

Board of Mental Health Practice - Public

November 15, 2024 at 9:00 AM 7 Eagle Square, Concord NH 03301

Attendance

Members Present:

Deborah Robinson (DR), Chair; Rebecca Bemis (RB); Kristin Grasso (KG); Amy Alletzhauser (AA); Christina Gribben (CG); Courtney Porter (CP); Lara Gruner-Orf (LGO)

Board Vacancies: Member from a Community Health Center, Clinical Social Worker, Public Member

Staff Present: Jeanne Webber, Board Administrator; Jeanne Lester, Board Administrator; Elizabeth Eaton, Esq., Board Counsel

I. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 9:01 a.m. with a quorum of the Board present.

- II. Approval of Minutes
 - A. October 18, 2024

Motion:

Upon a motion by AA, with a second by KG, the Board voted to approve the minutes as stated; motion passed via roll call vote. **Abstain**: LGO

- III. Public Appearances
 - A. Hearings
 - 1. Susan Davis Continued
 - B. Public Comment No written or spoken public comment was received
- IV. Board Administrator Updates Informational
 - A. ASWB Updates & Compact Ashley Czechowicz, Bureau Chief of Licensing provided an overview of the recent ASWB conference to the Board.
 - B. Counseling Compact Compliance Committee No items
 - C. Board Chair Meeting Minutes DR provided an overview to the Board
 - D. Frequently Asked Questions LGO will create a draft for the Board to review at the December 20, 2024 meeting.
- V. Tabled No items

- VI. Old Business
 - A. Advisory Committee Job Description LGO provided a draft for the Board's review. Feedback will be incorporated and the updated draft will be reveiwed at the December 20, 2024 meeting.
- VII. New Business
 - A. Conditional License Continuing Education inquiry The Board determined that the conditional license is not subject to the same requirements as a full license because it is not intended to be renewed except under certain circumstances.
 - B. Waivers No items
- VIII. Rules Review and Other Legislative Topics
 - A. Rules Review Chantell Wheeler, Rules Administrator The Board reviewed Mhp 100, Mhp 200, Mhp 400 and Mhp 500.
 - 1. Mhp 500

Motion:

Upon a motion by AA, with a second by KG, the Board voted to approve the Incorporation by Reference statement; motion passed unanimously via roll call vote.

- 2. Supervisor Rules Elizabeth Eaton, Board Counsel, provided information to the Board related to approved supervisor requirements. The Board will discuss further at the December 20, 2024 meeting.
- B. Legislative Updates No items
- IX. Non-Public Session

Motion to conduct a non-public session for the purpose of discussing investigations of alleged licensee misconduct and other confidential Board business and noting that such a non-public session is authorized by RSA 91-A:3, II (c), RSA 91-A:3 II (e), RSA 91-A:5, IV, Lodge v. Knowlton, 119 N.H. 574 (1978), and the Board's executive and deliberative privileges.

Motion:

Upon a motion by AA, with a second by KG, the Board voted to initiate a non-public session at 11:58 a.m.; motion passed unanimously via roll call vote.

X. Resume Public Session

Motion:

Upon a motion by CG, with a second by LGO, the Board voted to resume public session at 1:21 p.m.; motion passed unanimously via roll call vote.

A. Seal Minutes from Non-Public Session

Motion to withhold and seal the minutes of the preceding non-public session from public disclosure pursuant to RSA 91- A: 3 III, that divulgence of the information likely would affect adversely the reputation of a person other than a Board member and to render the proposed action ineffective. Each member recorded his or her vote on the motion, which passed by the unanimous vote of all members present.

Motion:

Upon a motion by AA, with a second by RB, the Board voted to seal the minutes from the preceding non-public session; motion passed unanimously via roll call vote.

XI. Licensure Approvals - Informational. The following applications were approved since the October 18, 2024 meeting:

A.MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS

1. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE

- A. BATKINS, Callie, MS
- B. BATKINS, Colby, MS
- C. DALEN, Susan, MA
- D. DURGIN, Christian, MS
- E. JOHNSON, Alannah, MS
- F. JONES, Jennifer, MS
- G. KELLERMAN, Alison, MA
- H. KLAIN, Laura, MEd
- I. PINIERIO, Nicole, MA
- J. RUSSO, Kyle, MA
- K. TEITELMAN, Tamar, MA
- L. VAN NESS, Emma, MA

