

GEORGIA BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF LICENSED DIETITIANS
Conference Call/ZOOM Board Meeting Minutes
June 18, 2021 @ 9:00 a.m.

The Georgia Board of Examiners of Licensed Dietitians met via teleconference/ZOOM Friday, June 18, 2021. The Board's Executive Director hosted the meeting from the Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

Board Members Present:

Anita Nucci, Ph.D., MPH, RD, LD, Chair
Holly Thaw, MS, RDN, LD, Vice-Chair
Linette Dodson, Ph.D., RD, LD, SN
Rashelle Berry, MPH, MS, RD, LD

Board Members Absent:

Consumer Member (Vacant)
Community/Public Health LD Member (Vacant)

Administrative Staff Present:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director
Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist
Amanda Allen, Licensing Supervisor
Sarah Collett, Licensing Analyst

Office of Attorney General:

Regan Dean, Esq., A.A.G.

Visitors Present:

LaDonna Collins, Visitor
Debi Autry, Visitor
Leslie, Visitor
Jake Mey, Visitor
Jennia Fisher, Visitor
LaToia, Visitor
LaTorrie Glover-Brown, Visitor
Michelle Brathwaite, Visitor
Barbara (she/her), Visitor
70686881798, Visitor
Guerda Cherestal-Ige, Visitor
Rrlandrum, Visitor
Shonna's Note20 Ultra, Visitor

Nnunez, Visitor
Kendra Carter, Visitor
4L41482's Phone, Visitor
Jrmccombs, Visitor
Treva's Iphone, Visitor
Debi Autry, Visitor
Avelina Guzman, Visitor
Iphone, Visitor
Georgia WIC- Todd Stormant, Visitor
Jheberhart, Visitor
Galaxy J7
Jill McCoy, GAND

Dr. Nucci, Chair, established that a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Oath of Office – New Board Members:

- Cicely Thomas – Appointed to fill Ms. Linette Dodson, Ph.D., seat. Dr. Dodson has served two consecutive terms on the Board and cannot be reappointed to another consecutively (2 term limit under the law).

The Board would like to welcome new Board member appointments Ms. Cicely Thomas. Ms. Thomas was administered the Oath of Office at the start of today's Board meeting. The Board would like to express its gratitude to Dr. Dodson for her years of service on this Board and dedication to the licensees and public.

Agenda: Approved with no additional items.

GAND Liaison Report/ Public Policy Panel (PPP):

Jill McCoy provided the Board with updates on the recent GAND meetings. The update included advisory that Ms. Thaw will be moving forward with the Public Policy Panel (PPP) sub-committee clinical review. Ms. McCoy also advised the Board of the new GAND President, Lauren Coheley, PhD, RDN, LD, CDCES, FAND.

Meeting Minutes:

- March 19, 2021 C.C./ZOOM Board Meeting

Recommendation:

Approve as presented

Dr. Nucci moved, Ms. Thaw seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 19, 2021 Conference Call/ZOOM Meeting Minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Application Ratify List: Issued Date: 3/19/2021 - 6/17/2021

License No.	Licensee
LD-P000290	Alisa Austin Meyer
LD-P000291	Lauren Rose Contos
LD-P000292	Sarah Ellen Bates
LD-P000293	Nicole Michelle Goltry
LD-P000294	Caroline Hubbard Barrett
LD-P000295	Megan Lynn Ponder
LD005818	Linda Sue Ber
LD005819	Ashley Marie Hazenstab
LD005820	Madison Nicole Couch
LD005821	Samantha Anne Zito
LD005822	Morgan Leigh Cherry
LD005823	Reyana Fairuz Ewing
LD005824	Brittany Ann Pottes
LD005825	Rae Nicole Leach
LD005826	Andrea Lanx Soares
LD005827	Ciara Elise Dove
LD005828	Anna Law Threadcraft
LD005829	Rebecca Suzanne Duren
LD005830	Christina Marie Crowder
LD005831	Heather Lynn Felt
LD005832	Alexa Jane Bledsoe
LD005833	Hosana Grace Nagasaka
LD005834	Courtney June Smith Dorchak
LD005835	Cassandra Kay Payne Durbin
LD005836	Grace Helene Sturgis
LD005837	Jeremy Marcell Ford
LD005838	Madison Raquel Gatte Spek
LD005839	Vivian Ellen Tiegen

