

REVISED CHECKLIST FOR PUBLIC MEETINGS

(Fill in the blanks to correspond to each respective board, commission, or committee.)

I am, Maria Skedros, moderator of this telephonic Massage Therapy Licensing Board meeting..

I would like to call this telephonic meeting of the Massage Therapy Licensing Board to order.

It is now (time) 9:04 (am / pm) on February 17th, 2015.

This meeting is being held in (room) 475 of the Heber M. Wells Building
in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Notice of this meeting was provided as required under Utah's Open Meeting laws.

In compliance with Utah's Open Meetings laws, this meeting is being recorded in its entirety. The recording will be posted to the Utah Public Notice Website no later than three business days following the meeting.

In compliance with Utah's Open Meeting laws, minutes will also be prepared of this meeting and will be posted to the Utah Public Notice Website. Appropriately marked "pending approval" minutes will be posted no later than 30 days after the close of the meeting and "approved" minutes no later than three business days after approval.

The following (Board / Committee / Commission) members are in attendance:

	YES	NO
<u>Sharon Muir</u> , Chairperson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Carolyn Redington</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Micheal Black</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Hal Morell</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The following (Board / Committee / Commission) members are absent: (Refer to the above list.)

The following individuals representing DOPL and the Department of Commerce are in attendance:

	YES	NO
<u>Mark B. Steinagel</u> , Division Director	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<u>Maria Skedros</u> , Bureau Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Sally Canavan</u> , Board Secretary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

We welcome any visitors and interested persons at this time. Please be sure to sign the attendance report for the meeting and identify yourself before speaking.

As a courtesy to everyone participating in this meeting, at this time we ask for all cell phones, pagers, and other electronic devices to be turned off or changed to silent mode.

Board motions and votes will be recorded in the minutes.

Let us now proceed with the agenda.

(End of the Meeting) It is now (time) 9:31 (am / pm), and this meeting is adjourned.

Proposed Rule Change

Massage Therapy Rule Re-Write

R156-47b-302. Qualifications for Licensure as a Massage Therapist- Massage School and Curriculum Standards.

In accordance with Subsection 58-47b-302 (2) (e) (i) (A), an applicant must graduate from a school of massage with a curriculum, which at the time of graduation, which meets the following standards:

- (1) Curricula shall:
 - (a) ~~Be approved by the Division and or the Board.~~
 - (b) Be registered with the Utah Department of Commerce, Division of Consumer Protection; OR
 - (c) Be registered with an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education.
 - (d) ~~Original documentation must be submitted directly to the Division by the school.~~
 - (e) Curricula shall be a minimum of 700 hours and shall include the following:
 - (a) Anatomy, physiology, and kinesiology- 125 hours
 - (b) Pathology- 40 hours
 - (c) Massage theory, massage techniques including the five basic Swedish massage strokes, and hands on instruction- 285 hours;
 - (d) Professional standards, ethics and business practices- 35 hours;
 - (e) Sanitation and universal precautions including CPR and first aid- 15 hours;
 - (f) Clinic- 100 hours.
- (2) School shall
 - (a) Be registered with an accrediting agency that is recognized by the United States Department of Education and curricula shall meet Division standards.
 - (b) ~~Original documentation must be submitted directly to the Division by the school.~~

R156-47b-302a. Qualifications for licensure- Equivalent Education and Training Standards.

- (1) In accordance with Subsection 58-47b-302 (2) (e) (i) (B), an applicant who completes equivalent education and training must ~~have original documentation submitted to the Division~~ by either the school or the instructor.
 - (a) (i) ~~Graduated from a licensed school that is registered and is in good standing with an accrediting agency that is recognized by United States Department of Education, and completed a minimum of 700 hours as set forth in the curricula standards.~~
 - (b) Complete the examination requirements, AND
 - (c) Practice as licensed massage therapist for a minimum of 2,000 hours. OR
 - (a) If education is obtained through foreign education and training, approval of the education must be obtained by NCBTMB as evidence by current NCBTMB certification, all original documentation must be sent to the Division directly; AND
 - (b) Practice as a licensed massage therapist for a minimum of 2,000 hours; AND
 - (c) Complete the examination requirements OR

- (a) Completion of an apprenticeship program with a minimum of 2,000 hours (do we want to specify how these 2,000 hours should be spent?). All original documentation must be submitted by the instructor to the Division directly.
- (b) Maintain records that shall include the number of hours of instruction and training received, number of hours of client services performed and number of hours of training completed.
- (c) Complete the examination requirements.
- (d) All hours of supervised training ,while licensed as a massage therapy apprentice must be submitted to the Division by the instructor and cannot be used to satisfy the required minimum of 1,000 hours of supervised apprenticeship training specified in Subsection R156-47b-302(2)

R156-47b-302b. Qualifications for Licensure-Examination Requirements.

In accordance with Subsections 58-47b-302 (2) (f) and 58-47b-302 (3) (f), the examination requirement for licensure as a massage therapist or an apprentice shall:

- (1) Beginning February 1, 2015, the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination MBLEx exam will be the only exam offered for licensure.
- (2) Exams taken prior to February 1, 2015 will still be accepted for application for licensure:
 - (i) The National Certification Examination for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork (NCETMB);
 - (ii) The National Certification Examination for Therapeutic Massage (NCETM);
 - (iii) The National Examination for State Licensure (NESL); or
 - (iv) The Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards (FSMTB) Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination (MBLEx)

R156-47b-302c Apprenticeship Standards for a Supervisor.

In accordance with Subsection 58-47-302 (2) (e) (ii), an apprentice supervisor shall:

- (1) Not begin the apprenticeship program until:
 - (a) The apprentice is licensed; and
 - (b) The supervisor is approved and in good standing with the Division
- (2) Supervise not more than two apprentices at one time, unless otherwise preapproved by the Division.
- (3) Submit a curriculum content outline with the apprentice application, including a list of resource materials to be used;
- (4) Display a conspicuous sign near the work station of the apprentice stating "Apprentice in Training";
 - (a) Keep a daily record which shall include:
 - (i) Number of hours of instruction and training completed;

- (ii) The number of hours of client services performed and
- (iii) Number of hours of training completed;