

## **FEDERATION OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL BOARDS**

### **2022 ANNUAL MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 2022 / 2:00 PM – 4:30 PM EDT**

***ZOOM CONNECTION DETAILS  
TO BE PROVIDED AFTER MEETING REGISTRATION***

**The FPMB cordially invites\* the Board President  
(or their designated alternate)  
and one Executive Staff person.**

*\*Annual Meeting attendance is restricted to dues-paid Member Boards only.*

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Roll Call & Introductory Remarks**
- 2. Vision & Mission Statements**
- 3. Announcements & Updates**
- 4. Member Boards Community of Practice Session (Round Robin)**
- 5. Adjournment**

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THE RSVP FORM  
IN THIS PACKET BY WEDNESDAY, MAY 18.**

## VISION STATEMENT

The FPMB is an empowering leader,  
helping **Member Boards** work  
independently and collectively to  
promote and **protect the public's**  
podiatric health, safety, and welfare.



## MISSION STATEMENT



To be a leader in improving the  
**quality, safety, and integrity** of  
podiatric medical health care by  
promoting high standards for  
podiatric physician **licensure,**  
**regulation, and practice.**

Office of the Executive Director  
Russell J. Stoner

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**Due by Wednesday, May 18, 2022**

**FPMB BYLAWS - SECTION C. RIGHT TO VOTE**

The right to vote at meetings is vested in, and restricted to, dues-paid Member Podiatric Medical Boards. Each Member Podiatric Medical Board is entitled to one (1) vote, not to exceed one (1) vote per state or other equivalent subdivision, said vote to be cast by the delegate of the Member Podiatric Medical Board. The delegate shall be the president of the Member Podiatric Medical Board or the President's designated alternate. In order for a delegate to be permitted to vote, the delegate shall present a letter of appointment to the Executive Director of the FPMB.

*If the Member Podiatric Medical Board President is unable to attend and has designated you as their alternate, please check the Alternate checkbox below and have the President sign and date in the designated section.*

<b>Board Name:</b>			
<b>Attendee Name:</b>		<b>Attendee Type:</b>	[ ] President [ ] Alternate [ ] Staff
<b>Attendee Email:</b>		<b>Attendee Phone:</b>	

If the attendee is the **designated alternate**, the Board President must sign below:

<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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### Member Boards **Community of Practice Session (Round Robin)**

The Annual Meeting features the popular Member Boards Community of Practice session (Round Robin) that is topic-based and provides a unique opportunity for networking, learning, and mutual support. This is an excellent opportunity to share what is going on in each state and to ask questions of other states. **This session depends on your engagement, and the required section below is critical to the FPMB's session preparation:**

<b>*** REQUIRED *** REQUIRED *** REQUIRED *** REQUIRED *** REQUIRED *** REQUIRED ***</b>
What <b>updates</b> about <u>your</u> Member Board and/or State would you like to share with the FPMB and other Member Boards? What <b>question/issues</b> do you want to discuss with the FPMB and other Member Boards?

**RETURN TO:**      [fpmb@fpmb.org](mailto:fpmb@fpmb.org) / 202-318-0091 (fax)

# COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE SESSION (*ROUND ROBIN*)

## PAST TOPICS AND UPDATES

### Prioritized Topics

- Scope of Practice
- Licensing Examinations
- CMEs

### Other Topics Submitted

- Board Education by Assistant AG
- British Columbia (*new affiliate member*)
- CE Broker
- Document Retention Policies & Schedules
- Onboarding of New Board Members
- Ongoing Currency in Practice
- Online Reviews (*false reviews / discipline?*)

### Top Ranked Topics

- Complaints / Discipline / Physician Re-Entry
- Board Governance and Operations
- Licensure and Regulation
- Telemedicine
- Controlled Substances / Opioids / PDMP

- Professional Ethics / Licensing Lectures
- Participation in Educational Platforms (*students/residents*)
- Podiatric Physician Reentry Programs
- Reciprocity Bills
- Sunset Reviews
- Systemic Treatment (*ex: gout, allowed? If not, discipline?*)
- University of Texas Rio Grande
- Virtual Education Trends

### State-Specific Update

- Legislation passed permitting Florida Podiatric Physicians to employ and supervise medical assistants.

## Why Should You and Your Member Board Participate in FPMB Meetings?

*Here are the answers given directly by state licensing boards Board Members and staff:*

- This meeting is the only way boards can exchange information about all aspects of medical board real time.
- To better understand the issues affecting the profession, the regulation of such professions, and to gain insight into issues that are coming or may be coming
- You all help navigate national issues and give perspective on shared problems and act as a facilitator of information on how to handle challenging issues, rule and law implementation.
- Informative, and because it brings a feeling of camaraderie across the profession.
- There is tremendous value in learning what is occurring in other jurisdictions as much of what is shared is advantageous to other jurisdictions.
- It's great to be able to hear the challenges of other Boards as well as their rules and procedures.
- There are common issues which others have dealt with . It is helpful to hear their solutions
- Discussion of common problems shared by the member boards is helpful in addressing issues and solving problems for each board. Having the ability to see the participants in a virtual setting may give executive directors and board presidents more impetus and confidence in contacting other board's executive directors for assistance with an issue.
- It seems inherent in the participation, to have interest in national level activity
- It is good to hear from other member states that they are having the same issues we are here in Nevada. I think that the issues are exclusive to Nevada because we are so small compared to other states but the issues are shared by all, not just the small states.
- To keep up to date on current practices and procedures
- The FPMB is the one organization that serves every single practitioner and it is essential you stay informed about the state of the profession. This board is the best resource to track the profession