

481—570.5(153) Committees of the board.

570.5(1) Pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 272C and section 153.33, the board may establish and utilize ad hoc advisory committees to conduct business. The board chairperson may appoint committee members and chairpersons.

a. The board should annually review its committees to determine ongoing needs and compliance with the following:

(1) The committees may not constitute a quorum of the board; and

(2) Appointments to a standing committee of the board specified in subrule 1.5(2) are subject to board approval.

b. Committee appointments will be for 12 months unless specified otherwise at the time of appointment. Pursuant to Iowa Code section 153.33(1)“f;” committee members may be reimbursed for actual expenses.

c. Committees may hold meetings as needed to conduct the duties authorized by the board.

570.5(2) The standing committees of the board may include the executive committee, anesthesia credentials committee, and licensure and registration committee.

a. The executive committee may include up to four members of the board. The committee should be composed of the chairperson, vice-chairperson and other members as elected by the board.

b. The anesthesia credentials committee should include but not be limited to a dentist member of the board, two members who hold a moderate sedation permit, and two members who hold a general anesthesia permit issued in accordance with 481—Chapter 579. The committee may perform the following duties:

(1) Review and take action on all applications for moderate sedation or general anesthesia permits;

(2) Review and take action on requests for approval of courses that provide training in the administration of moderate sedation, deep sedation, general anesthesia, or a combination thereof for the purposes of qualifying a licensee for a sedation permit in accordance with 481—Chapter 579;

(3) Perform peer reviews or evaluations as deemed necessary and report to the board; and

(4) Other duties authorized by the board.

c. The license registration committee should include three members of the board, two of which are dentists.

(1) The license registration committee may review applications for licensure, registration and permit and take action as authorized by the board; and

(2) Perform other duties authorized by the board.

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