

## **Board Meeting Actions – May 7, 2020**

The California State Board of Pharmacy met via teleconference May 7, 2020. The Board took the following actions:

- Re-elected President Greg Lippe, Vice President Debbie Veale, and Treasurer Maria Serpa to one-year terms as officers.
- Delegated authority to the president to grant Pharmacy Law waivers for up to 90 days and to extend existing waivers for up to 90 additional days.
- Approved a proposed regulation to add Title 16, CCR section 1714.3, Community Pharmacy Staffing.
- Approved a proposed regulation to amend Title 16, CCR sections 1769 and 1770, Substantial Relationship and Rehabilitation Criteria. The Board voted to approve the regulation, including nonsubstantive changes.
- Approved a proposed regulation to amend Title 16, CCR sections 1702, 1702.1, 1702.2, and 1702.5, Renewal Requirements.
- Approved a proposed regulation to amend Title 16, CCR section 1707, Off-Site Storage. The Board voted to amend the proposed language and initiate a 15-day comment period.
- Reviewed each Board committee's strategic goals.
- Approved a revised policy statement regarding applicability of Board compounding regulations and USP compounding changes.

The Board also extended the following limited Pharmacy Law waivers that were previously granted by the president and would expire before the Board's June 2020 meeting:

- Stanford Health – Waiver of Title 16, CCR sections 1735.1(af), 1735.6(e), and 1751.8(c), granted March 9, 2020 – To allow compounding of a medium risk investigational drug in a noncompliant compounding environment. Waiver is extended for up to 120 days.
- CAP Rx Inc. – Waiver of BPC section 4126.8 and Title 16, CCR section 1725.1(x), granted March 12, 2020 – To allow for alternative use of PPE by staff performing hazardous nonsterile compounding under specific conditions. Waiver is modified and extended at the discretion of the president.

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