

OHIO BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY
MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 14, 2016
RIFFE CENTER, 19th FLOOR, ROOM 1960
77 S. HIGH ST. COLUMBUS, OH 43215

BOARD MEMBERS

President: Kenneth Drude, Ph.D., Psychologist Member, 2016
Secretary: Denise Rabold, Ph.D., Psychologist Member, 2018
Amy Hess, Consumer Advocate Member, 2016
Charles Hoffman, MSW, Consumer Advocate Organization Rep. Member, 2017
Steven Keller, J.D., Consumer Advocate Member, 2018
Douglas Cole, Ph.D., School Psychologist Member, 2018
Bradley Hedges, Ph.D., Psychologist Member, 2019
Alice Randolph, Ed.D., Psychologist Member, 2020

STAFF/BOARD LEGAL COUNSEL PRESENT

Ronald Ross, Ph.D., Executive Director; Carolyn Knauss, Investigator; Amanda Danko, Investigator;
Roger F. Carroll, Principal Assistant Attorney General and Board Counsel

10:02AM MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY DR. DRUDE

DR. HEDGES CALLED THE ROLL

Mr. Keller	Present
Dr. Drude	Present
Mrs. Hess	Present
Mr. Hoffman	Absent
Dr. Cole	Present
Dr. Rabold	Absent (Joined meeting at 10:05)
Dr. Hedges	Present
Dr. Randolph	Absent (Joined meeting at 10:20)

APPROVAL OF JANUARY 14, 2016 BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

Dr. Drude invited comments about the draft meeting minutes of January 14, 2016 distributed with the agenda. A motion to approve the minutes without amendment was made by Dr. Cole and seconded by Ms. Hess.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Cole, Mr. Keller, Mrs. Hess, Dr. Hedges
Nay: None
Abstain: None

The motion passed.

APPROVAL OF MARCH 10, 2016 SPECIAL (RETREAT) MEETING MINUTES

Dr. Drude invited comments about the draft meeting minutes of March 10, 2016 distributed with the agenda. A motion to approve the minutes without amendment was made by Dr. Hedges and seconded by Dr. Cole.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Cole, Mr. Keller, Mrs. Hess, Dr. Hedges
Nay: None
Abstain: None

The motion passed.

Dr. Rabold joined the meeting.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Drude provided reports and updates on: The Governor's annual ethics law training requirement; the annual Ethics Commission Financial Disclosure Statements deadline of May 16, 2016; ASPPB PsyPACT, including a presentation he is giving at the annual OPA convention later in the month; the upcoming Board officer elections at the July 21, 2016 meeting; and, an ASPPB Mid-year meeting presentation he is giving in May 2016 on the Board's experience with texting and email in the context of a social media educational panel. Dr. Drude also reported that he has been invited to serve on the ASPPB Job Analysis Task Force, which is involved in the early stages of developing a skills-based EPPP-2 to supplement the knowledge based EPPP.

ENTRANCE EXAMINER REPORT

Dr. Ross sought approval of his entrance examiner's report distributed with the agenda.

<u>PSYCHOLOGIST</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>ISSUED</u>
AHLEY SHIER	7384	12/7/2015
RACHEL BECKER HERBST	7385	12/7/2015
NORA CORCORAN	7386	12/15/2015
ERIN LEA	7387	12/21/2015
JAMIE HUCKINS-BARKER	7388	1/14/2016
SARAH SKOCH	7389	1/18/2016
LUIS CRUZ-ORTEGA	7390	1/18/2016
MICHAEL FLORES	7391	1/18/2016
JOEL MARCUS	7392	1/18/2016
KATHRINE ALOUANI	7393	1/18/2016
ABBY BRADEN	7394	1/18/2016
NICOLE BOSSE	7395	1/18/2016
AUBREY MORRISON-GILL	7396	1/18/2016
KRISTIN HARRIS	7397	1/18/2016
TONG-AN SHUEH	7398	1/18/2016
KELLY ISAACS CLOES	7399	1/18/2016
HEIDI DELOVEH	7400	1/18/2016
TORI MOSKOVCIK	7401	1/18/2016
JOSHUA GOOTZEIT	7402	1/18/2016
ABIGAIL LESLIE	7403	1/18/2016
KARIN WORRELL	7404	1/18/2016
ALLISON BURKE	7405	1/18/2016
KRISTIN JASTROWSKI MANO	7406	1/18/2016
JESSE BURGARD	7407	1/18/2016
TRACY HELMER	7408	1/18/2016
DONALD NEWBERRY	7409	1/25/2016
JASON SCHWENKER	7410	3/2/2016
ARI RABKIN	7411	3/2/2016
JACQUELYN PIDRUZNY	7412	3/2/2016
MELISSA MITCHELL	7413	3/2/2016
DEBORAH RICH	7414	3/2/2016
ERIN SMITH	7415	3/2/2016
JAMES ORTH	7416	3/2/2016
NANCY GHALI	7417	3/3/2016

