

THE KENTUCKY BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGY MINUTES
August 5, 2019

A regular meeting of the Board of Examiners of Psychology was held on August 5, 2019 at the Department of Professional Licensing in Frankfort, KY.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Elizabeth McKune, Ed.D. – Chair
Joseph Dickhaus, M.S. – Vice-Chair
Erica Pristas, Ph.D.
Justin Gilfert – Citizen at Large
Owen Nichols, Psy.D.

Emily Skaggs, Psy.D.
Stacy Seale, M.S.

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

Jennifer Beeler, Board Administrator
Isaac VanHoose, Commissioner

MEMBERS ABSENT

Jamie Hopkins, Ph.D.
Jean Deters, Psy.D.

OTHER

David Trimble, Legal Counsel

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. McKune called the meeting to order at 11:10 a.m.

MINUTES

The minutes of the July 8, 2019 & July 19, 2019 meetings were presented to the Board. Mr. Dickhaus made a motion to approve the minutes. Dr. Pristas seconded the motion and it carried.

MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT & LEGAL FEES

The financial reports ending July 2019 were presented to the board.

DPL REPORT

Mr. Trimble updated the board on the projected move.

LEGAL REPORT

Mr. Trimble discussed with the Board a case in which a psychologist who is licensed in another state, who is court appointed to provide a psychological evaluation to indigent criminal defendants would need to apply with the Board. The Board determined that per the regulations every psychologist that is practicing psychology in Kentucky needs to be licensed with the Board.

COMPLAINTS SCREENING COMMITTEE

- 2018PSY00007 – Ongoing
- 2018PSY00017 – Ongoing.
- 2018PSY00022 – Ongoing.
- 2018PSY00024 – Ongoing.
- 2019PSY00005 – A motion was made by the Complaints Screening Committee to dismiss. Dr. Nichols seconded, the motion carried.

- 2019PSY0008 - Ongoing.
- 2019PSY0010 - Ongoing.
- 2019PSY0011 - A motion was made by the Complaints Screening Committee to dismiss. Dr. Nichols seconded, the motion carried.
- 2019PSY0012 - A motion was made by the Complaints Screening Committee to dismiss. Dr. Nichols seconded, the motion carried.

The members of the Complaints Screening Committee recused from voting on the above recommendations of the Committee.

OLD BUSINESS

Retreat overview

Ms. Beeler gave an overview of the retreat and regulation changes that were discussed. The Board will review the regulation changes at its next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Email Questions

The Board discussed questions received via email. Ms. Beeler is to respond to inquiries as discussed.

2019 ASPPB Annual Meeting

The Board discussed sending members to the 2019 ASPPB annual meeting in Minneapolis. Dr. Nichols made a motion to approve four (4) Board members to attend the annual meeting, Mr. Gilfert seconded and the motion carried. During the conversation Mr. Gilfert made a motion to send Mr. Trimble to the FARB conference in September, Dr. Pristas seconded and the motion carried.

LICENSURE STATUS REPORT

The Board reviewed the licensure status report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

A motion was made by Dr. Nichols to take the actions recommended by the corresponding committees. Dr. Pristas seconded the motion and it carried.

Supervision Committee

No report.

Continuing Education Committee

No report.

Credentials Review Committee

No Report.

Examination Committee

The next scheduled structured examination is Friday, September 13th.

Disciplined Psychologists Committee

No report.

Newsletter Committee

No report.

SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING

Monday, September 9, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

TRAVEL AND PER DIEM

Mr. Gilfert made a motion to approve payment of travel expenses and per diem compensation for eligible members attending today's meeting and other board business between meetings. The motion, seconded by Dr. Nichols, carried.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Dickhaus to adjourn the meeting at 11:50 a.m. The motion, seconded by Dr. Pristas, carried.

Elizabeth W. McKune, Ed.D.

Elizabeth W. McKune, Ed.D. – Chair