## PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR

## STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, July 9, 2021 Time: 8:30 a.m.

The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted, and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/91856777319">https://zoom.us/j/91856777319</a>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: 918 5677 7319. The meeting may also be attended at the physical location of the Board Office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to <a href="https://zoom.us/">https://zoom.us/</a>.)

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at <a href="mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us">nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</a>. Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)) The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

## AGENDA

## 1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.

**2. Public Comment**. Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as

time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020)

- 3. (For Possible Action) Workshop to Solicit Comments on a Proposed Regulation (See Attachment A); and Possible Action to Forward the Proposed Regulation to a Hearing at a Future Meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners in Accordance with NRS Chapter 233B
  - A. Proposed Removal of Language Referencing to Behavior Analysts from Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 641
- 4. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners from June 11, 2021.

## 5. Financial Report

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for F/Y 2021 (July 1, 2020, Through June 30, 2021).
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Accept the Audit Engagement Letter from *Campbell, Jones, Cohen CPAs* to perform the Fiscal Year 2021 external audit for a contracted amount of \$10,000
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Authorize Bank of America to Place Secretary/Treasurer Stephanie Woodard as a Signor on the Board Bank Accounts and to Assign a Credit Card in her Name for the Purpose of Carrying out Board Business and to Remove John Krogh from the Same

# 6. Board Needs and Operations

- A. Update and Report from the Nevada Psychological Association
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Select the Three Members of the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee for a one-year term beginning July 9, 2021, through June 30, 2022, from the current Board members: Whitney Owens, Stephanie Woodard, Stephanie Holland, Soseh Esmaeili, and Monique McCoy
- C. Report From the Executive Director on Board Office Operations
- D. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to consider adding the federal holiday of Juneteenth as a holiday and paid vacation day for office staff

- E. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to consider a change to the Board Office Hours
- 7. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Provide Guidance on Matters Related to the Covid-19 Pandemic and Governor Sisolak's Directive 011. Discussion May Include Licensure Renewal, Continuing Education Credits, Temporary Licensure, Supervision Concerns, Obtaining Clinical Hours for Licensure, and the Use of Telepsychology and Interjurisdictional Practice.
- 8. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Consider Options for Temporary Licensure to Ensure Continuity of Care for Patients Being Seen by Out-Of-State Providers when the Provisions of Directive 011 Expire
- 9. (For Possible Action) Review, Discussion, and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:
  - A. Complaint #19-0626
  - B. Complaint #19-0709
  - C. Complaint #19-1106
  - D. Complaint #19-1223
  - E. Complaint #20-0501
  - F. Complaint #20-0818
  - G. Complaint #20-0819
  - H. Complaint #21-0513
  - I. Complaint #21-0524
- 10. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee. The Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session. Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.

#### PSYCHOLOGISTS

Liana Abascal Jodi Abramowitz Michael Abrams Danielle Agnello (PA) **Catherine Aisner** Luke Allen Gera Anderson Tony Angelo Jose Arauz (PA) Hope Bagley Cherly Ballou John Barona Stephanie Bellusa (PA) Jennifer Berg Luke Bigler Mantsha Boikanyo Amanda Borlenghi Beth Borosh-Gissane Latoya Brogdon Jodi Cabrera Tyler Camaione Cynthia Cameron Jonathan Campos (PA) Sylvia Chang Si Arthur Chen

Dana Chidekel **Richard Coder** Tanya Crabb Oral Custer Lucas Cylke (PA) Edward DeAnda Eric Diddy Marie Ehrler Marissa Elpidama Anthony Francisco Howard Friedman Miriam Funtowicz Dana Gionta Jonathan Gould Kalana Greer Aleesha Grier-Rogers Lori Haggard Lisa Hancock Jill Haves Barbee Andrew Hickman (PA) Bernadette Hinojos (PA) Billie Ivra Carolyne Karr Kathryn Kimball Laura LaPiana

