



Meeting Minutes



Meeting Title:	Mississippi Council of Advisors in Dietetics Meeting	
Meeting Location:	CC/PL Conference Room – 143B LeFleurs Square, Jackson, MS 39211	
Meeting Date:	August 16, 2019	
Time:	1:00 P.M.	
Called to Order:	1:18 PM by Ms. Jennifer Warfel, Quorum was established. Welcomed new member.	
Next Meeting Date/Time/Location:	17 January 2020 1:00 P.M. CC/PL Conference Room / 143B LeFleurs Square, Jackson, MS 39211	
Meeting Adjourned	1:40 P.M.	
Attendees:	<u>Council Members Present</u> Jennifer Warfel C. Rochelle Culp	<u>Council Members Absent</u> Darnell Sanford Olivia McCay
	<u>MSDH Staff Present</u> Ebony Gunn Yolanda Morrow	
	<u>Attending Via Phone Conference</u> Carol Connell LaShaundra B. Crook	
	<u>Members of the Public Present</u>	



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	New Business	NOTES
1.	Approval of January 16, 2019 minutes	A motion was made by Ms. Warfel and seconded by Ms. Culp to approve the minutes of January 16, 2019 meetings. The motion passed.
2.	Election of Chair	The Council elected Jennifer Warfel as chair for the 2020 term.
3.	Expiration status of current Council members	Ms. Morrow informed the Council that Ms. Sanford, Ms. McCay, and Ms. Connell, terms expire on December 31, 2019. She spoke with Brady Taylor concerning the vacancies. He will submit nominations.
4.	Renewal Update	Ms. Gunn provided an update on the 2019 renewals. She informed the Council that 682 licensees renewed and 73 reactivated licenses. We currently have 828 actively licensed dietitians. Ms. Warfel asked how the numbers for this renewal cycle compared to the last renewal period. Ms. Morrow stated the Department could review the numbers and send email the numbers to the Council.
5.	Update on LARS	Ms. Morrow provided the status update on the Department's new licensure database (LARS). She stated the ITS Department has hired more staff and is moving forward in complete projects.

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