



Government of the District of Columbia
Department of Health

BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

899 NORTH CAPITOL ST. NE
ROOM 216
WASHINGTON, DC 20002

September 22, 2015
9:30am-10:30am



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OPEN SESSION MINUTES SEPTEMBER 22, 2015

ATTENDANCE:

BOARD MEMBERS:		
	MELISSA MUSIKER, CHAIRPERSON	PRESENT
	JANET UNONU, MEMBER	PRESENT
STAFF:		
	ROBIN JENKINS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BOARDS OF ALLIED AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	PRESENT
	ERIC YEAGER, ESQ., HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	PRESENT
	LEONARD HOWARD, INVESTIGATOR	PRESENT
	PANRAVEE VONGJAROENRAT, ESQ., BOARD ATTORNEY	PRESENT
VISITORS	ALYSSA SMITH B. MICHELLE HARRIS	PRESENT PRESENT

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OS-0922-01	<p>SENIOR DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT <u>Board Action:</u> There was no report.</p>	
OS-0922-02	<p>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT <u>Board Action:</u> The Executive Director announced that she would be conducting a training session for all Members of the Allied and Behavioral Health Boards at the Department of Health office on Monday, September 28, 2015. She encouraged the Dietetics and Nutrition Board Members to attend. The Executive Director also announced that D.C. City Council Members Yvette Alexander and David Grosso are supporting legislation requiring that all professional health licensees complete two (2) CEUs of training directed at meeting the needs of the lesbian, gay, queer and transgender clients/patients for each license renewal.</p>	
OS-0922-03	<p>BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT <u>Board Action:</u> There was no report.</p>	
OS-0922-04	<p>BOARD CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT <u>Board Action:</u> The Board Chair said that she would like the Board and staff to be ready to conduct the CEU audit in early 2016.</p>	
OS-0922-05	<p>OPEN SESSION MINUTES <u>Board Action:</u> The Open Session Minutes of the June 25, 2015 meeting were approved.</p>	
OS-0922-06	<p>SCOPE OF PRACTICE DISCUSSION <u>Board Action:</u> The Board had only a very brief discussion on possible changes to the scope of practice definitions for each profession (Dietitians and Nutritionists). The Board Chair said that</p>	



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	she would like to stay in a holding pattern on this issue until another Member joins the Board.	
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