

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

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, November 13, 2020 Time: 8:30 a.m.

Due to COVID-19 and Governor Sisolak's Emergency Mandate to Stay at Home for Nevada and Directive 006, this meeting will only take place via Zoom. Individuals are invited to participate in the meeting remotely. On the scheduled day and time, enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: <https://zoom.us/j/91377233815>. The meeting ID is **913 7723 3815**. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID.

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The Board will also receive public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at nbop@govmail.state.nv.us. Public comments received before and during the meeting will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. All 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.

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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3. (For Possible Action) WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS (SEE ATTACHMENT A); AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO FORWARD ANY/ALL OF THE PROPOSED REGULATIONS TO A HEARING AT A FUTURE MEETING OF THE NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH NRS CHAPTER 233B

- A. Requires those teaching or engaging in research to be licensed if providing supervision in a university setting. (Previously known as R131-15)
- B. Foreign Graduates (Previously known as R114-19)
- C. Supervision, payment of psychological assistant, Closure of a Practice (Previously known as R115-19)
- D. Proposed Adoption of The ASPPB Code of Conduct (Changes to NAC 641.250)
- E. Proposed Removal of the Word "Moral" from NAC Chapter 641 (Changes to NAC 641.025, 641.028, 641.208)

4. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS FROM OCTOBER 9, 2020.

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 PROVIDE DIRECTION TO THE BOARD OFFICE REGARDING THE STATUS OF RECOUPING OUTSTANDING LEGAL FEES OWED TO THE BOARD FROM DISCIPLINARY AND UNLICENSED PRACTICE CASES.

6. (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.
7. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO CONSIDER POTENTIAL CHANGE(S) TO THE CURRENT LICENSURE PROCESS TO ALLOW FOR TEMPORARY LICENSURE.
8. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON GUIDANCE PROVIDED BY ASPPB RELATED TO COVID-19 AND POTENTIAL FUTURE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS
9. BOARD NEEDS AND OPERATIONS
 - A. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION RELATED TO PSYPACT, INCLUDING AN UPDATE FROM THE PSYPACT COMMISSIONER
 - B. UPDATE AND REPORT FROM THE NEVADA PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
10. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION RELATED TO IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EPPP PART-2
11. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE EVALUATION AND VALIDATION OF THE ONLINE VERSION OF THE STATE EXAMINATION, INCLUDING A REPORT BY DR. STEPHEN BENNING, CONSULTANT / PSYCHOMETRICIAN. POSSIBLE ACTION MAY BE TAKEN TO ADJUST THE MINIMUM PASSING SCORE, NUMBER OF QUESTIONS IN THE EXAM, AND LENGTH OF TIME PROVIDED TO COMPLETE THE EXAM.
12. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION RELATED TO THE NEVADA STATE EXAMINATION AND WHETHER ANY CATEGORY OF APPLICANT FOR LICENSURE AS A PSYCHOLOGIST SHOULD BE GRANTED A WAIVER. POTENTIAL CATEGORIES TO BE CONSIDERED INCLUDE PSYCHOLOGISTS LICENSED IN ANOTHER STATE/TERRITORY WITH 20+ YEARS' EXPERIENCE, PSYCHOLOGISTS LICENSED IN ANOTHER STATE/TERRITORY WITH 10+ YEARS' EXPERIENCE, PSYCHOLOGISTS LICENSED IN ANOTHER STATE/TERRITORY WITH 5+ YEARS' EXPERIENCE, PSYCHOLOGISTS WITH CREDENTIALS FROM THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HEALTH SERVICE PSYCHOLOGISTS, AMERICAN BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGY (ABPP), OR QUALIFICATION IN PSYCHOLOGY (CPQ) FROM THE ASSOCIATION OF STATE AND PROVINCIAL PSYCHOLOGY BOARDS (ASPPB)

13. (For Possible Action) REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON PENDING CONSUMER COMPLAINTS:

