

**The Louisiana State  
Board of Medical Examiners**

**POLYSOMNOGRAPH ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**Minutes of Meeting**

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October 20, 2023  
Virtual Zoom Meeting

Anchor location: 630 Camp Street, New Orleans, LA 70130

Members present were as follows: Dr. Joseph Bordelon, Dr. Kyle Schwab, Dr. Lauren Davis, Christine Soileau, Judson Willard, Joshua Johnson, Kylie Foster, Melissa Boutte. Staff Dr. Vincent Culotta, Patrica Wilton, Olivia PeLong, Tracy Mauro

No Public Comments

**General Administrative Matters; Public comments: Meeting Order** The chair advised the public that any comments can be emailed to [publiccomment@lsbme.la.gov](mailto:publiccomment@lsbme.la.gov). Dr. Bordelon verified the identity of all videoconference participants, and he ensured the meeting was clear and audible to the public and those on the tele- and videoconference.

**1. Old Business Minutes of the meeting 3/17/2023:**

On the motion of Christine Soileau, seconded by Joshua Johnson, all present approved and accepted the minutes of the Polysomnography Meeting.

**2. Rules and Regulations – Emergency Rule changes-** Being handled by the board, review the process to of making a permanent rule.

**3. Rules Course-** Course to be developed within the next couple of months, Dr. Bordelon, Kylie Foster and Melissa Boutte to assist with development. Questions will be reviewed by the advisory committee. Will be in CE broker once complete.

**4. Home sleep Studies -** To be clarified at Physicians meeting in December.

**5. Role of Patient Educator –** Separate licensure - HST, CPAP/BIPAP set up? Provide guidance.

**6. Inspire Procedure-** Committee to decide whether a rule change is needed, implement a emergency rule change about certification before doing procedures.

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