

Board Meeting Actions – April 29-30, 2021

The California State Board of Pharmacy took the following actions during a meeting April 29-30, 2021:

- Elected new Board officers for terms beginning June 1, 2021: Dr. Seung Oh, president; Dr. Maria Serpa, vice president; and Jignesh “Jig” Patel, treasurer.
- Updated the responsibilities of Board president and vice president to include duties delegated by the Board.
- Voted to develop a policy statement regarding academic misconduct and codes of conduct.
- Voted to approve an audit of the Multistate Pharmacy Jurisprudence Examination (MPJE) and, if appropriate, transition to MPJE from California Practice Standards and Jurisprudence Examination (CPJE).
- Voted to expand the Board’s current policy and statutory proposal regarding authority for pharmacists to order and perform tests to include authority for all CLIA-waived tests and to make permanent the provisions related to specimen collection.
- Approved changes to a draft pharmacy workforce survey regarding medication errors.
- Approved update to Board-provided training program related to furnishing HIV preexposure and postexposure prophylaxis (PrEP and PEP).
- Voted to enter the FDA Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) on Interstate Distribution of Compounded Drug Products provided sufficient resources and statutory changes are secured.

The Board also voted positions on the following legislation:

- [Assembly Bill 2](#): Oppose.
- [Assembly Bill 29](#): Oppose unless amended.
- [Assembly Bill 69](#): Oppose unless amended.
- [Assembly Bill 107](#): Oppose unless amended.
- [Assembly Bill 225](#): Oppose unless amended.
- [Assembly Bill 527](#): Support.
- [Assembly Bill 671](#): Support.
- [Assembly Bill 1064](#): Support.
- [Assembly Bill 1236](#): Oppose unless amended.
- [Assembly Bill 1328](#): Support.
- [Assembly Bill 1430](#): Oppose.
- [Assembly Bill 1533](#): Support.
- [Senate Bill 306](#): Support if amended.
- [Senate Bill 362](#): Support if amended.

- [Senate Bill 524](#): Support.
- [Senate Bill 731](#): Oppose unless amended.

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