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

HEATHER FREIBERG	SP614	2/8/2016
ROBYN COLEMAN	SP615	2/8/2016
JULIE SHAW	SP616	3/18/2016

CERTIFIED OHIO BEHAVIOR ANALYST

CAROLYN WILLKE	COBA.236	1/19/2016
CALLIE GARTENMAN	COBA.237	1/19/2016
JUDITH FALCONE	COBA.238	1/19/2016
JENNIFER BLANKENSHIP	COBA.239	1/19/2016
ERIN HANDLER	COBA.240	1/19/2016
AMBER TAYLOR	COBA.241	1/19/2016
STEVEN LOREUS	COBA.242	1/21/2016
TIFFANYWALTZ	COBA.243	1/29/2016
LEAH GONGOLA	COBA.244	2/1/2016
ALYSSA JAECK	COBA.245	2/18/2016
NICOLE PINEDA	COBA.246	2/24/2016
MALIA WOLVERTON	COBA.247	3/7/2016

PSYCHOLOGIST 30-DAY PRACTICE PERMISSION

JONATHAN W. GOULD (Entering Ohio)	NC	1/21/2016
SHARON LIGHTFOOT (Entering Ohio)	MO	2/1/2016
NICOLE CONNOLLY (Telepsychology)	CA	2/17/2016
MARK CUNNINGHAM (Entering Ohio)	TX	2/24/2016
GEORGEANNE DUNCAN-HIVELY (Entering Ohio)	MO	3/25/2016
WELLS HIVELY (Entering Ohio)	MO	3/25/2016
SAMUEL SCHACHNER (Entering Ohio)	PA	3/25/2016

Dr. Cole made a motion to approve the Entrance Examiner's report, noting that he would recuse himself from voting on the licensure of Heather Freiberg; Dr. Hedges second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Cole, Mr. Keller, Mrs. Hess, Dr. Hedges

Nay: None

Abstain: As noted above

The motion passed.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Dr. Drude asked Dr. Ross to present items requiring Board action.

Oral exam policy 4.2 update. The policy amendments distributed with the agenda were approved without discussion. Dr. Cole moved, Dr. Hedges second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Cole, Mr. Keller, Mrs. Hess, Dr. Hedges

Nay: None

Abstain: None

The motion passed.

Email retention guidance policy 10.19. Dr. Hedges moved that the policy be approved as presented; Dr. Rabold second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Cole, Mr. Keller, Mrs. Hess, Dr. Hedges

Nay: None

Abstain: None

The motion passed.

Dr. Randolph joined the meeting.

“Conversion therapy” advisory. Dr. Ross asked the Board to consider a proposed advisory statement, distributed with the agenda, for publication on the Board’s website:

Advisory Statement on Sexual Orientation Change Efforts

Consensus statements from across the behavioral health community indicate that: persons who identify as homosexual, bisexual and/or transgender are not, per se, suffering from a psychological problem or mental disorder; and, interventions sometimes referred to as “conversion therapy” and “sexual orientation change efforts” targeted at changing a person’s sexual orientation or gender identity are contraindicated and can be harmful, especially when imposed on youth. For example, see statements and references published online by the Ohio Psychological Association, the American Psychological Association, the National Association of Social Workers, the American Counseling Association, the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, and the American Medical Association.

