

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling
101 East Capitol, Suite 202
Little Rock, AR 72201

Friday August 2-3, 2019
8:00 AM – 6:00 PM

The Arkansas Board of Examiners convened at their Office with Chair, Robbie Cline, presiding. Board business and Oral Examinations were conducted as per the established agenda (Appended).

MEMBERS PRESENT: Robbie Cline, Mike Kelly, Cheryl Edwards, Ryan Martin, Suzanne Casey, Rick Grace, Wendy Blackwood

MEMBERS ABSENT: Justin Moore

OTHERS PRESENT: Lenora Erickson, Lacie Kirchner, Alicia Parks, Sara Wright

OBSERVERS: 17 Guests/Observers

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT ABOEC BOARD MEETING AUGUST 2-3, 2019

Items for Discussion

1. Rule Revisions:
 - Section 1.9-Definition of LAC/LPC and ACA COE B.4.b-couples/family counseling
 - Section 5.4(b)-Board members writing reference letters for applicants
 - Section 7.2(e)-CEU's accepted; Conversion chart; Reviewing journal articles; Dissertation; Publications
 - Section 7.5-Non-practicing license; Retired, Inactive? What does a person have to do to go into non-practicing?
2. Civil Agreements with Attorney General's office
3. Accepted Technology Assisted Courses
4. Fall retreat October 20-22
5. FOIA-Oral Examinations
6. Ayisha Canant-Requesting licensure

Respectfully submitted,

Lenora Erickson, LPC-s, TA-s, AADC

Executive Director

Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling/MFT

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Agenda

8:00 AM Arrival /Overview of Agenda /Executive Director Monthly Report

8:15 AM

9:00-11:00 AM DARC Committee Review

Yellow Team:	Ryan, Wendy, Suzanne	Yellow Team-	Board Room A
Green Team:	Mike, Cheryl	Green Team-	Motor Veh Brd Rm
Blue Team:	Robbie, Rick	Blue Team-	2 nd Fl. Brd Rm B

9:00 AM Heidi Kuehn (1/30/19) #6866 LAC

9:00 AM Haley French (3/26/19) #6922 LAC

9:00 AM Emily Boyers (9/17/18) #6779 LAC

9:45 AM Wade Peter Freund (5/13/18) #6701 LAMFT

9:45 AM Forrest Smith (2/5/19) #6871 LAC

9:45 AM Bailey Dunlap (1/22/19) #6852 LAC

10:30-10:45 AM BREAK

10:45 AM Ethan Reese-Whiting (1/29/19) #6836 LAC

10:45 AM Chelsey Abbott (1/30/19) #6865 LAC

10:45 AM Jennifer Edwards (2/5/19) #6867 LAC

11:30 AM Erin Jones (2/12/19) #6882 LAC

11:30 AM Daniel Stewart (2/8/19) #6877 LAC

11:30 AM William Sanson (3/4/19) #6898 LAC

12:15- 1:15 PM LUNCH

1:15	PM	Joshua Burns (5/30/19)	#6948	LAC
1:15	PM	Kelli Burroughs (1/22/19)	#6850	LAC
1:15	PM	Robin Jackson (3/26/19)	#6923	LAC
2:00	PM	Teresa Whitmore (1/9//19)	#6838	LAC
2:00	PM	Michelle DeRose (4/5/19)	#6318	LAC
2:00	PM	Lolita Meredith (3/25/19)	#6918	LAC
2:45-3:00	PM	BREAK		
3:00	PM	Samantha Scalf (3/27/19)	#6924	LAC
3:00	PM	Melody Sams (7/18/19)	#6745	LAC
3:00	PM	Brittany Turner (1/22/19)	#6853	LAC
3:45	PM	Shannon Freeman (3/18/19)	#6910	LAC
3:45	PM	Jenifer Williamson (5/7/19)	#2936	Suprv. LAC
3:45	PM	Michael Brown (3/18/19)	#6909	LAC
4:30	PM	Review #6835-Winar, #6979-Eubanks		
4:30	PM	Review #6760-Schesinger, #6900-Maddox		
4:30	PM	Review #6982-Frank, #6975-Hayre		
5:15	PM	BOARD BUSINESS		
6:00	PM	ADJOURN		

Saturday August 3, 2019

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

The Arkansas Board of Examiners convened at 10914 Kanis Road, Little Rock, AR 72211, with Chair, Robbie Cline, presiding. Board business and Oral Examinations were conducted as per the established agenda (Appended).

