

BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

November 10, 2017

Board Members Present: Michelle Jacobo, Ph.D., Co-Chair
Robert Carey, Jr., Ph.D. Chair
Kimberly Bistis, Psy. D., Vice Chair
Marshaun Glover, Ph.D., Secretary
David Scherer, Ph.D.
Vicky Anderson, Psy. D.
William Hudgins, Ph.D.
Betty Allen

Staff Present: Erin LeBel, Executive Director
Peter Kelley, Board Counsel
Matthew Runge, Board Investigator

Board Business:

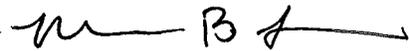
1. At 9:02 a.m., the meeting was called to order by Dr. Jacobo.
2. Dr. Jacobo reviewed evacuation instructions.
3. On a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Hudgins, with suggested corrections to the spelling of Dr. Anderson's name, the board meeting minutes were unanimously approved from the October 13th meeting.
4. There was no correspondence.
5. On a motion by Dr. Scherer, seconded by Ms. Allen, the board voted and agreed unanimously to approve the administrative review of applicants.
6. Board counsel report provided by Attorney Kelley on discussion of mandated reporting and the need to pending psychologist mandate to enroll as billing or non-billing provider for Mass Health.

The Board Counsel also reviewed the recent correspondence from ASPPB regarding their initiative to make the licensing exam a two-tiered exam. Attorney Kelley emphasized the fact that there was no legal requirement for the Board to only accept the two-tiered exam, and it would be at their own discretion. Erin LeBel and Dr. Jacobo will participate in the webinar to learn more about the examination.

7. At 9:27 am, Dr. Bistis moved, and was seconded by Dr. Scherer, and all were in favor to enter into closed session for the purpose of conducting investigative conferences, pursuant to G. L. c. 112, § 65C, for: PY 2017-000636-IT-ENF licensee present; PY 2017-000884-IT-ENF attorney for licensee present along with licensee, PY 2017-000909-IT-ENF

8. At 11:36 am, on a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Scherer, the board voted to exit closed session and enter open session. All were in favor.
9. 2017-000636-IT-ENF: In order to determine whether any precedent has been established for the disposition of this case, discussion on this case was tabled until the next meeting.
10. 2017-000884-IT-ENF: On a motion by Dr. Hudgins, seconded by Dr. Glover, the board agreed to invite the complainant to meet with the board during investigative conference. All were in favor.
11. 2017-000909-IT-ENF: on a motion by Dr. Bistis, seconded by Dr. Hudgins, the board voted unanimously to invite the licensee to meet with the Board during investigative conference.
12. No case assignments made.
13. Reviewed telemedicine policy.
14. At 11:45 p.m., on a motion by Dr. Scherer, seconded by Dr. Bistis, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,



Marshaun B. Glover, Ph.D.
Board Secretary