



Board of Psychological Examiners
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UNAPPROVED MINUTES OF THE
VERMONT BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS
MARCH 8, 2019 MEETING

Members Present: Ronald Miller, Ph.D. Marilyn Turcotte, Psy.D.
Michael Doyle

Members Absent: James Huitt, Psy.D.

Others Present: Diane Lafaille, Licensing Administrator I, Gabriel Gilman, General Counsel, Lauren Layman, Staff Attorney, and Carla Preston, Case Manager.

1. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m.
2. Mr. Doyle moved, seconded by Dr. Turcotte, to approve the minutes of the February 8, 2019 meeting as written. Approved.
3. Carla Preston presented on managing Enforcement cases through NGLP.
4. Director Lauren Hibbert will attend the Board's April meeting to discuss the budget.
5. Continuing Education:
 - a. Changing the ADHD Brain: Moving Beyond Medication – approved.
 - b. ASAM Integration: Six-Dimensional Assessment through the Continuum – approved.
 - c. Collaborative Network Approach – approved.
 - d. Stepping Forward Together 2019: Promoting Cultural Competence and Equity in Communities – approved.
 - e. Suicide Risk Assessment – approved.
 - f. Dialectical Behavior Therapy Institute – approved for 30 ceu's.
 - g. Collaborative Documentation Training Part I – approved.
 - h. Building Attachment in Children with Complex Trauma – approved.
 - i. Vermont Geriatrics Conference – approved.
 - j. Sexual Misconduct – approved.
 - k. Helping the Anxious Student – not approved as a schedule is needed.
 - l. Collaborative Network Approach Days 1-5 – more information needed.
 - m. Collaborative Assessment and Management of suicidality – approved.
 - n. Attachment Focused Play Therapy – approved for 6.
 - o. Dreams, Meaning and Emotions – approved.
 - p. Gender 101 – approved.
 - q. Dialectical Behavior Therapy – approved.

6. Applications:

Applications for education review:

Chase, Madison – approved.

Cheney, Daniel – approved.

Dufrene, Tasha - approved.

Applications for supervision review:

Chase, Madison – approved.

7. Topics for Discussion:

- a. ASPPB EPPP Enhanced exam: - The Board has asked that this be taken off the agenda.
- b. APA Membership – Dr. Turcotte moved, seconded by Mr. Doyle, to have the OPR review whether there are legal concerns related to the change in structure of the APA that is discussed in the email sent from Kathleen Doyle on January 16, 2019.
- c. Dr. Miller provided Board members articles regarding prescribing privileges for licensed psychologists. The Board will review these articles at future meetings. The Board is considering this this legislation but has not reached a decision on it.
- d. Dillon Burns submitted a letter for clarifying crisis roles. The Board had no objections to this letter.

8. Correspondence:

- a. Samantha Weber submitted an email with additional questions concerning credit-hour requirements applicable to acceptable degrees. The Board referred her to Rule 3.4, 3.5 (f) (4) and 3.8. With the information provided, the Board does not believe that her degree will meet these requirements. She may apply and have submitted an official transcript and course descriptions for the Board to review if she wishes a thorough review.
- b. Heidi Robbins emailed the Board with questions regarding supervision. The Board responded that it cannot waive the requirements and that the supervisor needs to be licensed for 3 years before they can provide supervision for one who is on track for becoming licensed.
- c. Taja Slaughter from ASPPB emailed the Board asking if Vermont still accepted CPQ. The Board responded that the current rules do not specifically reference CPQ. The Board asked for ASPPB to provide it with a list of requirements.

9. Public Comment

10. The Board adjourned at 12:55 p.m.

2019 Scheduled Meetings of the Board: April 12, May 10, June 14, July 12, August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8 and December 13.

Respectfully submitted by: Diane Lafaille, Licensing Administrator I