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**Medical Cannabis Advisory Board**  
**Monday, May 19, 2025**  
**3:30-5:00 pm**

Meeting link: <https://illinois.webex.com/illinois/j.php?MTID=m8084cef6431608809a84ab395dfa9384>

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1. Call to Order/Roll Call (3 minutes)
2. Approval of Minutes from June 10, 2024 meeting (5 minutes)
3. Board Procedures (2 minutes)
  - Except for the public comment period, participation in Board meetings is limited to members, invited guests, and supporting IDPH staff.
  - Members of the public are encouraged to register to use public comment period for testimony. If time permits, non-registered members of the public will be called upon. If you wish to provide testimony and are not registered, please indicate so using the chat feature. Individuals making public comment must wait to be recognized.
  - All individuals attending the meeting are to enter their name and affiliation in the chat.
  - Please do not use the chat feature with exception of the above.
4. IDPH Updates (5 min)
5. Board Member Re-Introductions (10 min). Written bios in attachment with IDPH Staff included
6. Chair and Vice Chair Introductions (5 min): Leslie Mendoza Temple, MD- Chair; James Champion, Vice-Chair. MCAB role - Defining responsibilities, potentials and limitations.
7. Evidence Update (30 min)
  - a. Proposed framework for reviewing evidence for proposed new qualifying conditions.
  - b. Discussion of Evidence Update for top IL Qualifying Conditions- mini-review by Dr. Leslie Mendoza Temple (Chronic Pain). Next meeting: Review recent evidence for PTSD and Migraines- topics to be assigned to volunteer MCAB members.
  - c. Selection of conditions for review: Next petition submissions due between Jan. 1-31, 2026.
8. Discussion of Priorities for Patient, Clinician and Public Education (10 minutes)
9. Public Comment (20 minutes)

Please be advised that those wishing to provide public testimony will be called in the order in which they register. Each speaker may speak for up to three minutes. Persons who wish to register to speak may contact Janette Candido at [Eva-Janette.Candido@Illinois.gov](mailto:Eva-Janette.Candido@Illinois.gov)
10. Upcoming Meeting: September 15, 2025, 3:30-5:00 or may be scheduled at the call of the Chair
11. Adjournment