- A. Complaint #19-0514
- B. Complaint #19-0626
- C. Complaint #19-0709
- D. Complaint #19-1106
- E. Complaint #19-1223
- F. Complaint #20-0501
- G. Complaint #20-0624
- H. Complaint #20-0728
- I. Complaint #20-0818
- J. Compliant #20-0819

14. (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
Irina Abramians
Jodi Abramowitz
Michael Abrams
Danielle Agnello
Zyra Alandy-dy
Tony Angelo
Jose Arauz
Nats Babel
Jose Arauz
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Hope Bagley
Cherly Ballou
Nick Barneclo
Amanda Borlenghi
Jodi Cabrera
Cynthia Cameron
Jonathan Campos
Andrew Carr
Chalenna Cassell
Sylvia Chang
Nino Chkhaidze

Richard Coder
Tanya Crabb
Oral Custer
Matthew Damon
Melissa Depa
John Drozd
Marie Ehrler
Mesha Ellis
Angelica Flores-Arman
Anthony Francisco
Miriam Funtowicz

Marlene Garza
Dana Gionta
Ariel Gonzalez
Jonathan Gould
Lisa Hancock
Jill Hayes Barbee
Kimberly Howlett
Lipika Jain Wadhwa
Sharlene Jeffers
Anahita Kalianivala
Jan Karadimas
Francesca Kassing
Kathryn Kimball
Beth Lavin
Karen Lehman
Debbie Maddox
Mavis Major
Regina Marshall
Robert Martin

Patricia McGuire
Valerie Modirpour
Shanna Mohler
Luzviminda Morrow
Heather Neill
Lyle Noisy Hawk
Raymond Nourmand
Tiffany O'Shaughnessy
Rhea Pobuda
Katherine Pruzan
Vesna Radojevic
Maxwell Rappaport
Danielle Richards
Luz Robles Gonzalez
Anthony Rodriguez
Amber Rose
Shweta Sharma
Jane Shatz
Christopher Shewbarran

Nicole Steiner-Pappalardo
Janella Street Jones
Alisa Turner-Augustyn
Aaron Van Smith
Angela Waldrop
Nicolle Walters
Dale Watson
Lauren Wecker
Anna Welsh
Erik Welsh
Yvonne Westover
Brenda Wiederhold
Carrie Wilkens
Marilyn Wright
Leah York
Dona Zimmerman
Davor Zink Papic

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

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Zyra Alandy-dy
Jose Arauz
Abigail Baily
John Barona
Kathleen Beckman
Katie Biggers
Shannon Burns-Darden
Rachel Butler Pagnotti
Jonathan Campos
Nicholas Carfagno
Leandrea Caver
Jessica Crellin
Lucas Cylke
Georgia Dalto
Melissa Depa
Nicole Dionisio
Alicia Doman

Deva Dorris
Daphne Fowler
Jennifer Grimes Vawters
Andrew Hickman
Bernadette Hinojos
Sharlene Jeffers
Anahita Kalianivala
Francesca Kassing
Elysse Kompaniez-Dunigan
Cynthia Lancaster
Patrice Leverett
Vanessa Ma
James Maltzahn
Desiree Misanko
Candis R. Mitchell
Valerie Modirpour
Luzviminda Morrow
Rory Newlands
Lyle Noisy Hawk Jr.

Gabriela Olavarrieta
Carolina Perez
Dylena Pierce
Amanda Powers
Richard Pratt
January Prince
Elizabeth Pritchard
Sarah Ramos
David Robinson
Mariah Schwan
Jesse Scott
Christopher Shewbarran
Gerald Shorty
Meghan Walls
Marquez Wilson
Lauren Wing
Jaime Wong
Michelle Zochowski

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Luke Allen
Leslie Bautista
Katie Biggers

Jena Casas
Linda Curtis
Chad Davis

Deva Dorris
Leila Gail
Bryon Gallant

Kimberly Gray
Jennifer Guttman
Laurie Harris
Joseph Henrich
Michael Hobbs
Monica Jackson
Dorota Krotkiewicz
Isra Malik

