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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Health Systems & Preparedness Administration

BOARD OF PHARMACY

Open Session Agenda

December 3, 2026

9:30 AM

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BOARD MISSION STATEMENT:

"To protect and improve the public health through the efficient and effective regulation of the practice of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Detailing, through the licensure of Pharmacists, Pharmaceutical Detailers, Pharmacy Interns, and Pharmacy Technicians.

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BOARD MEETING PARTICIPANTS:

BOARD MEMBERS:	
Dr. Allison Hill, PharmD, RPh, Chairperson	
Dr. Benjamin Miles, PharmD, RPh, Vice Chairperson	
Mr. Rodrick McGill, Esq., Consumer Member	
Dr. Jewell Reddick, PharmD, RPh, Esq.	
Dr. Stephanie Johnican PharmD, RPh	
VACANT (Pharmacist Member)	
VACANT (Pharmacy Tech Member)	
BOARD STAFF:	
Dr. Monai Lowe, PharmD, RPh – Executive Director for the DC Board of Pharmacy	
Ms. Rona Rawls – Health Licensing Specialist	
Ms. Luanne Greenaway – Program Specialist	
LEGAL STAFF:	
Ms. Carla Williams, Esq. – Senior Assistant General Counsel	

MEETING ATTENDEES:	

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CALL TO ORDER		
OS-26-12-01 ALL	**INTRODUCTIONS** **A. BOARD MEMBERS** **B. BOARD DEPARTMENT STAFF**	

MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA		
OS-26-12-02	**OPEN SESSION AGENDA** **Board Action**: Review of the agenda to determine if there are any additions or revisions. Motion to accept the December 3, 2026 Open Session Agenda.	
OS-26-12-03	**OPEN SESSION MINUTES** **Board Action**: Review of the Open Session minutes from the following meeting: November 5, 2026 Open Session Meeting Minutes **Background**: The Open Session Minutes are a record of the Board's past meeting(s), describing the events, list of attendees; a statement of the issues considered and related responses or decisions of the Board.	
OS-26-12-04	**OPEN SESSION CONSENT AGENDA** **Board Action:** Consideration of the current open Consent Agenda items for purposes of review and/or ratification of Board actions taken since the last Board meeting. **Background:** The Open Consent Agenda is a record of the decisions and/or actions taken by the Board or its staff since the last meeting of the Board. **APPROVED APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2026** **First Name** | **Last Name** | **License Type** | **Date of Submission** | **Approved Date** Amanda | Fahy | PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS | 6/18/2026 | 11/3/2026 Michael | Romero | PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS | 10/13/2026 | 11/6/2026	

	Christina	Mossman	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	8/19/2026	11/10/2026	
	Matthew	Meistering	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	11/16/2026	11/19/2026	
	William	Thompson	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	11/13/2026	11/19/2026	
	Jacqueline	Metry	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	11/1/2026	11/5/2026	
	Nicole	Lawrence	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	10/7/2026	11/3/2026	
	Caroline	Maruca	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	10/8/2026	11/3/2026	
	Kelly	Riggs	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	10/20/2026	11/4/2026	
	Terri	Peterson	PHARMACEUTICAL DETAILERS	10/30/2026	11/12/2026	
	Vaibhavi	Raval	PHARMACIST	9/8/2026	11/6/2026	
	Saima	Noori	PHARMACIST	6/15/2026	11/19/2026	
	Rita	Chen	PHARMACIST	6/16/2026	11/24/2026	
	Aya	Burale	PHARMACIST	10/13/2026	11/12/2026	
	Michael	Barberio	PHARMACIST	10/27/2026	11/3/2026	
	Eziaku	Ogbonna	PHARMACIST	11/5/2026	11/6/2026	
	Rachel	Bernard	PHARMACIST	11/16/2026	11/18/2026	
	Brianna	Darbasie	PHARMACY INTERN	10/7/2026	11/9/2026	
	Bria	Khabeer	PHARMACY INTERN	11/3/2026	11/9/2026	
	Obinna	Okani	PHARMACY INTERN	11/19/2026	11/20/2026	
	Isaiah	O'Connor	PHARMACY INTERN	11/4/2026	11/6/2026	
	Makiyah	Allen	PHARMACY INTERN	11/3/2026	11/9/2026	
	Shelby	Cunningham	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/14/2026	11/3/2026	
	Uneida	Erving	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/4/2026	11/9/2026	
	Maribel	Campos	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/24/2026	11/4/2026	
	Tainesha	Richardson	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	7/17/2026	11/13/2026	
	Stephanie	Raymond	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	7/27/2026	11/2/2026	
	Zaakirah	Smith	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/13/2026	11/17/2026	
	Yenni	Bencosme Brito	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	9/8/2026	11/9/2026	
	Gilberto	Palma Castro	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/14/2026	11/2/2026	
	Donna Belle	Sevilles Requena	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/19/2026	11/2/2026	
	Andrea	Marcano	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/20/2026	11/10/2026	
	Austin	Williams	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/28/2026	11/18/2026	
	Rene Justin	Nillo	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/1/2026	11/6/2026	
	Marianna	Vavitsas	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/4/2026	11/17/2026	