Beth Lavin Timothy Law Karen Lehman Rose Leung Bertrand Levesque Jodi Lovejov Debra Maddox Melissa Marrapese Regina Marshall Robert McGahev Patricia McGuire Katharine Miller Shanna Mohler Luzviminda Morrow (PA) Monica Mousa Michellane Mouton Patrick Murphy Heather Neill Lyle Noisy Hawk (PA) Raymond Nourmand Ariel Ogilvie-McSweeney Rhea Pobuda Katherine Pruzan Shehroo Pudumjee Vesna Radojevic

Maxwell Rappaport Rory Reid Kristina Reynoso Danielle Richards Anthony Rodriguez Vincent Rodriguez Amber Rose Jesse Scott (PA) Nicole Steiner-Pappalardo Vahe Sukiasyan LaTanya Takla Ashley Taylor Alisa Turner-Augustyn Aaron Van Smith Anva Verriden Angela Waldrop John Walker Meghan Walls (PA) Nicolle Walters Dale Watson Kiara Weslev Yvonne Westover Carrie Wilkens Wendy Worrell

#### PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Tawnya Ayim Nats Babel Abigail Baily Michelle Berumen Shannon Burns-Darden Rachel Butler Pagnotti Nicholas Carfagno Jena Casas Leandrea Caver Nino Chkhaidze Althea Clark Jessica Crellin Georgia Dalto Matthew Damon Nicole Dionisio Alicia Doman Deva Dorris Melanie Duckworth Daphne Fowler Alyssa Garcia Stacy Graves Jennifer Grimes Vawters Kelly Hughes Kelly Hughes Kelly Humphreys Elysse Kompaniez-Dunigan Cynthia Lancaster Patrice Leverett Vanessa Ma James Maltzahn Carolina Meza Perez Desiree Misanko Candis R. Mitchell Crystal Moon Carolina Morales Alicea Blanca Naudin Kellie Nesto Rory Newlands Gabriela Olavarrieta Dylena Pierce Chelsea Powell Amanda Powers Richard Pratt January Prince Elizabeth Pritchard Sarah Ramos David Robinson Mariah Schwan Shweta Sharma Gerald Shorty Sharon Simington Krystal Smith Cyndy Soto-Lopez Marquez Wilson Lauren Wing Jaime Wong

#### PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Lynne Ballard Amanda Barone Leslie Bautista Katie Biggers Shantay Coleman Linda Curtis Matthew Danbrook Chad Davis Edward De Anda Bryon Gallant Kimberly Gray Jennifer Guttman Laurie Harris Shanel Harris Joseph Henrich Michael Hobbs Monica Jackson Dorota Krotkiewicz Angela Lewis Elisabeth Lischer

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Kellie Nesto Jeffery Newell Ximena Radienovic Dana Schmidt Alexis Sliva Barbara Sommer Sean Traynor Alexandro Velez Melina Yaraghchi Qingqing Zhu

#### PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Yen-Ling Chen	Erica Marino	Nicky Petersen	Holly Summers
Leila Gail	Mollie McDonald	Samantha Sherwood	Sherri Tschida
Jaqueline Green	Amanda Mraz	Mary Smirnova	Charlotte Watley
Kayla Kaiser	Kelly Parker	Cory Stanton	Kayli Wrenn

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Request of Sylvia Chang to take the EPPP Part-1 a Fourth Time. Discussion may include the submitted study guide and plan.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Bernadette Hinojos, Psy.D., For A One-Year Extension of Her Registration as a Psychological Assistant Through July 8, 2022, and a One-Year Extension of her Application for Licensure through October 1, 2022
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Request of Rory Newlands for an Accommodation to take the Nevada State Examination

#### 11. (For Possible Action) Discussion of the Status of the EPPP Part-2 Beta Testing and Black Out Period; and Possible Action on Requests by Applicants Related to the EPPP Part-2 Licensure Requirement

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Determine if Applicant Nino Chkhaidze is Required to take the EPPP Part-2 as part of licensure
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Determine if Applicant Debra Maddox is Required to take the EPPP Part-2 as part of licensure
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Issue a License to Practice Psychology to Applicant Shehroo Pudumjee Under the Supervision of a Licensed Psychologist until she obtains a passing score on the EPPP Part-2 and contingent upon completion of all other licensure requirements
- D. (For Possible Action) Discussion of the Status of Dr. Michelle Zochowski who was issued a license to practice Psychology Under the Supervision of a Licensed Psychologist until she obtains a passing score on the EPPP Part-2

