Board of Pharmacy Update

Welcome to a monthly roundup of news and activities from the California State Board of Pharmacy.

Recent news:

- Board member Amjad Khan has resigned.
- The board is now sending subscriber alerts about board activities and events to a
 new email listserv called "News and Information." Subscribers will receive
 notifications about board and committee meetings, rulemakings, new laws and
 regulations, press releases, consumer tips, and other general news and information.
 Anyone may sign up to receive these alerts at the <u>Board of Pharmacy Email</u>
 Registration webpage.
- A new brochure to help licensees understand and prepare for board inspections is now available online. To view and download the brochure, go to www.pharmacy.ca.gov, click on the "Licensees" tab at the top of the homepage and go to Important Information for Licensees > Publications > Pharmacy Inspections.

Coming up:

- The Compounding Committee is set to meet Sept. 5 and Sept. 24. The Sept. 5
 meeting will be at the University of Southern California Orange County Center, 2300
 Michelson Drive, Irvine, CA 92612; the agenda and meeting materials are posted on
 the Compounding Committee webpage.
- The board is set to meet Sept. 13 at 2720 Gateway Oaks Drive, Sacramento, CA 95833. The agenda and meeting materials will be posted on the board's meeting webpage.
- The board is hosting free CE training on drug abuse and drug diversion for pharmacists Sept. 17 in Elk Grove. Pharmacists can earn at least six hours of CE credit. In addition, participants who attend an extra session on naloxone will receive another hour of credit for a total of seven CE units. To register, email your full name and license number to registration@dca.ca.gov.
- The Licensing Committee is set to meet Sept. 25 at 2720 Gateway Oaks Drive, Sacramento, CA 95833. The agenda and meeting materials will be posted on the Licensing Committee webpage.
- An Enforcement Committee meeting scheduled for Sept. 25 has been canceled. The
 meeting will be rescheduled and posted on the <u>Enforcement Committee webpage</u>.

A final word:

 Are you waiting for CPJE results? The board releases examination results only after validating the results are psychometrically sound pursuant to Business and

- Professions Code section 139. If you have not received your results after 90 days after taking the exam, please email the board at intern-examstatus@dca.ca.gov.
- This is the last monthly news roundup that will be sent to individual facilities, pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, intern pharmacists, and designated representatives. To continue receiving monthly roundups, please go to the <u>Board of Pharmacy Email Registration</u> webpage and follow the instructions to subscribe to "News and Information" email notices.

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