LD005840	Karah Lynn Stanley
LD005841	Erin Michelle McBerry
LD005842	Alexander Sabino Taylor
LD005843	Brooke Elizabeth Ellison
LD005844	Isaiah Jaymar Saniatan
LD005845	Nijya Khyree Saffo
LD005846	Danae Leann Shelley
LD005847	Caitlin Marie Branson
LD005848	Jennifer Ilianna Gomez
LD005849	Haley A Fritz
LD005850	Tara Lavelle
LD005851	Lauren Elizabeth Hart
LD005852	LaTrice Denise Love
LD005853	Lauren Marie Scaccia
LD005854	Marjorie Ellen Jarrett
LD005855	Yulu Wang
LD005856	Kathryn Marie Jones
LD005857	Carma Jo Connor-Marroquin
LD005858	Andrea Rita Foco
LD005859	K'Layn Brooke Brown
LD005860	Caitlin Margaret Benda
LD005861	Brianna Laurell Ussery
LD005862	Mayelin Lora-Williams
LD005863	Brittany Mae Mclain
LD005864	Kristin Elizabeth Bordessa
LD005865	Soojeong Kim Park
LD005866	Laura Hobbs Scott
LD005867	Mikel Marie Bryant
LD005868	Sarah Esther Metzger

LD005869	Joan Kathleen Hirshenson
LD005870	Kathryn Leigh Olson
LD005871	Kirsten Screen
LD005872	Nicholas James Trainor
LD005873	Lucas Robert Tesina
LD005874	Stacey Zheng Deng
LD005875	Jessica-Kim Phuong Danh
LD005876	Hunter Ashton Farthing
LD005877	Megan Jean Hagar
LD005878	Wendy Columbo Pedraza

LD005879	Katherine Louise Fossman
LD005880	Savannah Brittany Duffy
LD005881	Loren Elisabeth Whyte
LD005882	Robin B Nwankwo
LD005883	Katherine Marie Richlen
LD005884	Elaine Marie Young
LD005885	Hadley Bess Gordon
LD005886	Tiffany Carole Schulte
LD005887	Jennifer Curry Payton
LD005888	Brooke Nanette Bolton

Ms. Thaw moved, Dr. Nucci seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the listing of licenses issued between meetings as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Thaw moved, Ms. Berry seconded and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h), O.C.G.A. § 43-26-5(c) and O.C.G.A. § 43-26-11 to receive and review information pertaining to Complaints, the Assistant Attorney General’s report and to review the previous meetings Executive Session meeting minutes. Voting in favor of the motion were those Board members present: Thaw, Nucci, Dodson, Berry and Thomas.

At the conclusion of Executive Session on Friday, June 18, 2021, Dr. Nucci declared the meeting to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Applications: - *No Applications Presented*

AG’s Office Report:

Regan Dean, Assistant Attorney General substituting for Melissa Tracy, Esq., provided a status report which included information for any cases referred for action, advice and /or requests for authority for proposed rules received.

Ms. Thaw moved, Ms. Thomas seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Attorney General’s Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried

Cognizant’s/Complaints Report:

Recommend Closure: DIET210002, DIET210003

Refer to AG’s Office: DIET210001

Ms. Thaw moved, Ms. Thomas seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Cognizant Report as presented and to refer DIET210001 to the AG’s office as discussed. None opposed, motion carried

Executive Session Minutes:

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Recommendation:

Approve as amended

Ms. Berry moved, Ms. Thaw seconded, and the Board voted to approve the March 19, 2021 Conference Call/ZOOM Executive Session Minutes as amended. None opposed, motion carried.

There being no further business for discussion, the meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

ANITA NUCCI

Chair

BRIG ZIMMERMAN

Executive Director

These minutes were approved: September 17, 2021