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RADIATION THERAPY AND RADIOLOGIC IMAGING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Thursday November 16, 2023

2:00 p.m.

MEETING LOCATIONS

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call— Bill Gorman

Members:

- Dr. Vijay Sekhon
- Rowena Copeland
- Dr. Jason Jaeger
- Afton Heinzen
- Tatianna Gesundheit
- Jeremy Mangum

2. Public Comment:

No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been included specifically on the agenda as an item upon which action will be taken. Due to time considerations, the Chair, at his or her discretion, may limit each individual offering public comment

to not more than five minutes. Because there is no physical location for this meeting, public testimony under this agenda item may be presented by phone, online via Microsoft Teams or written comment. When providing public comment, please remember to unmute your microphone or telephone, and begin by stating your name for the record. Those wishing to provide public comment by telephone, please dial 1-775-321-6111 and when prompted enter the phone conference ID number 532 886 066#. Members of the public may also request comments be added to the minutes of the meeting by submitting them in writing either in addition to testifying or in lieu of testifying. Written comments may also be submitted before, during, or after the meeting.

3. For Possible Action: The Division requests recommendations regarding remote medical imaging. Remote medical imaging.

Remote medical imaging is when an operator controls the image acquisition from a physical location that is different from the patient. The American Society of Radiologic Technologists (ASRT) issued a position statement on June 25, 2023, in opposition to remote medical imaging unless a radiological technologist is physically present with the patient when the procedure is being performed by a remote operator. The position statement may be accessed at: <https://www.asrt.org/main/standards-and-regulations/professional-practice/position-statements-online>. The ASRT also revised their Practice Standards for Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy to support this position. See Computed Tomography (CT) sections in standards 1, 4, and 9. The practice standards can be accessed at: <https://www.asrt.org/main/standards-and-regulations/professional-practice/practice-standards-online>.

Public testimony under this agenda item may be presented, by computer, phone or written comment.

4. For Possible Action: Discussion and possible action to select the meeting date of Thursday April 18, 2024, or Thursday May 16th, 2024.
5. Public Comment:
No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been included specifically on the agenda.
7. Adjournment: *Bill Gorman*

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