

Minutes
Arkansas Psychology Board
via Teleconference
Board Meeting
July 16, 2021

CALL TO ORDER

The Arkansas Psychology Board meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Board, Dr. Kleitsch, at 10:05 AM.

ROLL CALL

Board members present: Dr. Lisa Fitzgibbons, Ms. Fuller, Dr. Art Gillaspy, Dr. Edward Kleitsch and Mr. Mickey Shell.

Dr. Gillaspy made a motion to excuse Dr. Joyce Fowler and Dr. Betty Everett. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. James Furgason was absent.

Staff members present: Mr. Colin Davies and Ms. Brandi Thompson.

Mr. Joe West was present as the Board's Attorney General's representative.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to approve as amended adding the Chairman's Report. Mr. Shell seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

APPROVAL OF PAST MINUTES

Dr. Dr. Gillaspy made a motion to approve the June Minutes as amended. Mr. Shell seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Ms. Fuller advised that the agency continues to operate within its budget. The monthly expenditure for May was \$8,303.43, revenue was \$52,274.72, the remaining appropriations \$50,694.26, and the cash investment balance was \$839,237.62.

The monthly expenditure for June was \$9,910.34, revenue was \$98,847.05, the remaining appropriations \$42,575.20, and the cash investment balance was \$883,208.91. Dr. Gillaspy made a motion to accept both reports. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Dr. Gillaspay advised of no report.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Dr. Kleitsch advised of the following discussions from the ASPPB Zoom meeting held on July 15, 2021:

- Wisconsin no longer requires pre-doctoral internship or practicum,
- Reciprocity and Covid-19 waivers among the states,
- APA pushing for Masters' level licensing,
- Beta testing for EPPP2 has been completed and scores will be provided August 15, 2021,
- The progression of the Behavioral Analyst License,
- E-Passport to go through PsyPact and ASPPB wants the equivalency of APA internships, and
- The next ASPPB Annual meeting will be held on October 15-16, 2021.

REPORT FROM THE COMPLAINT COMMITTEE

The Complaint Committee made a recommendation to dismiss C#21-09 due to lack of evidence of ethical violations. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to accept the recommendation to dismiss. Mr. Shell seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Davies advised the Board of the following:

- Going to start comparing PsyPact to our Rules and what needs to change and must vote on a representative.
- AG's office will release universal language on rule changes that will affect all boards and we can look at that language when it comes out.
- If you have any changes to the rules that you would like to make, please let Joe and I know within the next two weeks.
- Dr. Goodwin has picked a supervisor and the Board will have to vote to approve the supervisor that he has picked. The supervisor is licensed with the Arkansas Psychology Board. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to add to the agenda. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion. The motion was rescinded and Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to review the Supervision Agreement and Plan once received. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

CE Extension

Dr. Lisa McNeir submitted a request for an extension to complete Continuing Education hours. Mr. Shell made a motion accept the request and to advise of the \$50 delinquent CE penalty fee. Dr. Gillaspay seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Completion of 3,000 Hours

Ms. Penny Dedmon submitted a documentation requesting Psychological Examiner-Independent status. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to table the request and advised to submit a clearer accounting of supervision hours. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Statement of Intent-Telepsychology

Dr. Catherine Coon submitted a Statement of Intent to add telepsychology. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Vicki Grantham submitted a Statement of Intent to add telepsychology. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Dennis Vowell submitted a Statement of Intent to add telepsychology. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Supervision Agreement and Plan

Dr. Eileen Croes-Orf submitted a Supervision Agreement and Plan to pursue supervision with Dr. Amanda McCorkindale as her supervisor. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to deny due to the request being unclear as to if Dr. McCorkindale would be the Primary or Secondary Supervisor also to advise 1-hour of supervision is required weekly. Mr. Shell seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Supervisor Status

Dr. Chrystal Fullen submitted an application for Supervisory Status. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Jon Nolan submitted an application for Supervisory Status. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ming Yek submitted an application for Supervisory Status. Ms. Fuller made a motion to approve. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

QUARTERLY REPORTS

1. Dr. Eileen Croes-Orf's Quarterly Report for the period of September 7, 2020 – December 4, 2020, with Veteran Affairs (VA). Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to reject the report pending submission of additional documentation regarding supervision. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.
2. Dr. Christina Jeffrey's Quarterly Report for the period of February 8, 2021 – May 7, 2021. Dr. Gillaspay recused himself. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to accept pending submission of signed form. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.
3. Dr. Lindsey Robert's Quarterly Report for the period of July 13, 2021 – October 13, 2021. Dr. Kleitsch recused himself. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to deny due to untimely submission and to issue a formal notice to show cause. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.
4. Dr. Ivan Vargas' Quarterly Report for the period of April 2021 – June 2021. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to accept 3 hours of individual supervision toward Post-Doctoral experience and advised 1-hour is required weekly. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.

The Credential Review Committee made a fully seconded motion to approve the following Quarterly Report form:

5. Dr. Lilli-Anna Baca's Quarterly Report for the period of March 24, 2021 – June 23, 2021. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to accept. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.
6. Dr. Kyla Warnick's Quarterly Report for the period of March 24, 2021 – June 23, 2021. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to accept. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.

The motions passed unanimously.

CREDENTIAL REVIEWS

1. Dr. Mina Nguyen-Driver submitted an application to be considered as an Applicant Senior- Psychologist. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to denied credentials as a fully Licensed Psychologist and advised to wait 7 months or apply as an Applicant Psychologist, CPQ or National Register. Dr. Gillaspay seconded the motion.

2. Dr. Lindsey Roberts submitted an application to be considered as a Licensed Psychologist. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to approve credentials as a fully Licensed Psychologist pending review of Quarterly Reports. Dr. Gillaspay seconded the motion.
3. Dr. Kelli Taylor submitted an application to be considered as an Applicant Psychologist-Provisional Licensee. Dr. Fitzgibbons recused herself. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to deny credentials as a fully Licensed Psychologist due to program not being accepted for Arkansas licensure and incomplete internship. Ms. Fuller seconded the motion.

The Credential Review Committee made a fully seconded motion to approve the following credential(s):

4. Dr. Ellen Mahoney- Crouse submitted an application to be considered as an Applicant CPQ- Psychologist. Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to approve credentials as a fully Licensed Psychologist. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion.
5. Dr. Daniel Johnson submitted credentials for Ms. Amy Faughn for consideration as a Neuropsychological Technician. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to approve credentials as a Neuropsychological Technician. Dr. Gillaspay seconded the motion.
6. Dr. Mark Stern submitted an application to be considered as a Licensed Psychologist. Dr. Fitzgibbons made a motion to approve credentials as a fully Licensed Psychologist. Mr. Shell seconded the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

Dr. Gillaspay made a motion to adjourn at 12:10pm. Dr. Fitzgibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.