. Consideration of a Request to Establish a Process of Accreditation for Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinical Fellowship Training Programs in Trigeminal Nerve Surgery and Disorders (p. 1909)

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- K. Report on Appointment of Commissioners and Appeal Board Members (p. 1910)

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- L. Election of Chair and Vice Chair of the Commission (p. 1911)

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- M. Report of the Commission on Dental Accreditation of Canada (CDAC) (p. 1912)

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**Ms. Mandy Hayre &  
Ms. Dawn Wilson**

- N. Update on USDE and Higher Education Accreditation Issues

**Dr. Tooks**

- O. Survey of Meeting (verbal)

**Dr. Tooks**

**XXVI. Recognition of Outgoing Commissioners**

**XXVII. New Business**

**XXVIII. Adjourn**



**CONSENT AGENDA**

**Mail Ballots Approved Since the Last Commission Meeting:**

- None

**Review Committee Reports:**

- None