

Board Meeting Highlights – January 26 – 27, 2026

The California State Board of Pharmacy took the following actions at its meeting on January 26 – 27, 2026:

- Approved minutes of the November 5-6, 2025 Board meeting and the December 3, 2025 Disciplinary Petition Committee Meeting.
- Regarding the proposed amendments to California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1707.4 related to central fill pharmacies: Accepted the Board staff recommended comment responses and modified regulation text consistent with the Board's discussion and approved the modified text to be released for a 45-day public comment period. Additionally, if no adverse comments are received during the 45-day comment period, authorized the Executive Officer (EO) to take all steps necessary to complete the rulemaking process and adopt the proposed regulation text at section 1707.4. Further, delegated to the EO the authority to make technical or nonsubstantive changes if required by the control agencies to complete the rulemaking file.
- Delegated to the Chair of the Enforcement and Compounding Committee to work with staff to conduct listening session(s) on the duty to consult, and authorized the Chair to modify listening session questions according to the intended audience.
- Approved Frequently Asked Questions related to the Board's regulations on compounded drug preparations that took effect on October 1, 2025.
- Approved a newly developed and updated Community Pharmacy Self-Assessment/Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy Self-Assessment form.
- Approved a draft policy statement regarding Pharmacy Intern Hours Earned Outside of Formal Experiential Training as presented. Approved sponsoring legislation to amend BPC section 4114 (related to pharmacist to intern pharmacist ratio) consistent with the Board's discussion.
- Regarding a proposal to amend BPC sections 4402 and 4400 and add section 4212, to establish provisions for a retired advanced pharmacist practitioner license and clarify provisions regarding cancellation of such license: Approved sponsoring a legislative change based on the proposal as presented.

- Regarding a proposal to make technical and nonsubstantive statutory changes affecting the practice of pharmacy: Authorized staff to work with the Legislature to secure statutory changes based on the proposal as presented, and delegated to the President to work with staff to determine any further technical and nonsubstantive statutory changes to pharmacy law as may be necessary.
- Approved updates to the Board Member Procedure Manual consistent with the Board's discussion.

Additional information about action items can be found online in the January 26-27, 2026 meeting materials on the [Board website](#).

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