



## MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA Licensing Program



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### MIDWIFERY ADVISORY COUNCIL AGENDA

Medical Board of California  
 Hearing Room  
 2005 Evergreen Street  
 Sacramento, CA 95815  
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*Action may be taken on any item  
 listed on the agenda.*

*While the Board intends to webcast  
 this meeting, it may not be possible to  
 webcast the entire open meeting due  
 to limitations on resources.*

**Thursday, August 13, 2015**  
**1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**  
 (or until conclusion of business)

**ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda  
*Note: The Council may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section that is not included on this agenda, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Government Code Sections 11125, 11125.7(a)]*
3. Approval of the March 26, 2015 Midwifery Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
4. Report from the Midwifery Advisory Council Chairperson – Ms. Sparrevohn
5. Update on Licensed Midwife Annual Report (LMAR) Taskforce– Ms. Sparrevohn
  - A. LMAR Data Collection Tool
  - B. Discussion for Consideration of Presenting Edits to the LMAR to the Medical Board of California
6. Update on Licensed Midwifery Legislation – Ms. Simoes
  - A. AB 1306
  - B. SB 407
  - C. SB 408
7. Update on Continuing Regulatory Efforts Required by Assembly Bill 1308 – Ms. Webb
8. Update on the Challenge Mechanism – Ms. Lowe

9. Program Update – Ms. Lowe
  - A. BreEZe Update
  - B. Licensing Statistics
  - C. Enforcement Statistics
  - D. 2014 Licensed Midwife Annual Report
10. Presentation on Best Practices for Home to Hospital Transfers by Midwives – Diane Holzer, L.M.
11. Agenda Items for the December 3, 2015 Midwifery Advisory Council Meeting in Sacramento
12. Adjournment

*The mission of the Medical Board of California is to protect health care consumers through the proper licensing and regulation of physicians and surgeons and certain allied health care professions and through the vigorous, objective enforcement of the Medical Practice Act, and to promote access to quality medical care through the Board's licensing and regulatory functions.*

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