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## Board of Allied Mental Health and Human Services Professions

February 14, 2019
Division of Professional Licensure
1000 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02118
Room: 1-D

Staff Present:

Erin LeBel, Ex. Dir.

James O'Connor, Board Counsel

Eboni Lewis, Program Coordinator

Anita Singh, Board Administrator

### **Board Members Present:**

Bill Ahearn, Chair
Susan Egan, Member
Heidi Creighton, Public Member
Jacqueline Gagliardi, Member
Karen Enegess, Member @ 10:08 AM
Amy Vercillo, Member
Steven Kaplan, Member
Steven Woolf, Member
Jennifer Paine, Member @ 10:21 AM
Scott Cohen, LMFT @ 11:27 AM

### Absent:

Mary Jenewin-Caplin, Public Member Cynthia Belhumeur, Public Member

# 10:07 AM

Board meeting called to order and an emergency exit procedures announcement was made.

A motion was made by Susan Egan and seconded by Steven Kaplan to accept the minutes as written for the January 18<sup>th</sup> 2019 Board meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

# **Board Discussion:**

 The Board discussed LMHC application process, as well opening a dialogue about LMHC regulation review and the process to change the regulations. A motion was made by Steven K. and seconded by Heidi Creighton to form an LMHC subcommittee for regulation review which shall consist of two LMHC Board members and the Board Chair.

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A motion was made by Karen Enegess a seconded Jacqueline Gagliardi to enter into Investigative Conference pursuant to G.L. c. 112, § 65C to review the following: MH 2017-001480-IT-ENF, MH 2018-001319-IT-ENF, MH 2018-000953-IT-ENF, MH 2016-000951-IT-ENF, MH 2018-000450-IT-ENF and MH 2018-000909-IT-ENF.

# 11:00 AM Return to Open Meeting

While in investigate conference, the Board made the following decisions:

MH 2017-001480-IT-ENF Tabled

MH 2018-000909-IT-ENF Forward to Prosecutions

MH 2016-000951-IT-ENF Discussed settlement terms

MH 2018-000450-IT-ENF Dismiss

MH 2018-001319-IT –ENF Dismiss W/Advisory

MH 2018-000985-IT-ENF Dismiss

MH 2018-000953-IT-ENF Dismiss

# 12:36 PM Board returned to open meeting

## **Board Discussion:**

2. Review of Application JC- Jennifer P. and Karen E seconded to deny the application based on unrelated Master's degree

3. Review of Application MM- Jennifer P. and Karen E seconded to deny the application based on unrelated Master's degree

4. Review of Application LR- Scott C. and Steve W. seconded to deny the application based on unrelated Master's degree

5. Administrative Review of Applications

Board meeting adjourned 1:07 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Eboni Lewis

Program Coordinator