

DDH Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact

DDH Compact Commission Agenda
 July 14, 2025 1:00 p.m. ET

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1:00p.m.ET

Call to Order

Roll Call

State	Commissioner	Present
Colorado	Yukon Morford	X
Iowa	Jessica O'Brien	X
Kansas	Lane Hemsley	X
Maine	Penny Vaillancourt	
Minnesota	Bridgett Anderson, Vice Chair	
Ohio	Corey Schaal, Treasurer	X
Tennessee	Ailene Macias	X
Virginia	Jamie Sacksteder, Secretary	X
Washington	Catharine Roner-Reiter	X
Wisconsin	Dr. Matthew Bistan, Chair	

Welcome and Role Call

- Kaitlyn Bison (CSG) take the roll.
- The Chair and Vice Chair were both unable to attend the meeting, and the Treasurer , Corey Schaal, volunteered to facilitate the meeting

Adoption of Agenda*

- Corey Schall requested a motion to adopt the agenda.
- Jessica O'Brien made the motion.
- Catharine Roner-Reiter seconded.
- Motion passed.

Adoption of Previous Meeting Minutes*

- Corey Schall asked for comments or feedback on the previous minutes.
- Hearing none, Corey requested a motion to adopt the minutes.
- Jessica O'Brien made the motion.
- Yukon seconded.
- Motion passed.

Introduction of Interim Executive Director

- Kaitlyn Bison (CSG) is introduced as new interim staff for the DDH Compact.

Legislative Update

- Kaitlyn Bison (CSG) provided the legislative update.

Rules Committee Update

- Samantha provided an update from the Rules Committee.
- The discussion included current litigation, which was mostly handled in closed session, with a portion held in open session.
- Another Rules Committee meeting is scheduled for a later date.

Populate and Schedule Finance Committee Meeting

- Samantha gave an overview of the Finance Committee, including its responsibilities related to short- and mid-term funding planning prior to privileges being issued.
- Discussed the committee's role in advising on data system needs.
- Corey Schall requested expressions of interest from commissioners not currently serving on a committee.
- Corey Schall mentions that the Chair will be involved.
- Catharine Roner-Reiter volunteered to join the Finance Committee.
- Corey will make a recommendation to the Chair.
- Yukon and Jessica O'Brien expressed potential interest and will follow up.
- Finance Committee meetings will be held on a monthly basis; next meeting scheduled for August (Doodle poll to be sent).

Delegate Comments and Questions

- Samantha asks if there is an update from the Executive Committee meeting on the RFP.
- Corey Schall gives an update mentioning an informal meeting since there was not a quorum; going over a draft of the RFP and the process of developing that.
- Executive Committee will be coming together shortly to finalize and send that out, and expenditures will. Be something of interest to the Finance Committee going forward.
- Lane Hemsley asked about updates on Kansas' data transition.
- Catharine Roner-Reiter reiterated the licensing update and emphasized the need to adjust the system in response to RFP data, including the move to Salesforce.
- Jaime Sacsteder (via chat) mentioned that Iowa is also updating its licensing system.

Public Comments and Questions

- Written public comments were submitted and discussed.
- Lauren Johnson provides oral public comment: I submitted a letter on behalf of the Washington State Dental Association, emphasizing the importance of selecting a data system through the RFP that can notify states of disciplinary actions without requiring them to query the system.
 - Suggested that draft RFP materials and documentation be shared with stakeholders for input.
- Samantha provided clarification on compact privilege tracking, explaining that states can only share data they collect. For example, if Ohio does not track certain data, it cannot be included in the system.
- Discussion addressed the distinction between required vs. optional reporting and inconsistencies in state reporting formats.

Adjournment*

- Corey Schall called for a motion to adjourn.
- Jessica O'Brien made the motion.
- Jamie Sacksteder seconded.
- Motion passed.

* Indicates items requiring Commission vote