

STATE OF OKLAHOMA Board of Examiners of Psychologists

MINUTES OF THE OPEN MEETING OF THE BOARD September 25, 2010

An open meeting of the Board of Examiners of Psychologists was held at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 20, 2010 in Room 534A of the State Capitol, 2300 N. Lincoln, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. In attendance were R. Hand, Ph.D., Chair of the Board; T. Brian, Ed.D.; G. Hobson, Ph.D.; M. Cohn, Ph.D.; T. Vaughn, Ph.D.; L. Harmon, member of the Board; T. Rose, Executive Officer; and M. Lane, Assistant Attorney General.

Dr. Hand announced that a quorum was present to conduct business. He confirmed with Ms. Rose that the meeting was filed with the Secretary of State and the agenda was posted in accordance with the Open Meeting Act.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson, and seconded by Dr. Cohn to approve the minutes of the July 23, 2010 open meeting of the Board as presented. The motion was passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted for the motion.

The Board went out of order on the topics of the agenda.

The Board reviewed RFI 09-4. Dr. Hobson made a motion that the Board accept the consent order presented to the Board. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted for acceptance of the consent order.

In the matter of RFI 09-8, the investigator is waiting to speak with new Attorney General Representative. In the matter of RFI 09-9, the investigation is in process. In the matter of RFI 10-1, the investigator has been appointed and meetings have been scheduled. In the matter of RFI 10-2, the investigator has met with both parties and is preparing report. In the matter of RFI 10-4, the Probable Cause Committee meeting is scheduled. In the matter of RFI 10-6, an investigator is being appointed.

In the matter of RFI 09-7, the Probable Cause Committee met on September 23, 2010. The Probable Cause Committee found insufficient evidence of violation of the Board's statutes and rules. The Committee recommended that the Board not file a complaint

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against the psychologist and close the RFI. Dr. Brian made a motion to dismiss and close RFI 09-7. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to dismiss and close RFI 09-7. Brian recused from the vote.

In the matter of RFI 10-5, the Chair of the Board and the Psychological Consultant to the Board met and recommended to the Board that RFI 10-5 be dismissed and closed with no ethical violation. Dr. Hobson made the motion to dismiss and close RFI 10-5 with no ethical violation. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn and Hobson voted to dismiss and close RFI 10-5 with no ethical violation. Hand recused from the vote.

In the matter of BC 07-3, the psychologist is deceased. The complaint will go in the psychologists file and no further action will be taken.

In the matter of BC 07-5, the consent order was completed. Dr. Hobson made a motion to return Dr. Keithley's license to full status and good standing in light of completion of requirements of the consent order. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to return Dr. Keithley's license to full status and good standing in light of completion of requirements of the consent order.

There was no report on BC 08-6.

The Board reviewed the website and claims of Dr. Jay Ferraro. Dr. Hobson made a motion to file an injunction against Dr. Jay Ferraro to cease and desist. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to file an injunction against Dr. Jay Ferraro to cease and desist.

The Board reviewed the website and claims of Dr. Chris O'Banye. Dr. Brian made a motion to send a cease and desist letter from the Attorney General's office to Dr. O'Banye regarding his use of the term psychologist and practice of psychology as regulated by law. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to send a cease and desist letter to Dr. O'Banye. Dr. Hobson made a motion to forward Dr. O'Banye's information to the Oklahoma Medical Board for their review. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to forward Dr. Chris O'Banye's information to the Oklahoma Medical Board.

The Board discussed Dr. Nancy Eldredge's request to provide telehealth counseling in Oklahoma on her Arizona license. Dr. Hobson made a motion to deny her request to perform services in Oklahoma, but suggest that she may submit an application for Oklahoma licensure. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to deny Dr. Eldredge's request to provide services in Oklahoma but suggest that she may submit an application for Oklahoma but suggest that she may submit an application for Oklahoma but suggest that she may submit an application for Oklahoma licensure.

The Board discussed Dr. Charles Cavett's application. Dr. Cavett has been given a series of questions and concerns to be addressed within 90 days of receipt of the questions. There was no further report on Dr. Cavett's application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Gricelda Fragoso's application for licensure. Ms. Harmon made a motion to approve Dr. Fragoso's application contingent upon clarification of internship hours and revision of the internship information form, listing only licensed psychologists. Dr. Hobson seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. Gricelda Fragoso's application contingent upon clarification of internship hours and revision of the internship information form, listing only licensed psychologists.

The Board reviewed Dr. Lisa Cromer's application for licensure. Ms. Harmon made a motion to accept Dr. Cromer's application. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. Cromer's application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Sarah Linn's application for licensure. Dr. Brian made a motion to approve Dr. Linn's application contingent upon the Board Chair receiving verification of Dr. Linn's maiden name and additional nine hours of internship supervision that was deficient in her application. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. Sarah Linn's application contingent upon verification of maiden name and additional nine hours of internship supervision that was not included in her application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Melissa Van Kirk's application for licensure. Dr. Brian made a motion to deny Dr. Van Kirk's application based on evidence that the doctoral program does not meet Oklahoma requirements. Dr. Hobson seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to deny Dr. Van Kirk's application based on evidence that the doctoral program does not meet Oklahoma requirements.