Desiree Misanko-Louvat
Tracy Moore
Kelly Nelson
Kellie Nesto
Jeffery Newell
Chelsea Powell
Ximena Radienovic
Dana Schmidt

Sharon Simington
Alexis Sliva
Barbara Sommer
Sean Traynor
Alexandro Velez
Melina Yaraghchi
Qingqing Zhu

PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Yen-Ling Chen
Jaqueline Green
Alex Kinzler
Mollie McDonald

Samantha Sherwood
Cory Stanton
Karolyne Stucki
Holly Summers

Sherri Tschida
Charlotte Watley
Kayli Wrenn

15. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE A CHANGE IN LICENSE STATUS FROM ACTIVE TO INACTIVE FOR ANY / ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS:
 - A. ELHAM AMINIGO HAR, PSY.D.
 - B. GERALD WEEKS, PH.D.
16. (for Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO REACTIVATE THE REGISTRATION OF PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANT STEPHANIE BELLUSA
17. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE THE REGISTRATION OF ANY / ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS. 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.
 - A. JAMES MALTZAHN, PSY.D., PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANT.
 - B. CHAD DAVIS, PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERN.
 - C. JAQUELINE GREEN, PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEE.
18. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO REVIEW AND APPROVE THE REQUEST AND STUDY PLAN OF CAROLINA MEZA PEREZ TO TAKE THE NATIONAL EXAMINATION (EXAMINATION FOR PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE IN PSYCHOLOGY (EPPP)) IN ACCORDANCE WITH NAC 641.120

19. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE THE PSYCHOLOGIST LICENSING APPLICATION OF JANE SHATZ, PH.D., WHO APPLIED FOR LICENSURE AS A 20+ YEAR SENIOR. 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.
20. (For Possible Action) CORRESPONDENCE
 - A. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE REQUEST OF LEWIS ETCOFF, PH.D., TO JOIN THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS TO AN AMICUS BRIEF TO THE NEVADA SUPREME COURT RELATED TO THIRD PARTY OBSERVERS DURING NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL AND FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATIONS
21. LEGISLATIVE UPDATE. DISCUSSION OF THE UPCOMING 2021 SESSION OF THE NEVADA LEGISLATURE SCHEDULED TO BEGIN IN FEBRUARY 2021
 - A. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE STATUS OF A BILL DRAFT REQUEST PROPOSING CHANGES TO NEVADA REVISED STATUTES TO CLARIFY PURPOSE, SCOPE OF USE, AND USE OF AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDINGS IN THERAPY AND ASSESSMENT TRAINING FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES, INTERNS AND ASSISTANTS.
 - B. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE STATUS OF A PROPOSAL TO REMOVE OF LANGUAGE FROM NRS 641.390, REPRESENTATION OR PRACTICE WITHOUT LICENSE OR REGISTRATION PROHIBITED, DURING THE 2021 NEVADA STATE LEGISLATIVE SESSION.
22. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON REGULATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU (LCB) FOR CHANGES TO NEVADA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (NAC) CHAPTER 641 INCLUDING:
 - A. R057-19: Fees
 - B. R058-19: Endorsement Language
23. (For Possible Action) DISCUSSION OF U.S. DISTRICT COURT CASE 2:20-CV-00651-KJD-VCF WHERE THE STATE OF BOARD PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS IS A NAMED DEFENDANT.
24. (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, December 11, 2020 at 8:30 a.m.
25. REQUESTS FOR FUTURE BOARD MEETING AGENDA ITEMS (NO DISCUSSION AMONG THE MEMBERS WILL TAKE PLACE ON THIS ITEM)

26. PUBLIC COMMENT

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27. (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, November 12, 2020. For supporting materials, please contact the board office by telephone at (775) 688-1268 or by e-mail at nbop@govmail.nv.us. In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice has been properly posted on or before 9 a.m. on November 9, 2020 at the following locations: the Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno; the Nevada Public Notice website: notice.nv.gov; and posted on the Board's website at <http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2020/2020/> 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).