Agenda

8:00 AM Arrival /Board Motions/Conclusion of Agenda Items /Conclusion of Executive Director Monthly Report/Discussion of Rules Revision
12:00 PM ADJOURN

Motions

- Motion 1:** Move to approve the June 21, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes.
Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed
- Motion 2:** Move to Approve the July 2019 Board Meeting Minutes.
Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed
- Motion 3:** Move to approve June 2019 Treasurer's Report.
Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Rick Grace
Vote: Passed
- Motion 4:** Move to approve the July 2019 Licensing Report.
Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Rick Grace
Vote: Passed
- Motion 5:** Move to accept signed consent agreement from Michael Rowland.
Moved: Wendy Blackwood
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Recused: Ryan Martin, Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed
- Motion 6:** Move to accept signed consent agreement from Kimberly Murray.
Moved: Robbie Cline
Seconded: Wendy Blackwood
Recused: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed
- Motion 7:** Move to grant Samantha Scalf LAC.
Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed
- Motion 8:** Moved to grant Brittany Turner LAC.
Moved: Rick Grace
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Vote: Passed
- Motion 9:** Move to grant Lolita Meredith LAC.
Moved: Robbie Cline
Seconded: Rick Grace
Vote: Passed
- Motion 10:** Move to grant William Sanson LAC.
Moved: Robbie Cline
Seconded: Rick Grace
Vote: Passed
- Motion 11:** Move to grant Robin Jackson LAC.
Moved: Rick Grace
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 12: Move to grant Haley French LAC.

Moved: Mike Kelly
Seconded: Cheryl Edwards
Vote: Passed

Motion 13: Move to grant Bailey Dunlap LAC.

Moved: Robbie Cline
Seconded: Rick Grace
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 14: Move to grant Daniel Stewart LAC with stipulation: Extensive review of ethics and supervision to be done in level one supervision.

Moved: Cheryl Edwards
Seconded: Mike Kelly
Recused: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed

Motion 15: Move to grant Forest Smith LAC with stipulation: Supervision to focus on improving understanding of privilege communication and special supervision requirements, limits of confidentiality, to be addressed in level one supervision.

Moved: Mike Kelly
Seconded: Cheryl Edwards
Vote: Passed

Motion 16: Move to grant Chelsey Abbott LAC with stipulation: Supervisor to review supervision requirements and ethics in level one of supervision.

Moved: Mike Kelly
Seconded: Cheryl Edwards
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 17: Move to grant Michelle DeRose LAC with updated statement of intent.

Moved: Cheryl Edwards
Seconded: Mike Kelly
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 18: Move to grant Melody Sams LAC with stipulation: Extensive review of ethics in level one supervision.

Moved: Cheryl Edwards
Seconded: Mike Kelly
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 19: Move to grant Heidi Kuehn LAC with stipulations: Review privileged communication, non-professional interactions and requirements of supervision within the first six months of supervision.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Wendy Blackwood
Vote: Passed

Motion 20: Move to grant Erin Jones LAC with stipulations: Review privilege communication in first six months of supervision.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Wendy Blackwood
Vote: Passed

Motion 21: Move to grant Ethan Reese-Whiting LAC with stipulations: Review competency-based referrals, confidentiality and releases of information when treating families, privilege communication and supervision requirements during the first six months of supervision.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed

Motion 22: Move to grant Joshua Burns LAC with stipulations: Review privilege communication, confidentiality in treating groups and non-professional interactions in first six months of supervision.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed

Motion 23: Move to grant Shannon Freeman LAC with stipulations: Develop a plan for dealing with crisis, further development of Gestalt interventions, review requirements of supervision in first six months of supervision.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Vote: Passed

Motion 24: Move to grant Jennifer Edwards LAC with stipulations: Review Arkansas privilege communication law, non-professional interactions, ethical dilemmas in first six months of supervision.

Moved: Rick Grace
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Vote: Passed

Motion 25: Move to grant Emily Boyers LAC with stipulations: Review limits of confidentiality/privilege communication and non-professional interactions, requirements of supervision in first 6 months of supervision.

Moved: Rick Grace
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Vote: Passed

Motion 26: Move to grant Kelli Burroughs LAC with stipulations: Review ethics and requirements of supervision during level one supervision.

Moved: Mike Kelly
Seconded: Cheryl Edwards
Vote: Passed

Motion 27: Motion to grant Wade Peter Freund LAMFT.

Moved: Wendy Blackwood
Seconded: Suzanne Casey
Recused: Ryan Martin
Vote: Passed

Motion 28: Michael Brown is eligible to return for second interview.

Moved: Rick Grace
Seconded: Robbie Cline
Vote: Passed

Motion 29: Teresa Whitmore is eligible to return for a second interview.

Moved: Ryan Martin
Seconded: Wendy Blackwood
Vote: Passed

Motion 30: Jennifer Williamson-Deny LAC Supervision Specialization. Candidate was unable to provide satisfactory answers that reflect a higher standard expected of those providing supervision. Need to review ethics, supervision requirements, theory and practice.

Moved: Cheryl Edwards

Seconded: Mike Kelly

Vote: Passed

ALL MOTIONS PASSED UNANIMOUSLY UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

Board Approved:

Board Chair

Date

Board Secretary

Date