

PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR
NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, September 14, 2018

Time: 8:30 a.m.

University of Nevada, Las Vegas, 4505 S. Maryland Pkwy. System Computing Services, Room 102, Las Vegas, NV 89154 and by video conference to University of Nevada, Reno System Computing Services room 47, Reno, Nevada 89557

PLEASE NOTE: 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.

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(For Possible Action) 3. Review, discuss, and possible approval of minutes from previous meetings: August 10, 2018.

(For Possible Action) 4. Review, discuss, and possible approval of Treasurer's report for F/Y 2019 (July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019); Review, discuss and update on current of biennial budget (July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020).

A. Recouping outstanding Legal Fees Owed to the Board from Disciplinary and Unlicensed Practice cases.

B. Update and Discussion regarding the Reserve Policy for the Board, as requested to be developed by the Legislative Sunset Committee.

(For Possible Action) 5. Review of consumer complaints pending.

A. Complaint #17-1025A

B. Complaint #17-1025B

C. Complaint #17-1109

D. Complaint #17-1206

E. Complaint #17-1214

F. Complaint #17-1221

G. Complaint #18-0227

H. Complaint #18-0412

I. Complaint #18-0723

6. Receive update regarding proposed NAC 641 changes submitted to LCB:

A. R131-15: Revises provisions governing the licensure of persons engaged in the teaching of psychology or in psychological research

- B. R133-17: Revises provision relating to the powers and duties of the Board
- C. R058-18: Revises provision to examination for licensure
- D. R074-18: Revises provisions relating to psychological trainees
- E. R169-18: Revises Provisions relating to fees
- F. R170-18: Establishes provisions governing services for process
- G. R171-18: Amends Continuing education requirements

(For Possible Action) 7. Schedule of future Board meetings, hearings, and workshops. The Board may discuss and decide future meeting dates, hearing dates, and workshop dates.

(For possible action) 8. Review and evaluation ASPPB Code of Conduct for adoption into the regulations of the Board.

9. Board needs, operations, and schedules.

a. **(For Possible Action)** Policy regarding applicants seeking licensing examination accommodations. The Board may discuss, review, and possibly approve a policy for applicants seeking licensing examination accommodations.

b. Update/Report from Nevada Psychological Association Representative

c. Update regarding National Register of Health Service Psychologists (NRHSP) providing equivalency evaluations for foreign applicants. The Board may discuss changes that need to be made to office policies, procedures and regulations.

d. Update regarding online renewal development and outline of details and procedures in the upcoming renewal.

e. Future Board meeting agenda items.

(For Possible Action) 10. Review/decision upon applications for licensure or registration. 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.

PSYCHOLOGISTS

Jennifer Ahn
Gretchen Arian
John Barona
Linda Bennett
Earnest Blackshear
Adam Bradford
Abigail Brunner
Cynthia Cameron
Silvia Chang

Shan Emmons
Michelle Flores
Roy Hookham
Valerie Ignatenko
Timi Jordison
Andrew Krueger
Stephanie Lewallen-Owens
Merry Larson
Robert Moering

Jennifer Ries
Shweta Sharma
Hillary Son
Lynda Sosa-Lowry
Ralph Turner
Steve Tutty
Lynelle Tyler
Sharon West

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Irina Abramians
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Tracy Basile
Lauren Bennett
Anna Bjorndahl
Hanna Brunet

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Leandrea Caver
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Nicole Dionsio
Margaret Dixon
Daphne Fowler

Lyle Noisy Hawk Jr.
Bernadette Hinojos
Lana Holmes
Ivan Hronek
Katherine Isaza
Dasa Jenrusakova

Regina Johnson
Casha Kaufer
Cynthia Lancaster
Melissa LaVan
Jossette Lazcano
Dustin Marsh
Candis R. Mitchell
Tracy Moore

Luzviminda Morrow
Carolina Morales-Alicea
Amy Mouanoutoua
Michael Pardine
Dorothy Parriott
Carolina Perez
Rachel Pinkerman
Erica Phillips

Jasmine Schnurstein
Christopher Shewbarran
Cassandra Snipes
Lennon Tyler
Joyce Ulofoshio
Jennifer Grimes Vawters
Jaime Wong
Todd Zwahlen

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Danielle Agnello
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Julie Brown
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Chad Christensen
Jennifer Guttman
Rebecca Holczer
Antrice Hronek
Jennifer Hutchinson
Vanessa Ma
Isra Malik
Camille Malcherzyk
Alexandra Moore

Kelly Nelson
An Ngo
Dylena Pierce
Elizabeth Pritchard
Mary Pulido
Lee Purdioux
Reshmand Rampersad
Ashley Rankin
Sharon Simgton
Gurpreet Singh
Lupikia Wadhwa
Leah York
Qingqing Zhu

BEHAVIOR ANALYST/ASSISTANT BEHAVIOR ANALYST

Danielle Acevedo
Arlene Bagjajian
Collen Cochran
Robert Craighead
Jonelle Dumayas
Alex Fauchaux
Jacqueline Galvani
Grace Gayles
Glen Gillman
Ashley Greenwald
Megan Hall
Ashley Horton
Alena Kiki

Courtney LoMonaco
Diana Richardson
Daisy Santana
Holly Seniuk
Kindra Shine
Laurie Tarter
Steven Troyer
Brooke Walker
Ernestine Williams
Katherine Woodhouse
Arynn Voss

(For Possible Action) **11.** The Board will discuss, review, and decide what action, if any, may be necessary regarding recent court order in the State of Nevada v. Walter Laak, #2886481, Case Number C-16-318730-1, Department Number IX in the Eighth Judicial District Court requiring a Nevada psychologist to provide the underlying test data and any and all notes to the State. Action contemplated by the Board may be to create a sub-committee or working group including staff to review this issue on behalf of the Board. The Board also may decide to send correspondence or other appropriate communication to the judiciary in Nevada.

(For possible Action) **12 .** The Board will discuss, review, and decide what its position is regarding third-party observations of psychological evaluations. The Board will also discuss and possibly decide what action it may take regarding this issue. Action contemplated by the Board may be to create a sub-committee or working group to review this issue on behalf of the Board. The Board may also decide to send correspondence or other appropriate communication regarding its position to appropriate parties in Nevada.

(For Possible Action) **13. Disciplinary Action:** The Board will discuss, review, and possibly approve a stipulated settlement agreement in case number 17-1214 regarding Frank Evarts, Ph.D., License Number PY0044.

(For Possible Action) **14. Complaint Investigation and the Procedure for Disciplinary Proceedings.** We will discuss and review the investigation of complaints received by the Board, the investigative process, the type of documents that the Board may see in disciplinary cases, and the actions the Board may take when deciding disciplinary cases at a Board meeting. We will review the success of last year's decision to hire 2 Board investigators. We will identify at least 2 concrete steps that will be taken this year to improve the Board's process for managing complaints and discipline, including but not limited to disciplinary supervision. The Board may also identify policies, procedures, regulations, and/or statutes that should be changed in order to improve the Board's complaint investigation and disciplinary proceeding process. Board attorney, Sarah Bradley, and Board Investigators, Gary Lenkeit and Sheila Young, will lead this discussion.

(For Possible Action) **15. Future Legislative Needs.** The Board will discuss the Board's relationship with the Legislature and identify language for the next legislative session. The Board will review current laws of the Board as well as other Boards, to evaluate the need for changes and updates in the language. The Board will discuss the options of finding sponsors in the upcoming session with the Board's lobbyist. Possible legislation to be developed includes; addition of a 7th member, changes to the endorsement language, changes to the fee structure, adoption of similar language utilized by the Medical Board regarding record retention upon retirement, or ceasing of practice and changes to language regarding the requirements of the Board if a complainant is unreachable. The Board will discuss if other changes needed to be made to NRS 641 as well.

16. Public Comment.

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(For Possible Action) 17. ADJOURNMENT

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined. The Board are 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 Morgan Gleich at (775) 688-1268 no later than noon on **Thursday, September 13, 2018**. For supporting materials, please contact Morgan Gleich by telephone at (775) 688-1268 or by e-mail at nbop@state.nv.us or visit the Board office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno, NV 89502. In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice has been properly posted on or before **9 a.m. on September 11, 2018** at the following locations: the Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno; the Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Ave., Las Vegas; Washoe County Library, 301 S. Center St., Reno; Carson City, City Hall, 200 N. Carson St., Carson City; the Nevada Public Notice website: notice.nv.gov; and posted on the Board's website at <http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2018/2018/> 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).