The Board reviewed Dr. Caleb Lack's application for licensure. Dr. Hobson made a motion to accept Dr. Lack's application. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. Lack's application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Desiree Gallagher's application for licensure. Dr. Hobson made a motion to accept Dr. Gallagher's application. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. Gallagher's application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Alexander Meyer's application for licensure. Dr. Hobson made a motion to table Dr. Meyer's application and request clarification of internship supervisors and supervision hours. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to table Dr. Meyer's application and request clarification of internship supervisors and supervision hours. Dr. Brian made a

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motion to table Dr. Meyer's Private Practice Under Supervision application. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to table Dr. Meyer's Private Practice Under Supervision application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Ryan Jones' request to change Institutional Practice Under Supervision supervisors to Dr. Mary Rolison. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve Dr. Jones' request to change supervisors. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. Jones' change of supervisors.

The Board reviewed the request for approval of applications for Internship and Postdoctoral Practice Under Supervision by OHCA. The applicants were Kristi Bratkovich, Sadie Williams-Hague, Brent Kenney, Juli Vierthaler, Jonathan Woodhouse, Ryan Blucker, Kerry O'Mahar, Kristine Woods, Lauren Ridener, Kristin Domboski, Victoria Turner and Michael Gomez. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve applications for Internship and Postdoctoral Practice Under Supervision by OHCA. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve applications from OHCA.

The Board reviewed Dr. Victoria McCoy's postdoctoral supervision. Dr. Brian made a motion to approve Dr. McCoy's postdoctoral supervision for licensure this date. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. McCoy's postdoctoral supervision for licensure this date. Dr. Brian made a motion to approve Dr. McCoy's Health Service Psychologist application. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. McCoy's Health Service Psychologist application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Parisa Montazeri's postdoctoral supervision. Dr. Brian made a motion to approve Dr. Montazeri's postdoctoral supervision for licensure this date. Dr. Hobson seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. Montazeri's postdoctoral supervision for licensure this date. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve Dr. Montazeri's Health Service Psychologist application. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. Montazeri's Health Service Psychologist application. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to approve Dr. Montazeri's Health Service Psychologist application.

The Board reviewed Dr. Tim Doty's request for extension of Institutional Practice Under Supervision. Dr. Hobson made the motion to accept Dr. Doty's request for extension of Institutional Practice Under Supervision. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. Doty's extension for Institutional Practice Under Supervision.

The Board reviewed Dr. Sarah Brown's request for approval of application for Internship and Postdoctoral Practice Under Supervision. Ms. Harmon made a motion to accept Dr. Brown's application for Internship and Postdoctoral Practice Under Supervision. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and

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Hand voted to accept Dr. Brown's application for Internship and Postdoctoral Practice Under Supervision.

The Board reviewed Dr. Klanci McCabe's request to change Private Practice Under Supervision supervisors. Dr. Brian made a motion to accept Dr. McCabe's change of Private Practice Under Supervision supervisors. Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept Dr. McCabe's change of Private Practice Under Supervision supervisors.

The Board discussed the evaluation of Continuing Professional Education programs and sponsors. Dr. Miramar Cohn gave a report.

The Board reviewed the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "Spirituality and Psychotherapy: Conversations Concerning Ethical Dilemmas and Ethical Promise", sponsored by Center for Psychotherapy, Education and Spiritual Growth, Inc. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve the application for "Spirituality and Psychotherapy: Conversations Concerning Ethical Dilemmas and Ethical Promise". Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Hobson and Hand voted to accept the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "Spirituality and Psychotherapy: Conversations Concerning Ethical Dilemmas and Ethical Promise". Brian and Cohn voted no.

The Board reviewed the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "The Psyche and Spirituality: An Essential Clinical Dialogue", sponsored by Center for Psychotherapy, Education and Spiritual Growth, Inc. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve the application for "The Psyche and Spirituality: An Essential Clinical Dialogue". Ms. Harmon seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Hobson and Hand voted to accept the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "The Psyche and Spirituality: An Essential Clinical Dialogue". Brian and Cohn voted no.

The Board reviewed the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "Working with Children: The Theory & Practices of Play Therapy", sponsored by Kids, Inc. Dr. Hobson made a motion to approve the application for "Working with Children: The Theory & Practices of Play Therapy". Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to accept the Continuing Education sponsorship application for "Working with Children: The Theory and Practices of Play Therapy".

The Board reviewed the progress of the ASPPB application revision.

The location of the November Board meeting is 2300 N. Lincoln Blvd., State Capitol Building, Room 534A, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

The Board discussed the rotation of Board meetings between Fridays and Saturdays. The Board also discussed the possibility of having the May 2011 Board meeting in Tulsa.

The Board discussed the Oklahoma Psychological Association's annual meeting on November 5-6, 2010. Ms. Harmon made a motion to acknowledge the change in tradition of the Board not meeting at the OPA annual convention and to have an announcement at the OPA meeting that there will be a Board meeting on Friday, November 12, 2010 as well as a Board meeting in Tulsa next Spring. Dr. Brian seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to acknowledge the change in tradition of not having a Board meeting at the annual OPA meeting and to announce the Board meeting on November 12, 2010 and announce that there will be a Board meeting in Tulsa in the Spring of 2011.

Dr. Tom Vaughn discussed an OPA Continuing Education workshop and the possibility of including OSBEP as a co-sponsor. Dr. Brian made a motion for the Board to co-sponsor an ethics and standards presentation in the Spring of 2011. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted for the motion for the Board to co-sponsor and ethics and standards presentation in the Spring of 2011.

The Board reviewed Dr. Nancy Dilley's request for compassionate exemption for continuing education credits. Dr. Hobson made a motion to grant compassionate exemption to Dr. Dilley. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted for the motion to grant compassionate exemption to Dr. Dilley for continuing education credits.

Dr. Brian made a motion to adjourn. Dr. Cohn seconded the motion and the motion passed. Harmon, Brian, Cohn, Hobson and Hand voted to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 12:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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