### 12. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Create a Master's Degree Level License and/or a Psychological Assistant (Post-Doctoral) License

- 13. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Adopt Procedures Related to Registration and Supervision of Psychological Assistants in accordance with Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 641
- 14. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Authorize the Board's State Exam Chair and the Executive Director to Correct an Error on a Question in the State Exam Question Bank

## 15. Legislative Update

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action Related to the 2021 Session of the Nevada Legislature, Including Next Steps for Implementation of New and/or Revised Statutes. Discussion may include changes that resulted from Assembly Bill 327, Assembly Bill 366, and Senate Bill 44.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Proposed Revision of Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 641.390, Representation or Practice Without License or Registration Prohibited, During the 2023 Session of the Nevada State Legislature

#### 16. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Regulations Proposing Changes to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 641 in Accordance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 233B

- A. R057-19: Fees
- B. R058-19: Endorsement Language
- C. R114-19: Foreign Graduates
- D. R115-19: Supervision, payment of psychological assistant, Closure of a Practice
- E. R173-20 (Previously R131-15): Requires those teaching or engaging in research to be licensed if providing supervision in a university setting.
- F. R174-20: Code of Conduct
- G. R175-20: Removal of "Moral"
- H. Behavior Analysts...
- 17. (For Possible Action) Discussion of U.S. District Court Case 2:20-Cv-00651-Kjd-Vcf Where the State of Nevada Board Psychological Examiners is a Named Defendant.

## 18. (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates

A. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is Friday, August 13, 2021, at 8:30 a.m.

# **19.** Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)

**20. Public Comment** - Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020))

# 21. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (775) 688-1268 no later than noon on Thursday, July 8, 2021.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at

http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/ or contact Lisa Scurry, Executive Director at the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail (<u>nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</u>) or in writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada 89502.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice has been properly posted at or before 9 a.m. on Tuesday, July 6, 2021, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <u>https://notice.nv.gov/</u>; and
- Board's website at <u>http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/</u>.

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).

## STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

#### NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, July 9, 2021 Time: 8:35 a.m.

The Nevada State Board of Psychological Examiners is proposing the amendment of a regulation pertaining to Chapter 641 of Nevada Administrative Code.

A workshop has been set for Friday, July 9, 2021, at 8:35 a.m. The physical location of the meeting will be the office of the State of Nevada State Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, B-116 Reno, Nevada 89502. The meeting will also take place remotely via Zoom. Individuals wishing to participate remotely may, on the scheduled day and time, enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/91856777319">https://zoom.us/j/91856777319</a>. The meeting ID is **918 5677 7319**. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID.

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topic that is addressed in the proposed regulation:

Removal of all language related to behavior analysis and behavior analysts, as related provisions have been moved to a new section of NRS and NAC with oversight by a new Board of Examiners. Sections of the NAC to be repealed are: NAC 641.003, 641.008, 641.085, 641.029, 641.031, 641.063, 641.083, 641.113, 641.1363, 641.209, 641.213, and 641.255. Sections of the NAC to be revised are: NAC 641.019, 641.050, 641.132, 641.133, 641.1503, 641.200, 641.204, 641.206, 641.219, 641.224, 641.229, 641.234, 641.239, 641.241, and 641.245.

Language has been developed outside of the workshop and will be discussed during the workshop. If you are unable to attend the workshop but wish to submit any questions, concerns or general input, please submit them in writing to the Board office State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, B-116 Reno, Nevada 89502 or NBOP@govmail.state.nv.us, not later than Thursday, July 8, 2021 at 5 p.m. All statements received will be provided to the Board during the workshop.

Please contact the Board office if you are interested in reviewing the language that will be presented to the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB).

This Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation has been sent to all persons on the agency's mailing list for administrative regulations and posted at the Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno; the Nevada Public Notice website (notice.nv.gov); and the Board's website (http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/)

Date: June 9, 2021