

MINUTES

**UTAH
Psychologist Licensing Board
MEETING**

April 16, 2013

**Room 475, 4th Floor – 8:00 A.M.
Heber Wells Building
Salt Lake City, UT 84111**

CONVENED: 8:09 A.M.

ADJOURNED: 10:03 AM.

**Bureau Manager:
Board Secretary:**

Richard J. Oborn
Lee Avery

Board Members Present:

Valerie Hale, Ph.D., Chairperson
Janiece Pompa, Ph.D. Acting Chairperson
Aaron P. Jackson, Ph.D.
Steven Christensen

Guests:

Nanci Klein, Utah Psychological Association
Dr. Lora Tuesday Heathfield, U of U
Dr. Elaine Clark, U of U
Dr. Daniel Olympia, U of U

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

MINUTES:

The minutes dated January 15, 2013 were tabled to the next Board meeting.

Compliance Report

Dr. Eric Hanson is not in compliance with his stipulation. He is missing January supervisor report. He submitted the February and March supervisor reports. He submitted a therapy report and a new essay.

Discussion:

The Board noted he submitted the documents requested at his meeting with the Board in January, except his January supervisor report.

APPOINTMENTS:

Dr. Nanci Klein, Utah Psychological Association

Dr. Klein met with the Board to discuss pre-doctoral experience with the Board. Dr. Klein advised the Board that the U of U was not aware of the change in

R156-61-102(3)(a) and that the Board had implemented APPIC as a standard. This standard has a negative impact on school psychologists completing hours in schools. The Board discussed changing the rule to accommodate school psychologists or keep the rule as is and create a transitional phase. The Board felt more time was needed to consider the options and Mr. Oborn will review them with the Director. This was tabled until the next Board meeting.

Dr. Eric Hanson, probation interview

Dr. Hanson met with the Board. Dr. Jackson conducted the interview. Dr. Hanson was late for his interview. Dr. Hanson stated his medication was changed and did not work very well. He went back to his previous prescription and things are going okay now. The Board advised Dr. Hanson that he has not submitted his January supervisor report. The Division received his February and March supervisor report, his therapy report and his new essay. Dr. Larson stated his supervisor and therapist met and are working together to help him. Both have given him some good ideas. Dr. Hanson stated he sees his supervisor every week. The Board advised Dr. Hanson that once he has all of his reports submitted on time, the Board would consider moving his reports to quarterly. The Board reviewed his essay and noted he had good insights regarding how clients perceived boundaries different than the psychologists and this would be the same for any professional. Dr. Hanson mentioned the need to consult with other professionals about ethical issues. It is easy to get isolated in a private practice. The Board asked to see Dr. Hanson July 16, 2013. **Dr. Hanson is not in compliance with his stipulation because his supervisor report for January was not received.**

1. 2013 Legislative Session

Mr. Oborn reviewed the 2013 Legislative Session, H.B. 56 – Behavioral Healthcare Workforce Amendments. This includes remote therapy and counseling, remote supervision of mental health therapists in training; and license exemption for therapists and counselors licensed out of state providing remote transitional care to clients physically located in Utah for up to 45 days.

2. Rule changes prompted by bills passed

Mr. Oborn reviewed proposed rule changes prompted

during 2013 Legislative Session

3. ASPPB Jurisdictional Survey on
Interjurisdictional Telepsychology Practice

4. Scheduling of next Board meeting

by bills passed during the 2013 Legislative Session.

The Board tabled this discussion to the next Board meeting.

Mr. Oborn advised the Board that due to DOPL being remodeled, we may need to look for an off site location for the July Board meeting. Dr. Hale offered a conference room located at her private practice.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None at this time.

2013 Board meetings:

July 16, October 29

ADJOURN:

Motion to adjourn at: 10:03 A.M.

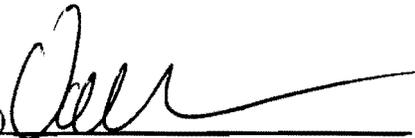
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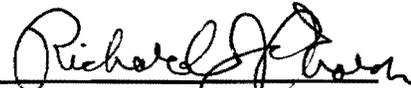
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Chairperson, Psychology Licensing Board

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Bureau Manager, Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing