



Applied Behavior Analysts Advisors

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Minutes

Wednesday, September 4, 2024, at 9:30 a.m.

Advisor in Attendance: Cortney Keene

Advisor Absent: Kristen Miglinas

OPR Staff Present: Emily Tredeau, Noura Eltabbakh, Diane Lafaille, and Kamanie Sweet

Discussion Items:

1. Attorney Tredeau provided a Legislative update. She noted that nothing specific to the ABA profession was passed.
2. The Mental Health Professional Licensing Study was discussed. Attorney Tredeau noted that the study is in the recommendation stage. She noted that a recommendation would be a combined Allied Mental Health Board, which would include ABA representation rotating with psychoanalyst representation.

Ms. Keene noted a barrier of a group of non licensed supervisees for ABA that are not accounted for to be able to bill for services. Attorney Tredeau will bring this up to the mental health study group.

3. The meeting adjourned at 9:47 a.m.

Next regular Advisor meeting following this one is September 3, 2025.

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