	Shaheen	Ahmed	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/13/2026	11/16/2026	
	Julia	Jean	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/11/2026	11/18/2026	
	Feras	Naim	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/12/2026	11/18/2026	
	Destiny	Fennell	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/17/2026	11/18/2026	
	Jonjalena	Williams	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/23/2026	11/4/2026	
	Solita	Parker	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	11/14/2026	11/19/2026	
	Agnes	Nasike	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	9/28/2026	11/2/2026	
	Audrey	Randall	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN	10/16/2026	11/5/2026	
	Deonna	Ross	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	7/1/2026	11/3/2026	
	Micah	Fluellyn	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	8/18/2026	11/13/2026	
	Janell	Washington	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	9/9/2026	11/18/2026	
	Beautea	Davis	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/20/2026	11/19/2026	
	Dawanda	Robinson	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/14/2026	11/20/2026	
	Mohamma d Fahmid	Hasan	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/18/2026	11/10/2026	
	Camryn	Wagner	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/23/2026	11/3/2026	
	Jazmyn	Ellis	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/23/2026	11/16/2026	
	Nya	Blacknall	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/26/2026	11/2/2026	
	NyQuera	Johnson	PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINEE	10/29/2026	11/9/2026	
	Rita	Chen	VACC/IMM AGENT	6/16/2026	11/24/2026	
	HAZAR	METAYER	VACC/IMM AGENT	10/28/2026	11/20/2026	
	Rachel	Bernard	VACC/IMM AGENT	11/18/2026	11/18/2026	

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BOARD/DEPARTMENT REPORT

A. BOARD CHAIR'S REPORT: Verbal Report

B. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

i. DC Health Updates

The Executive Director will provide an update on the District of Columbia responses to public health issues/concerns.

ii. PDMP UPDATE

The PDMP Pharmacist will provide an update on the PDMP

iii. Board Vacancies/MOTA Update

The Executive Director will provide an update on current Board vacancies.

iv. Licensure Census

The Executive Director will provide an update on the current licensure census in the District of Columbia.

C. BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT:

- *Final Order Denying Registration* for pharmacy technician applicant, **Brieta Mitchell**, is now published on the District of Columbia's online licensure verification site at https://dohenterprise.my.salesforce.com/sfc/p/#t0000000Cmnq/a/eq00000aVmZt/0JDzsi.9P0v8pWEKNa_cPvAd7E7bMapUOUUtVF.Mzfk.
- *Final Order Denying Registration* for pharmacy technician trainee applicant, **Karlo Villanueva**, is now published on the District of Columbia's online licensure verification site at https://dohenterprise.my.salesforce.com/sfc/p/#t0000000Cmnq/a/eq00000ZPf2D/kM_GBSww.WEoCIG5aX33s3oKU6c1tdzYQuaRLCTQZXE.
- *Revocation Order* for pharmacy technician **Morgan Burnett** is now published on the District of Columbia's online licensure verification site at https://dohenterprise.my.salesforce.com/sfc/p/#t0000000Cmnq/a/eq00000ZqdIw/pJgqKf7MzHpt4qpNB1yUI6l1S9dVgeAU37WAYNlNRFs.