Professional consensus and expert opinion, in part, establish the standards of acceptable practice in psychology. Avoiding harm is the cornerstone of psychological ethics. Existing laws and rules governing psychologists and school psychologists provide a basis by which targeting conversion therapy at minors could result in charges of misconduct and disciplinary action against the license, including but not necessarily limited to:

Ohio Revised Code 4732.17 Actions against applicants or license holders

(A) Subject to division (F) of this section, the state board of psychology may take any of the actions specified in division (C) of this section against an applicant for or a person who holds a license issued under this chapter on any of the following grounds as applicable:

(6) Being negligent in the practice of psychology or school psychology;

(9) Practicing in an area of psychology for which the person is clearly untrained or incompetent;

Ohio Administrative Code 4732-17-01 General rules of professional conduct

(B) Negligence:

(1) A license holder in a professional psychological role, as that term is defined in paragraph (R) of rule 4732-3-01 of the Administrative Code shall be considered negligent if his/her behaviors toward his/her clients, evaluatees, supervisees, employees or students, in the judgment of the board, clearly fall below the standards for acceptable practice of psychology or school psychology.

(4) Misrepresentation of affiliations. A license holder shall not misrepresent directly or by implication his/her affiliations or the purposes or characteristics of institutions and organizations with which the psychologist is associated.

(c) A license holder shall not associate with or permit his/her name to be used in connection with any services or products in such a way as to misrepresent them, the degree of his/her responsibility for them, or the nature of his/her association with them.

(C) Welfare of the client, evaluatee, and associated persons:

(7) Stereotypes. A license holder shall not impose on a client any stereotypes of behavior, values, or roles related to age, gender, religion, race, disability, nationality, or sexual orientation that would interfere with the objective provision of psychological services to the client.

After discussion, Dr. Hedges made a motion to adopt and publish the statement on the Board’s website; Dr. Randolph second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Hedges, Dr. Cole, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Randolph, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller

Nay: None

Abstain: None

The motion passed.

PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR PSYCHOLOGISTS

As a follow up to the introduction of SB300 (Sen. Bill Seitz), which would amend the psychology licensing law to allow for authority to prescribe medication for mental health treatment by appropriately trained psychologists, Dr. Randolph presented information about the history of prescriptive authority for psychologists and the APA's *Recommended Postdoctoral Education and Training Program in Psychopharmacology for Prescriptive Authority*. Dr. Randolph reviewed the APA curriculum and requirements for the post-doctoral master's program and examination requirements (PEP). There was agreement that the Board was not advocating for SB300 per se but supporting the APA position and the concept of prescriptive authority under very specific circumstances. There was discussion focused on increasing access to safe care including community mental health settings and for injured workers, and how there are major gaps in access. Dr. Randolph made a motion that the Board adopt the following statement to reflect status as an interested party to this matter:

"The Ohio Board of Psychology supports the concept that licensed psychologists with post-doctoral education and training in general accordance with the model psychopharmacology curriculum of the American Psychological Association and who have passed the Psychopharmacology Examination for Psychologists can safely prescribe medications used in behavioral health treatment. Expansion of the practice of psychology in Ohio to include prescriptive authority for appropriately trained psychologists could safely increase access to integrated behavioral health services and is in the public interest.

If through the legislative process a law is enacted that ensures the protection of consumers and expands the practice of psychology to include prescriptive authority, the Board is prepared to fulfill the responsibilities of authoring implementing rules with stakeholders from the medical and mental health communities and issuing certificates only to those qualified by education, training, and supervised experience."

Dr. Cole second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Hedges, Dr. Cole, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Randolph, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller

Nay: None

Abstain: None

The motion passed.

Dr. Drude reported that Drs. Randolph and Ross may testify about the Board's interests as circumstances warrant.

STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE

The updated strategic plan from the March 10, 2016 special meeting was accepted by consensus without comment.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT RESUMED

Dr. Ross resumed his report, presenting several reports and updates: OPA-MCE and OSPA-MCE contract schedule; Budget Report-Expenditure and Revenue Detail; Budget Report—FY16 Q3 Payroll Detail; Enforcement Report FY16 Q3; Enforcement Statistics for 2015-16; Licensing/Certification Detail; Health Professions Data Warehouse Project update; and, Administrative Policy 10.2 (C) Reconciliation of renewal (credit card) revenue.

Dr. Ross noted that he has seen outdated oral examination study materials and flash cards on the Internet. There was discussion and consensus that candidates should be notified about the presence of outdated and inaccurate information. By consensus Dr. Ross was directed to add cautionary language about this issue to the receipt for the oral exam preparation manual.

Disciplinary Guidelines Update. There was discussion about updating the guidelines due to recent changes to the law and rules. By consensus it was agreed that there will be a stakeholder group invited to meetings to review and update the guidelines. Meeting attendees/guests Glenn Karr, Ann Brennan, and Michael Ranney asked to be included, and there was consensus to get a broad stakeholder group together and to include discussion about possible revisions to the Board rules on prohibited multiple relationships.

There was a brief break at 11:40AM.

DR. RABOLD CALLED THE ROLL

Mr. Keller	Present
Dr. Drude	Present
Mrs. Hess	Present
Mr. Hoffman	Absent
Dr. Cole	Present
Dr. Rabold	Present
Dr. Hedges	Present
Dr. Randolph	Present

Dr. Rabold made a motion to enter Executive Session for the purpose of considering an investigation or a complaint against a Board licensee pursuant to ORC 121.22 (G)(1); and, to discuss the Board's oral examination questions, which are trade secrets and matters that Federal law, rules, or state statutes require that the Board keep confidential; Mr. Keller second.

A roll call vote to enter Executive Session was conducted

Dr. Randolph	Yes
Dr. Drude	Yes
Mr. Keller	Yes
Dr. Cole	Yes
Dr. Rabold	Yes
Dr. Hedges	Yes
Mrs. Hess	Yes

EXECUTIVE SESSION began at 11:50AM

A roll call vote to end Executive Session was conducted

Dr. Randolph	Yes
Dr. Drude	Yes
Mr. Keller	Yes
Dr. Cole	Yes
Dr. Rabold	Yes
Dr. Hedges	Yes
Mrs. Hess	Yes

Executive Session ended and general session resumed at 12:10PM.

Dr. Cole made a motion to approve Consent Agreement #1 presented in Executive Session; Dr. Randolph second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Hedges, Dr. Cole, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Randolph, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller
Nay: None

Abstain: Dr. Drude

The motion passed.

Dr. Randolph made a motion to approve Consent Agreement #2 presented in Executive Session; Dr. Hedges second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Hedges, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Randolph, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller

Nay: None

Abstain: Dr. Drude, Dr. Cole

The motion passed.

Dr. Hedges made a motion to approve Consent Agreement #3 presented in Executive Session; Dr. Cole second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Hedges, Dr. Cole, Dr. Rabold, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller

Nay: None

Abstain: Dr. Randolph

The motion passed.

Dr. Randolph made a motion to approve a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing presented in Executive Session; Dr. Hedges second.

A vote was taken:

Aye: Dr. Drude, Dr. Hedges, Dr. Cole, Dr. Rabold, Dr. Randolph, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Keller

Nay: None

Abstain: Dr. Cole

The motion passed.

The subjects of the actions were announced:

Consent Agreement #1: Chikako Inoue Cox, PhD, Worthington, License 4335

Consent Agreement #2: Martin "Kyle" Johnson, PsyD, Columbus, License 6458

Consent Agreement #3: John Mason, PhD, Columbus, License 3462

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing: Marcia Jean Weber, PsyD, Dayton, License 4931

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by consensus at 12:20PM.

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Ronald Ross, Ph.D.
Executive Director

Kenneth P. Drude, Ph.D.
President