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Public Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

May 17, 2019
Room 1D

Subcommittee Members Present:

Jennifer Paine, Board Member
Karen Enegess, Board Member
Christine Cassidy, Cambridge College
John Ciervo, Cambridge College
Midge Williams, Massachusetts Mental Health Counselors Association

Staff Members Present:

James O'Connor, Board Counsel
Erin Murphy, Program Coordinator

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 1:40 p.m.

Discussion

The Subcommittee considered changes to 262 CMR 2.00 which includes requirements for licensure as a Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC).

The Subcommittee discussed whether schools might develop a jurisprudence examination for LMHC applicants and lowering the amount of time applicants are permitted to obtain post-master's degree experience. The Subcommittee also considered whether to make the time permitted to obtain post-master's degree experience match Massachusetts health regulations time constraints.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:06 p.m.



The above minutes were approved at the public meeting held on August 19, 2022.



Brian Bialas, Executive Director