



STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
*Board of Examiners of Psychologists*

MINUTES OF THE OPEN MEETING OF THE BOARD  
January 31, 2009

An open meeting of the Board of Examiners of Psychologists was held on Saturday, January 31, 2009 in Room 419C of the State Capitol, 2300 N. Lincoln, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. In attendance were S. Miller, Ph.D., Chair of the Board, T. Brian, Ed.D., Vice-Chair of the Board, G. Hobson, Ph.D., R. Hand, Ph.D. and K. Dean, JD., members of the Board; S. Fleming, Executive Officer, T. Vaughn, Ph.D., Director of Professional Affairs and P. Podolec, Assistant Attorney General. F. Rubin, DDS, and C. Kilpatrick, Ph.D. were not present.

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

Dr. Miller welcomed Ray Hand, Ph.D. who has been appointed as the new Board member and Pat Podolec, new Attorney General representative.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the minutes of the November 22, 2008, open meeting of the Board as presented. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, and Miller voted for the motion. Dr. Hand abstained.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the minutes of the open meeting of the board that was held in conjunction with the Annual OPA convention on November 8, 2008. The motion passed. Brian, Hobson and Miller voted for the motion. Dr. Dean and Dr. Hand abstained.

There was no new information to report regarding BC06-1.

Dr. Miller reported that Dr. Coyle will be submitting a progress report regarding the supervision of Dr. Martin in relation to BC06-3.

Sue Fleming reported that Dr. Ekenstam has paid the costs of the investigation in relation to BC 07-4 and that the file will be closed.

There was no new information to report regarding BC07-1.

Dr. Miller reported that Dr. Vaught has agreed to continue supervision of Dr. Cates.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to accept the list of supervisors submitted by Dr. Britz in relation to BC07-3, however, Dr. Britz will be informed that the Board prefers Dr. Wade Hamil since his clinical practice is in Norman. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Hand, Dean and Miller voted for the motion.

There was no new information to report regarding BC07-5.

Dr. Hand reported on the recommendation of the Probable Cause Committed in relation to RFI 08-4. The Committee recommends that the psychologist enter into an agreed order.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to go into executive session. The motion passed. Brian, Dean, Hand, and Miller voted for the motion. Dr. Hobson recused from the vote.

The motion was made by Dr. Dean and seconded by Dr. Hand to come out of executive session. The motion passed. Brian, Hobson, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Dean to enter into an agreed order with the psychologist in relation to RFI 08-4. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

Dr. Miller reported on RFI 08-9, recommending dismissal of the inquiry. The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to dismiss RFI 08-9. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

Dr. Paul Tobin, Dr. Kathy Laster and Dr. Christina Filippo addressed the Board concerning their application to expand their areas of approved competencies to include consulting psychology/organizational consulting psychology. The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to accept the applications submitted by Dr. Tobin, Dr. Laster and Dr. Filippo to include consulting psychology/organizational consulting psychology as an approved area of competence. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board reviewed a letter from a licensee asking if a psychologist on inactive status can ethically hand out business cards stating that he/she is a licensed psychologist. The Board determined that a psychologist on inactive status cannot hand out a business card unless it has a disclaimer that they are on inactive status since it may be false or misleading and a violation of the APA and ASPPB Codes of Conduct.

The Board reviewed a letter from a licensee regarding new requirements by Blue Cross/Blue Shield. Blue Cross/Blue Shield's amended agreement requires a psychologist to submit a treatment plan prior to the first visit with the client. The Board will write a letter to Blue Cross/Blue Shield accompanied by a letter from the Attorney General's office expressing concerns that this requirement would be unethical for a psychologist and could come before the Board as an ethical complaint.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application submitted by Dr. Robert Martin to hire Angela Magarian as a Psychological Technician with QMRP exemption. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hand to approve the revised areas of competence submitted by Dr. Ken Bond. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hobson to approve the application to sit for the licensure examinations submitted by Dr. Linda Alford, with the understanding that she will add 11.5 hours to her postdoctoral supervision in order to make up for the deficiency in her internship supervision hours. The Board also approved Dr. Alford's application for IPUS. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The Board tabled the review of the revised areas of competence submitted by Dr. Casey Augustus-Horvath pending further clarification. Dr. Miller will assist Dr. Augustus-Horvath with rewriting her areas of competence.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hobson to approve the application to sit for the licensure examinations submitted by Dr. Carl Edgington. The motion passed. Brian, Hobson, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Carl Edgington. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Trevor Richardson for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Trevor Richardson. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hobson to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Lindsey Jones for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Lindsey Jones. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Megan Ballew for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Megan Ballew. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Paul Jones for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Paul Jones. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Margaret Zingman for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Margaret Zingman. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Latisha Braddock for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hand to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Latisha Braddock. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Laura Eckert for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean and Miller voted for the motion. Dr. Hand abstained.

The motion was made by Dr. Hobson and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Laura Eckert. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the postdoctoral supervision submitted by Dr. Melanie Talley for licensure this date. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Brian and seconded by Dr. Hobson to approve the application for Health Service Psychologist certification submitted by Dr. Melanie Talley. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Brian to approve the request submitted by Dr. David Mitchell to reactivate his license. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Dean and seconded by Dr. Hobson to approve the request to extend supervision submitted by Dr. Peter Ciali. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

The motion was made by Dr. Hand and seconded by Dr. Dean to approve the "10<sup>th</sup> Annual Professional Symposium for the Prevention of Treatment of Eating Disorders" sponsored by the Southwest Medical Center scheduled for February 26 and 27, 2009 for 10 hours of CPE credits. The motion passed. Hobson, Brian, Dean, Hand and Miller voted for the motion.

Dr. Vaughn reported on the status of the complaint filed with the APA Accreditation committee.

Dr. Vaughn reported that the Jurisprudence Examination Committee will be meeting on March 14. The Oral Examination Development Committee probably will be meeting in May. No exact date has been set.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sue A. Fleming  
Executive Officer