

Vermont Secretary of State  
Office of Professional Regulation  
**BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE**  
89 Main St, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Montpelier, VT  
Meeting Date: Thursday, August 13, 2015 at 9:00 am

**\*Amended\* AGENDA**

1. Call the meeting to order.
2. Review and approval of the Minutes of the April 9, 2015 meeting.
3. **Case Manager's Report:**  
  
Carla Preston, Case Manager, to report on current and follow-up cases  
  
Modification of Order 2012-83 (M2012-52) Jennifer Ruopp, D.V.M. (Drexel Wheeler is the Investigative Team Member)
4. **Hearings/Stipulation and Consent Orders....:** None
5. **Guests:** None
6. **Continuing Education Request:**  
  
“**Vermont Dairy Producers Conference**” submitted by Dr. Joel Russo, DVM, requesting approval for two (2) hours and forty-five (45) minutes of Continuing Veterinary Medical Education. The conference was held February 24, 2015.  
  
“**Basic Veterinary Acupuncture – certification course**” submitted by Alex Nodes with the International Veterinary Acupuncture Society. Requesting approval of four and a half (4.5) hours of Continuing Veterinary Medical Education credit for each of the four courses. The first course was given June 9-14, 2015 with subsequent dates for additional courses.  
  
“**Vermont Introductory Course to Herbal Medicine**” submitted by Dr. Jennifer Becvilacqua, DVM, requesting approval for the International Veterinary Acupuncture Society to be added to the approved provider list.  
  
“**Lyme Disease: A Review and What's New**” submitted by Dr. Kimberley Maise, DVM, requesting approval for two (2) hours of Continuing Veterinary Medical Education. The conference was held July 16, 2015.  
  
“**Beef not from Steers: A Challenge....**” submitted by Dr. Julia Smith, DVM, requesting approval for ten (10) hours of Continuing Veterinary Medical Education. The conference was held May 27-28, 2015
7. **Discussion Item:**  
  
E-mail from Sara White DVM regarding Veterinarian participation in continuing education wet labs in Vermont and licensure requirements.  
  
AAVSB – Revised RACE Standards – FYI for the Board
9. **Public Comment**

10. The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, October 8, 2015** at **9:00 am**.
11. Adjourn

**2015 Meeting Dates**  
October 8<sup>th</sup> and December 10<sup>th</sup>