2. APPLICATIONS APPROVED THROUGH ENDORSEMENT

- A. AYANTOLA, Melissa
- B. COOPER, Stephanie
- C. CORDERO, Lisa
- D. DENSON, Emma
- E. DOUGLAS, Andrea
- F. GOINS, Brandy
- G. GOMES, Paula
- H. JONES, Beverly

- I. MADDEN, Victoria
- J. MOGIELSKI-WATSON, Phyllis
- K. ODDEN, Susan
- L. PAPADONIS, Mary
- M. SHUMATE, Deborah
- N. STAKUTIS, Michelle
- O. ST CYR, Holly
- P. WHITE, Kerstin

3. CONDITIONAL LICENSES

A. N/A

4. CANDIDATES FOR LICENSURE SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

- A. IRWIN, Abigail, MA
- B. LANGILLE, Stacia, MA
- C. MARCHANT, Erica, MA
- D. SIGEL, Anna, MS

5. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

- A. CICALE, Megan, MEd
- B. FRAINE, Stephanie, MS
- C. LAMBERT, Michael, MS
- D. LOCKE, Natalie, MS
- E. POMERLEAU, Susan, MS
- F. WHITEHEAD, Jennifer, MA
- G. WITHROW, Lindsey, MS

6. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE - REINSTATEMENT

A. NICKNAIR-KEON, Julie

B. SOCIAL WORKERS

1. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE

- A. DEBATIS, Traci, MSW
- B. DYCKES, Rebecca, MSW
- C. GILES, Lauren, MSW
- D. KACZENSKI, Sarah, MSW
- E. SIAN, Andree, MSW

2. APPLICATIONS APPROVED THROUGH ENDORSEMENT

- A. BERGER, Yolanda, MSW
- B. BICSAK, Stephanie, MSW
- C. BOLDEN, Taylor, MSW
- D. CARNICK, Lindsey, MSW
- E. COVELMAN, Sandra, MSW
- F. GOLDEN, Brittany, MSW
- G. GRAY, Pamela, MSW
- H. GREENE, Chloe, MSW
- I. HARASEYKO, Maya, MSW
- J. HODGE, Erin, MSW
- K. HUGHES, Elaine, MSW
- L. LAFLAMME, Erin, MSW
- M. LESLIE, Cassandra, MSW
- N. LEVENSON, Martin, MSW
- O. LOPEZ, Melyssa, MSW
- P. MONACO, Hannah, MSW
- Q. MOYO, Rutendo, MSW
- R. NORDLUM, Sara, MSW
- S. O'MALLEY, Meg, MSW
- T. THOMAS, Caroline, MSW
- U. ZURLIENE, Kelli, MSW

3. CONDITIONAL LICENSES

A. N/A

4. CANDIDATES FOR LICENSURE SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

- A. ANDREWS, Natalie, MSW
- B. CHLOROS, Crystal, MSW
- C. COLEMAN, Ryley, MSW
- D. COLES, Joanne, MSW
- E. DELAY, Kendra, MSW
- F. EMERY, Hayley, MSW
- G. ESCABI, Jason, MSW
- H. HUME, Erika, MSW
- I. LEMIEUX, Sirena, MSW
- J. MANOLIO, Deanna, MSW
- K. MOLINA, Jordan, MSW
- L. ULERY, Taylor, MSW

5. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

- A. AMBROSECCHIO, Nicole, MSW
- B. BEAULIEU, Abbie, MSW
- C. FRANCIS, Cathleen, MSW
- D. FULLER, Siobhan, MSW
- E. HASKELL, Olivia, MSW
- F. SCULLEY, Elizabeth, MSW
- G. SOTO, Rossy, MSW
- H. TOMS, Matthew, MSW

6. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE - REINSTATEMENT

- A. PORTER, Courtney
- B. RASCONA, Debra

C.MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

1. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE

A. BRICKNER, Brianna, MA

2. APPLICATIONS APPROVED THROUGH ENDORSEMENT

A. ALLEN, Samantha

3. CANDIDATES FOR LICENSURE SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

- A. MELENDY, Jacqueline, MS
- B. ROTH, Hannah, MS
- C. VERTEFEUILLE, Isabella, MS

4. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS

A. N/A

5. **REINSTATEMENT:**

A. HARTWICK, Hillary, MA

D.PASTORAL PSYCHOTHERAPISTS

1. APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE: N/A

2. APPLICATIONS APPROVED THROUGH ENDORSEMENT: N/A

3. CANDIDATES FOR LICENSURE SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS: N/A

4. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN SUPERVISION AGREEMENTS: N/A

XII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 1:34 p.m