PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, December 1, 2016
Upon Conclusion of the Joint Meeting of the Dental Board and Dental Assisting Council
Embassy Suites San Francisco Airport Waterfront
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MEMBERS OF THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE COMMITTEE
Chair – Thomas Stewart, DDS
Vice Chair – Steve Afriat
Yvette Chappell-Ingram, Public Member
Huong Le, DDS, MA
Meredith McKenzie, Public Member
Bruce Whitcher, DDS
Debra Woo, DDS, MA

1. Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum
Dr. Thomas Stewart, Chair, called the meeting to order at 8:28 a.m. Roll was called and a quorum established.

2. Approval of the December 3, 2015 Prescription Drug Abuse Committee Meeting Minutes
M/S/C Afriat/ Woo to approve the December 3, 2015 minutes.

Support: Chappell-Ingram, Le, Whitcher, & Woo  Oppose: 1 Abstain: Afriat
The motion passed.

3. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Communication Plan Regarding Opioid Prescription Abuse and Misuse for Posting on the Board’s Web Site
Mr. Alvarez gave an overview of the information provided.

M/S/C Stewart/Whitcher to approve the Subcommittee’s recommendation to the Board to establish a communication plan relating to opioid abuse and misuse which includes a webpage dedicated to prescription drug resources; and to approve the posting of these resource link to its website beginning January 1, 2017.

Support: Stewart, Afriat, Chappell-Ingram, Le, Whitcher, Woo  Oppose: 0 Abstain: 0
The motion passed.
PDA 4 - Public Comment of Items Not on the Agenda
There was no public comment.

PDA 5 - Future Agenda Items
There were no future agenda item requests.

PDA 6 - Committee Member Comments for Items Not on the Agenda
There were no committee member comments.

PDA 7 - Adjournment
The meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

4. Public Comment of Items Not on the Agenda
The Committee may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during the Public Comment section that is not included on this agenda, except whether to decide to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting (Government Code §§ 11125 and 11125.7(a)).

5. Future Agenda Items
Stakeholders are encouraged to propose items for possible consideration by the Committee at a future meeting.

6. Committee Member Comments for Items Not on the Agenda
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7. Adjournment