

Board of Psychological Examiners  
Meeting of November 8, 2013 at 9:00 a.m.  
89 Main Street, Floor 3, Montpelier, VT

APPROVED MINUTES

Members Present:        Richard Root, Ed.D,                                Susan Jan Belville  
                                 Deborah Wallis, Ph.D.                                Michael Doyle  
                                 Ronald Miller, Ph.D.

Others Present:    Peter Comart, Licensing Administrator, Larry Novins, Board Counsel, Carla Preston, Unit  
                                 Administrator, Christopher Winters, Director, and Diane Lafaille, Licensing Board Specialist.

1.        The meeting was called to order at 9:06 a.m.
2.        The Minutes of October 11, 2013 meeting were approved with a minor correction.
3.        Case Managers Report:
  - a.        Case Manager's Report – There are currently 9 cases pending. 1 case is pending closing report, 1 is ready for Investigative Team meeting, 1 charges have been filed, 3 cases are under investigation, 3 the Investigative Team has recommended charges.
4.        Continuing Education Credits for Review:
  - a.        Vermont Psychoanalytic Study Group – approved.
  - b.        “Employing Multiple Theories and Evoking New Ideas: The Use of Clinical Material” – approved.
  - c.        “Improving Clinical Outcomes for Complex Patients” – approved.
  - d.        “Seeing is Hearing: Bare Attention in the Practice Psychotherapy” – approved.
  - e.        “The Bonds that Free Us: Using AEDP's Relational and Emotional Interventions to Treat College-Aged Students” – approved.
  - f.        “Ethical Consideration in Responding to Subpoenas and Court Orders” approved.
  - g.        3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Symposium on Adolescence – approved.

5.        Applications:

The following applicants are seeking approval to sit for the EPPP exam:  
Achim, Julian, Psy.D. – approved to sit for the EPPP.

Campo, Brandon, MA – application was preliminarily denied to sit for the EPPP. Dr. Miller recused himself.

The following application was reviewed for supervision approval:

McC Campbell, Daphne, Ph.D. – supervision approved.

The following application was reviewed for licensure:

Galbraith, Robin, MA – approved for licensure.

6. Other:

- a. Jurisprudence exam – The Board continued to review and make changes to the jurisprudence exam.
- b. Director Winters attended the meeting to discuss the budget and the Psychology Work Force Data Survey.  
  
The budget was reviewed. The fund balance ratio increased slightly. It was recommended to continue to monitor through 2014.  
  
The Psychology Work Force Data Survey that will be going out with renewals was reviewed. The Board is fine with this going out the way it is written.
- c. The Board will ask Carla Preston to discuss at its next meeting the possibility of doing a public disclosure audit.
- d. ASPPB Meeting – Tabled until the Board's December meeting.
- e. Board Interim Policy on Supervised Practice: Credit for Registration on The Roster of Nonlicensed and Noncertified Psychotherapists – Tabled until the Board's December meeting.
- f. VPCAP – Dr. Root to update the Board at its December meeting.

7. Correspondence:

- a. Phyllis Rubenstein emailed the Board asking if she could do a presentation to the Board about Collaborative Law. The Board said they would entertain a 15 minute presentation and 15 minute discussion.
- b. The Board received a question asking about renewals and provisional licenses. The Board does not have an inactive status. One would have to go through the normal renewal process and provide documentation if needed.

8. Public Comment

9. The Board adjourned at 1:47 p.m.

2013 Scheduled Meetings of the Board: December 13

Respectfully submitted by:

Diane Lafaille  
Licensing Board Specialist