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MAINE BOARD OF PHARMACY
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Joan F. Cohen
Commissioner

PUBLIC BOARD MEETING
June 5, 2025
AGENDA

Location:

Physical Location: Central Conference Room at the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Gardiner Annex, 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, ME

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Virtual Zoom Link:

<https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/83957301124?pwd=K3NZFG8XTbMt0kdMarRZRncYA81Vzp.1>

The Zoom link for virtual observation is also posted on the board's website

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Board Member Participation:

Board members may participate remotely in Board meetings pursuant to Title 1, Section 403-B and the Board Member Remote Participation Policy adopted by the Board on May 4, 2023.

Public Participation:

Regardless of whether the Board meets in-person or by remote virtual means via Zoom, the public may observe the board meeting in-person at the location described above or may choose to join virtually (see the link above).

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. BOARD MANAGER REPORT

Penny Vaillancourt, OPOR Director

III. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL

May 1, 2025

IV. COMPLAINT PRESENTATIONS AND BOARD ACTION

1. 2024-PHA-19853
2. 2024-PHA-19954
3. 2024-PHA-20033
4. 2024-PHA-20069

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5. 2024-PHA-20358
6. 2025-PHA-20519
7. 2025-PHA-20624
8. 2025-PHA-20692
9. 2023-PHA-19347
10. 2024-PHA-20040
11. 2024-PHA-20039
12. 2024-PHA-20038
13. 2024-PHA-20037
14. 2024-PHA-20036
15. 2024-PHA-20035
16. 2025-PHA-20716
17. 2025-PHA-20717
18. 2025-PHA-20718
19. 2023-PHA-19550
20. 2024-PHA-19852
21. 2024-PHA-19867
22. 2024-PHA-19974
23. 2024-PHA-20063
24. 2024-PHA-20271
25. 2024-PHA-20270
26. 2024-PHA-20353
27. 2024-PHA-20454
28. 2024-PHA-20455
29. 2024-PHA-20453
30. 2024-PHA-20448
31. 2024-PHA-20449

V. WAIVER REQUEST

1. Pen Bay Hospital (HOS20)

Waiver request of Board Rule Chapter 20 subchapter 2 –Automated Pharmacy Systems (Institutional Pharmacies).

2. Bucksport Regional Health Center (PH50001753)

Waiver request of Board rule Chapter 13, subchapter 2-1 – 40 hours a week rule

3. Jigneshkumar Bhagat

Waiver Request of Board Rule Chapter 4, subsection 6 – “FPGEC” certificate requirement

VI. ADVISORY RULING

1. Epicur Pharma

MFO exemption fee for Veterinary Use only Opioids

VII. BOARD OBLIGATIONS FOR PERMANENT PHARMACY CLOSURES

Board Rule Chapter 13, subchapter 9

Presenter – Reid Hayton-Hull, AAG



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VIII. 121st 2025 NABP ANNUAL MEETING UPDATE

Presenters – Bradley Hamilton and Eric Norberg

IX. APPLICATION REVIEW AND BOARD ACTION

1. Reia, LLC (Initial)
2. Almac Clinical Services (Initial)
3. Pharmaceutical Trade Services Inc. (Initial)

X. PUBLIC OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

(Board President Statement) “Under this item, the Board may offer an opportunity to members of the public listening in to comment on any public matter under the jurisdiction of the Board. While the Board cannot take action on any issues presented, nor can it respond to or debate decisions made today, including matters relating to complaint cases that may be on the agenda. The board will listen to comments and may ask staff to place the issue on a subsequent agenda. At the discretion of the Board President a time limit on comments may be set.”

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to 1 M.R.S. §406 public notice has been met by publication in an area newspaper where the meeting is held. This is a virtual board meeting and is open to members of the public, but not for public participation. Information to join this meeting is on the Board’s website. Please contact Celia Robinson if you wish to confirm this meeting date or check our web site at www.maine.gov/professionallicensing

The Board may address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Board or to aid in the efficiency of effectiveness of the meeting. The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