D. LEGISLATIVE & REGULATORY SUBCOMMITTEE'S REPORT:

E. OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT RELATION'S REPORT:

Vaccine Administration Protection Amendment Act of 2026

- On February 26, 2026 at the request of the Mayor, Chairman Mendelson introduced the *Vaccine Administration Protection Amendment Act of 2026* (B26-0606).

- This legislation would provide civil liability protections for licensed, certified, and registered healthcare professionals, including pharmacists, who are authorized to prescribe, dispense, order, furnish, or administer vaccines. The protections would apply to eligible vaccines administered in accordance with District law or specified public health guidance, except in cases involving gross negligence or willful misconduct.

- The Committee on Health held a public hearing on September 24, 2026. DC Health testified in support of the legislation.
- The Committee held a markup on November 16, 2026 during which language was added to authorize dentists certified by the *Board of Dentistry* to administer vaccines. The Committee unanimously approved the legislation, which now awaits further consideration by the full Council. We anticipate this will become law in early 2027.

Student Health Care Amendment Act of 2026

- On May 11, 2026 at the request of the Mayor, Chairman Mendelson introduced the *Student Health Care Amendment Act of 2026* (B26-0688).
  - The legislation would standardize annual student health documentation and formally transfer responsibility for managing undesignated epinephrine in public schools from the *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* (OSSE) to DC Health. It would also designate the Maryland Poison Center, operated by the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy, as the District's official poison control center, replacing the National Capital Poison Center.
- The bill has been jointly referred to the Committee on Health and the Committee of the Whole, and a hearing was held on September 24, 2026. The bill remains under Committee consideration; however, several of its provisions are advancing through B26-0725.

School Health Certificate Modernization Amendment Act of 2026

- On July 6, 2026 Councilmember Henderson introduced the *School Health Certificate Modernization Amendment Act of 2026* (B26-0725).
  - The legislation would require DC Health to establish a digital system for healthcare providers to submit

student health documentation and would prohibit providers from charging families for completing required health certificates. The legislation would also require DC Health to adjust health professional licensing fees based on a structure informed by average regional salaries. This could affect licensing and registration fees for pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and other licensed healthcare professionals.

- A public hearing was held on September 24, 2026 followed by a markup on November 16, 2026. During markup, the Committee incorporated several provisions from B26-0688, including transferring responsibility for the undesignated epinephrine program to DC Health and designating the Maryland Poison Center as the District's poison control center. The revised legislation would also require DC Health to continue providing emergency epinephrine administration training to school staff. The Committee unanimously approved the revised legislation, which awaits further Council consideration.

Healthcare Facilities Regulation Amendment Act of 2026

- On September 16, 2026 at the request of the Mayor, Chairman Mendelson introduced the *Healthcare Facilities Regulation Amendment Act of 2026* (B26-0799).
  - The legislation seeks to strengthen DC Health's regulatory oversight of healthcare facilities and improve patient safety.
- The Committee on Health held a public hearing on October 14, 2026 followed by a markup on November 16, 2026. During markup, the Committee significantly narrowed the legislation, retaining provisions that would strengthen DC Health's ability to enforce federal patient safety requirements and impose penalties for facility conditions likely to result in serious patient injury, harm, or death. The revised legislation would also authorize DC Health to issue restricted licenses to healthcare facilities that fail to meet Clean Hands requirements, allowing continued limited operations while restricting new admissions or certain services. The Committee removed several provisions from the introduced legislation, including the proposed adverse-event and cybersecurity reporting requirements, to allow additional time for review. While the legislation primarily addresses healthcare facility regulation rather than pharmacy licensure, its patient safety and enforcement provisions could

