

**NEW HAMPSHIRE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
DENTAL HYGIENISTS COMMITTEE
Monday, January 8, 2018**

All votes are unanimous unless otherwise noted.

The January 8, 2017 meeting of the Dental Hygienists Committee, New Hampshire Board of Dental Examiners, was called to order at 1:40 p.m. by Margaret Ray, RDH with the following members present:

Margaret Ray, RDH
Puneet Kochhar, DMD
Lisa Scott, CDA, RDH
Barbara Stowers, RDH

Absent:

Mary Duquette, RDH

1. December 4, 2017 DHC meeting minutes were approved.
2. The DHC committee agreed to recommend to the Board to not grandfather in licensees who have been administering Nitrous Oxide without a permit. Also to charge the licensees a fee of \$25.00 for the Nitrous Oxide permits.
3. The DHC committee agreed to recommend to the Board to review the forms completed by the schools and sign off on whether a licensee is qualified to administer nitrous oxide.
4. Margaret Ray will send a recommendation to the Board regarding a checklist. Margaret presented the idea of the DHC writing a NHBODE DHC "checklist" that consolidates and updates previous rules for the practice of the dental hygienist in the state of NH. Members discussed and accepted idea. Members split up categories and will come to February meeting with draft of items to include on the proposed check list.

Meeting adjourned by Margaret Ray at 2:35 p.m.