NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE
BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE AND SURGERY
WEBEX MEETING
Date Posted October 15, 2020
REVISED Date Posted October 21, 2020

Staybridge Suites
Staybridge Room
2701 Fletcher Avenue
Lincoln, NE 68504
Wednesday
October 28, 2020
9:00 a.m.

This meeting will be held by WebEx conference. The Board Members will be calling in from the following addresses and the public is welcome to attend any Open Session discussion at the Staybridge Suites (if attending at the Staybridge Suites - Public will need to stop at the main receptionist desk for a visitor’s badge) and at any of the locations listed below. Due to the coronavirus threat a WebEx line has also been established for the public to call in rather than visit one of the open meeting locations. If you wish to attend the meeting by WEBEX please let Jan Gadeken-Harris know by October 26, 2020 via email at janis.gadeken-harris@nebraska.gov.

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For information, contact Jan Harris, Health Licensing Coordinator, at 402/471-2118, or Janis.Gadeken-Harris@nebraska.gov.

AGENDA

1. Roll Call & Announcement: There is a current copy of the Open Meetings Act available in the meeting room.
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes – July 29, 2020
   (Approx. time to go into Closed Session: 9:05)
   (The Board will go into closed session for the purpose of review and discussion of investigative reports, licensure applications, and other confidential information, and for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of the individuals.)
   A. Investigation Cases
   B. Probation Compliance Monitoring Report
   C. Proposed Agreed Settlement
   (Approx. time to reconvene Open Session: 10:30)
6. Application Review - OPEN SESSION (0)
7. Discussion regarding the need for additional Assistant Attorney Generals to support the Boards
8. NVMA (Nebraska Veterinary Medical Association) Winter Meeting – January 28, 2021
9. Practice Question(s)
   A. A doctor has an established VCPR with a patient and client, however the doctor is out of the office and has not examined the patient themselves for the condition for which the patient needs a prescription. Is it legal for another doctor in the practice to write the prescription?
10. Regulation Updates
11. 2020 Legislation Updates
12. 2020 AAVSB Annual Meeting and Conference Virtual Event – September 22 – October 8, 2020 – Updates
13. Awards Presentation for Retiring Veterinary Board Member – Micah Kohles, DVM, MPA, Chairperson
14. Schedule Next Meeting Date
15. Adjournment

***The Board will work through LUNCH***

If auxiliary aids or reasonable accommodations are needed (voice), or if individuals with hearing impairments require accommodations (voice and TDD) in order to participate, please call Jan Gadeken-Harris, Licensure Unit at (402) 471-2118. Individuals with hearing impairments requesting accommodations may also call Nebraska Relay System at 711 TDD prior to the meeting date. Advance notice of seven days is needed when requesting interpreter. All items known at time of distribution of this agenda are listed; a current agenda is available in the Licensure Unit, 1st Floor, State Office Building, and 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska.