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## **MSBDE Committee Meeting – Anesthesia Advisory Panel January 07<sup>th</sup>, 2025 5:30 p.m.**

The Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners is a statutorily created regulatory agency charged with safeguarding the consumers of professional dental services in Mississippi. The “Board” accomplishes this mission through the vetting of applicants for dental and dental hygiene licensure and through the enforcement of the laws and regulations related thereto. The Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners is neither affiliated with nor functions as a subsidiary of any private or professional organization.

Pursuant to 30 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2301, R. 1.30, the Board-appointed Anesthesia Advisory Panel reviews and makes recommendations regarding Board Regulation 30 – Administration of Anesthesia.

The meeting of the Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners, or committee thereof, is open to the public. Virtual attendance will NOT be available. In-person attendance will be at the Board’s office located at:

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### **5:30pm**

1. Determination of a quorum (**Hydrick**)
2. Welcome and review of agenda (**Hydrick**)
3. Staff update re: Consideration of Approval of Sedation Courses (**Hydrick/Vaughn**)
  - a. Vesper Institute
  - b. Western Surgical
4. Facility Inspections – Update (**Hydrick/Vaughn**)
5. Discussion re: Facility Inspection Regulatory Requirements (**Hydrick/Mutziger**)
6. Other Business
7. Adjourn

## Denny Hydrick

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**From:** April Thomas <april.thomas@vesperinstitute.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 11, 2024 10:01 AM  
**To:** Denny Hydrick  
**Subject:** Re: Fw: IV Sedation Application

Good morning Mr.Hydrick.

I'm following up with you on my previous email and the board's request for additional information. Did you receive our answers, and if so, has the board had time to review them?  
I appreciate your time, thank you.

On Wed, Oct 23, 2024 at 10:41 AM April Thomas <[april.thomas@vesperinstitute.com](mailto:april.thomas@vesperinstitute.com)> wrote:  
Good morning Denny,

Thank you for your email and the opportunity to provide the information the Committee requested, I know this is a busy time of year.

Here are the answers to your queries:

1. Under the instructors watch the students will start the iv administer the medication, be in control of the monitoring, oversight, airway management, anesthesia record , depending on state requirements, the dr can do dental work at same time .
2. NO, our online didactic is 65 hours. Our in person didactic takes place over 3 ½ days , 24 hours , including medical emergencies and Sim-Man day.
3. More detailed Syllabus is attached ( agenda from course)
4. The drugs taught in our curriculum for a Class II moderate sedation are : DRUGS USED: Midazolam (Versed), Fentanyl, Dexmedetomidine (Precedex), Diphenhydramine (Benadryl), Ondansetron (Zofran), Nitrous Oxide. Zofran is used for nausea.
5. Students are chosen for the program with the following criteria : they have a dental license in good standing , they are ACLS certified , they are able to attend the course with their dental assistants
6. This is different then other programs, they are seeing ASA 1 and 2 ...types of procedures from operative identity, extraction, and a wide range of clinical needs for these . We try to keep the cases on the shorter side to 90 mins or less.
7. Our Sim man is a ten hour IN PERSON day including in our didactic learning that includes :Advanced Airway + Emergencies + Anesthesia Crisis Resource Management Simulation Course

Introduction - Discussion Office Organization - Roles and Responsibilities -  
Determination/Activation of EMS - Crisis Resource Management -  
Most Common Causes of Sedation Anesthesia Complications - Emergency  
Record Documentation

Hands On Stations  
Advanced Airway Techniques with the Tx of Respiratory Depression +  
Respiratory Obstruction

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**From:** Denny Hydrick <[Denny@dentalboard.ms.gov](mailto:Denny@dentalboard.ms.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 4, 2024 8:01 AM  
**To:** Dr John Roberson <[DrJohnRoberson@midtownofs.com](mailto:DrJohnRoberson@midtownofs.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: IV Sedation Application

Dr. Roberson,

I have their application. With our office move this summer we were not able to have a committee meeting to review. I have a meeting scheduled with the Advanced Anesthesia panel on Thursday October 3rd. Until have them review then. If they approve it will be added to October 25<sup>th</sup> board meeting for the board to approve.

Sorry for the delay. I will update the applicant later today.

Denny

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