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Board of Registration in Midwifery

Location: Hybrid Date: October 16, 2025 Time: 10:00 AM

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Administrative Items:

- Opening comments by executive director
- Call meeting to order
- Roll call for attendance & establishing quorum

Board Business:

- Review and approve general session agenda for October 16, 2025 VOTE
- Review general session minutes for September 18, 2025 VOTE
- Board counsel report
 - o M.G.L. c. 112, §§ 290-297
 - o How the term "low risk" functions in the new midwifery laws
 - M.G.L. c. 112 § 1 Relationship between the Commissioner of Public Health and the DPH Licensing Boards
- Board chair report
 - Welcome to the Public
 - o Centering the midwifery model of care in regulation development

Board Discussion:

- 274 CMR 3.00: Licensed Certified Professional Midwife Licensure Requirements with Shield law amendments VOTE
- Registry of Vital Records and Statistics (RVRS) presentation by Lila Bhattarai, RVRS
 Director of Epidemiology and Data Management at the Office of Population Health, Sharon
 Pagano, RVRS Epidemiologist, Jennifer Raymond, RVRS Registrar, Alex Forman, RVRS
 Director of Registration
 - o Process and timeline for access to MAVRIC login and orientation to coordinate with the issuing of certified professional midwifery licenses
 - o Status on MAVRIC updates to integrate attended birth at home

- 274 CMR 5.00 DRAFT Scope of Practice for Licensed Certified Professional Midwives (LCPM) – VOTE
- 274 CMR 7.00 DRAFT Investigations, Complaints and Board Actions [Time permitting]

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