	indirectly affect pharmacy-related services provided within regulated healthcare facilities. The Committee unanimously approved the revised legislation, which awaits further Council consideration. ***Health Occupations and Emergency Medical Services Amendment Act of 2026*** ➢ On September 29, 2026 at the request of the Mayor, Chairman Mendelson introduced the *Health Occupations and Emergency Medical Services Amendment Act of 2026* (B26-0833). ○ The legislation would amend the Health Occupations Revision Act (HORA) to modernize health professional licensing and regulatory board administration, and establish a *Board of Emergency Medical Services*. Of particular relevance to the Board of Pharmacy, the legislation would allow individuals as young as 16 who have earned or are actively pursuing a high school diploma or equivalent to qualify as pharmacy technician trainees, subject to restrictions established by the Mayor. The legislation would also authorize temporary appointments to professional licensing boards when more than 50% of board seats are vacant, expand boards' authority to establish subcommittees and task forces, and strengthen investigative and subpoena authority. Additional provisions would modify certain requirements for healthcare professionals licensed in other jurisdictions (create a temporary waiver process for certain foreign-licensed health professionals) and modernize criminal background check procedures. ➢ The bill has been referred to the Committee on Health with comments from the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety, but no hearing has been scheduled yet and remains under Committee consideration.	
OS-26-12-06	**NABP E-NEWSLETTER** **Board Action:** No action required **Background:** Highlights from the September 2026 NABP E-Newsletters. **November 18, 2026** ▪ FDA Highlights Potential Risk of Rare Eye Condition Associated With GLP-1 Medications.	

	▪ Report Examines Legal and Safety Concerns of Prescription Drug Importation. ▪ Canadian Company CANARX Accused of Illegal Prescription Drug Importation. ▪ *NABP Blog*: 'Current Trends in Pharmacy Education: A Q&A With Malcolm J. Broussard.' ▪ Deadline Approaching for 2027 NABP Leadership Award Nominations. Note to the Public: To receive weekly updates from NABP, please sign up by using the following link: https://nabp.pharmacy/newsroom/news/.	

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PUBLIC COMMENTS		
OS-26-12-07	**Public Comments**	

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'*Motion to Temporarily Close the Open Public Session Portion of the Meeting*,' and
'Open Session Board Report.'

MOTION TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE		
OS-26-12-08	**MOTION TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE** **Board Action:** The Board member should move as follows: "***Madam Chair, I move that the Board temporarily close the Open Public session portion of the meeting and move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 2-575(b)b for the following purposes: to discuss disciplinary matters pursuant to § 2-575(b)(9); to seek the advice of counsel to the board, to preserve the attorney-client privilege, or to approve settlement agreements pursuant to § 2-575(b)(4); and to plan, discuss, or hear reports concerning ongoing or planned investigations pursuant to § 2-575(b)(14)***." ROLL CALL VOTE This concludes the Public Open Session of the meeting. The Board will now move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 2-575(b) for the reasons set forth in the motion. The Board will temporarily adjourn the Open Session and will reconvene at a later time. Open Session Meeting Closed at __:__ This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising from this meeting to the Office of Open Government at opengovoffice@dc.gov.	

OPEN SESSION BOARD REPORT		
OS-26-12-09	**Board Action:** Board report, as appropriate, of actions taken during the executive session.	

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MOTION TO ADJOURN		
OS-26-12-10	**MOTION TO ADJOURN** **Board Action:** To adjourn the meeting. **Background:** At the end of every meeting, a motion to adjourn must be made in the Open Session to close out the business of the Board. **Board of Pharmacy Meeting Adjourned at __ : __ AM**	

The next Board meeting is VIRTUAL and will be held on January 7, 2027.

This ends the Open Session Agenda.

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