

April 23, 2021

Washington State Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission



Commission Business Meeting Agenda

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**April 23, 2021
Commission Business Meeting**

Agenda

Time: 9:00 AM (Open Session)
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9:00 am

- 1. Call to Order** Tim Lynch, Chair *Action*
 - 1.1** Meeting Agenda Approval – April 23, 2021
 - 1.2** Meeting Minutes Approval – March 4, 2021
 - 1.3** Meeting Minutes Approval -March 5, 2021

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9:10 am

- 2. EXECUTIVE SESSION.** The Commission will meet in executive session to discuss with legal counsel representing the Commission matters relating to Commission enforcement actions, or to discuss with legal counsel representing the Commission litigation or potential litigation to which the Commission is, or is likely to become, a party, when public knowledge regarding the discussion is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the Commission pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(i). This event is not open to the public.

10:15 am

- 3a. Consent Agenda** Items listed under the consent agenda are considered routine and necessary commission matters and will be approved by a single motion of the Commission without separate discussion. If separate discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and placed on the regular business agenda. *Action item.*

3.1 National Precursor Log Exchange Monthly Dashboard-March

3.2 Pharmaceutical Firms Application Report

- February 12th thru March 30, 2021– new and closed firms

3.3 Ancillary Utilization Plans Approval –

- 3.3.1 Alto Pharmacy
- 3.3.2 Bonney Lake Pharmacy
- 3.3.3 Cascade Park
- 3.3.4 Evergreen Hospital Medical Center Pharmacy
- 3.3.5 Mary Bridge Children’s Hospital
- 3.3.6 Pharm-A-Save Granite Falls
- 3.3.7 Providence Sacred Heart-Providence
- 3.3.8 St. Joseph Medical Center Pharmacy
- 3.3.9 Virginia Mason Hospital Pharmacy
- 3.3.10 Washington Center for Bleeding Disorders

3.4 Pharmacy Technician Training Program Approval

- 3.2.1 Bartell Drugs
- 3.2.2 Chastains-Own Pharmacy
- 3.2.3 Fred Meyer
- 3.2.4 Purdy Cost Less
- 3.2.5 Saars Supermarket
- 3.2.6 The Owl Tri State

- 3b. Regular Agenda/Items Pulled from 2a.** The Commission will discuss items removed from the consent agenda and placed on the regular agenda for separate discussion.

10:45 am

- 4. Old Business** – The Commission will discuss, for clarification or decision, ongoing topics and issues from previous meetings. *Information/Action.*

4.1 Re-approval and re-authorization of SSB 6086 Rule Language

4.2 Virtual Inspections Presentation

- 4.3 Re-authorization of Retired Pharmacist Status Emergency Rules
- 4.4 WAC 246-945-585 Zero reports/ Suspicious Order Process Update

Break (10 minutes if needed)

11:30 am

- 5. **New Business** –The Commission will review items of interest related to pharmacy practice for discussion, clarification, information or action by or on behalf of the commission.

Information/Action.

- 5.1 Wholesaler Third Party Inspection Program Request: National Coalition for Drug Quality & Security
- 5.2 Clarification of Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) Compounds other than Delta-9 under Chapter 69.50 RCW
- 5.3 Rules Petition

12:15 pm

- 6. **Rules and Legislative Session Updates - *Information/Action.***

- 6.1 2021 Legislation Update – Bill Report
- 6.2 Medication Assistance Emergency and Permanent Rulemaking Update

12:45

- 7. **Requests for Review by Commission Panel**

- 7.1 Approval from applicant:
 - Consider for approval a study plan submitted by applicant to retake NAPLEX and MPJE

1:15 pm

- 8. **Open Forum** (10 minutes)

The purpose of the open forum is to provide the public an opportunity to address the Commission on issues of significance to or affecting the practice of pharmacy. Discussion items may not relate to topics for which a hearing has or will be scheduled. ***Information Only.***

1:30 pm

- 9. **Commission Member Reports - *Information/Action.***

- 9.1 Commissioner Reports
- 9.2 Commissioners' open discussion related to items or issues relevant to Commission business/pharmacy practice.

1:40 pm

- 10. **Staff Reports *Information/Action.***

- 10.1 Executive Director – Lauren Lyles-Stolz
- 10.2 Deputy Director – Christie Strouse
- 10.3 Assistant Attorney General – Christopher Gerard

1:50 pm

11. Summary of Meeting Action Items – Commissioner and staff will revisit action items identified during today’s business meeting.

2:00 pm (approximately)
Business Meeting Adjourned.

**Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission
Mission Statement**

The mission of the Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission is to promote public health and safety by establishing the highest standards in the practice of pharmacy and to advocate for patient safety through effective communication with the public, profession, Department of Health, Governor, and the Legislature.

Vision Statement

The Washington State Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission leads in creating a climate for the patient-focused practice of pharmacy as an integral part of an accessible, quality-based health care system.

- As a result, the citizens of Washington State:
- Are well informed about medications;
- Take responsibility for their health;
- Utilize pharmacists and other health care providers appropriately; and
- Experience the highest level of health and wellness.

Next scheduled business meeting:

June 3-4, 2021
Business Meetings
9:00 a.m.
Virtual – by Webinar

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Commission Meeting Schedule

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Date	Time	Location
January 22, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar
March 4-5, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar
April 23, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar
June 3 – 4, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar
July 15 – 16, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar
September 2 – 3, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar/TBD
October 21 – 22, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar/TBD
December 16 – 17, 2021	9:00 a.m.	By Webinar/TBD