BOARD ACTIONS AT DEC. 14 MEETING

The California State Board of Pharmacy took action on the following proposed regulations at a Dec. 14 meeting in Glendale, CA:

- Finalized text for regulations related to standardized reporting of convictions and discipline at the time of license renewal by pharmacists, pharmacy technicians and designated representatives. The text of the regulations – Title 16, California Code of Regulations (CCR) sections 1702, 1702.1, 1702.2 and 1702.5 – may be viewed here.
- Modified a proposed regulation, CCR section 1715.65, related to inventory reconciliation reports of controlled substances and directed staff to notice the modified text for a 15day comment period.
- Approved an amendment to CCR section 1735.2, related to the compounding selfassessment form, and directed staff to notice the proposed compounding selfassessment form for a 45-day comment period.
- Approved draft language and directed initiation of a rulemaking to amend CCR section 1793.5, related to the pharmacy technician application form.

In addition, the board directed the Licensing Committee to review statutes that would be needed to authorize the use of automated drug delivery systems in fire stations for restocking ambulances.

The board also announced the following two public meetings:

- January 4, 2017 Enforcement and Compounding Committee, Sacramento
- January 10, 2017 Licensing Committee, Sacramento.

Links to agendas for committee meetings can be found on the board's website <u>here</u>.

A webcast of the Dec. 14 board meeting, as well as the agenda and meeting materials, may be found <u>here</u>.

The next board meeting is scheduled for Jan. 24-25 at the Hilton Glendale hotel in Glendale, CA. Details about the schedule and agenda items will be posted on the board's <u>website</u> as information becomes available. The agenda will be released at least 10 days before the meeting.

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