

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR
NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS'
APPLICATION TRACKING EQUIVALENCY AND MOBILITY
"ATEAM" COMMITTEE**

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, September 23, 2022 Time: 8:30 a.m.

This meeting will be conducted via remote technology, and with one physical meeting location at the Office of the Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. Video- and teleconferencing will be conducted through "Zoom." To participate remotely, on the scheduled day and time, enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81142977085>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: 811 4297 7085.

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 <https://zoom.us/>.

The Committee will 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 the meeting will be forwarded to the Committee for their consideration. Public comments received during the meeting will be provided to the Committee members but may not be available for consideration during the meeting. Public comments received 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 Committee is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

PLEASE NOTE: The Committee 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 Committee 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 Committee 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) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Meeting Minutes from the August 26, 2022, Meeting of the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee.**
- 4. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee to Determine Equivalency with Nevada Requirements, Including Education and/or Training. (See Attachment A for the List of Applicants for Possible Consideration)**
 - a. Lovejoy, Jodi (Psych)**
 - b. Reed, Jasmine (Psych)**
 - c. Watley, Charlotte (PI)**
 - d. Mercurio, Michelle (Psych)**
- 5. (For Possible Action) Discussion of ATEAM Committee Operating Procedures, including the Applicant Review Forms; and Possible Action to Propose Revisions to and/or Make Recommendations to the Board of Psychological Examiners for Adoption of the Revised Procedures and/or Review Forms**
- 6. (For Possible Action) Discussion of Upcoming Meeting Dates for the ATEAM Committee**
 - a. The next ATEAM Committee meeting is scheduled for Friday, October 21, 2022, at 8:30 a.m.
- 7. Items for Future Discussion.** (No discussion among the Committee members will take place on this item.)

8. 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 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)

9. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The public body 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 4 p.m. on Thursday, September 22, 2022.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at <http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/> or contact the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail (nbop@govmail.state.nv.us) 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, September 20, 2022, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <https://notice.nv.gov/>; and
- Board's website at <http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2022/2022/>.

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).

ATTACHMENT A

PSYCHOLOGISTS

Amy Ahlfeld
Gera Anderson
Cherly Ballou
Latoya Brogdon
Corby Bubp
Si Arthur Chen
Filippo Cieri
Hector De Los Santos
Roman Dietrich
Mary Dinerman
Jene Edwards

Kalana Greer
Dehnad Hakimi
Alberto Ibarra
Saira Jhorn
Lori Johnson
Jodi Lovejoy
Melissa Marrapese
Viola Mejia
Michelle Mercurio
Stephanie Orbon
Rhea Pobuda

Jasmine Reed
David Shoup
DeAnn Smetana
Nicole Steiner-Pappalardo
Vahe Sukiasyan
LaTanya Takla
Alisa Turner-Augustyn
Kiara Wesley
Michelle Wilkens
Jamie Wong
Wendy Worrell

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Ines Acevdeo
Shannon Burns-Darden

Jacquelyn Rinaldi
Shweta Sharma

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Shantay Coleman

Linda Curtis

Charlotte Watley

**NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS'
APPLICATION TRACKING, EQUIVALENCY, AND MOBILITY
"ATEAM" COMMITTEE**

MEETING MINUTES

August 26, 2022

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

Call to Order: The meeting of the Nevada State Board of Psychological Examiners' Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee was called to order by Chair Stephanie Holland at 8:32 a.m. The meeting was conducted online via Zoom, with one physical meeting location at the Office of the Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B116, Reno, Nevada, 89502.

Roll Call: Committee Chair Stephanie Holland, PsyD, and members Stephanie Woodard, PsyD, and Soseh Esmaeili, PsyD, were present at roll call.

Also present was Lisa Scurry, Executive Director, and member of the public Charlotte Watley.

2. Public Comment.

There was no public comment at this time. Lisa Scurry, Executive Director, stated that no written public comment was received in the Board office prior to the start of the meeting.

3. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Select a Committee Chairperson from The Current Membership: Stephanie Woodard, Soseh Esmaeili, and Stephanie Holland.

The members discussed naming a new committee chair. Member Dr. Esmaeili expressed interest. It was decided that she would take over the role at the September meeting.

On motion by Stephanie Holland, second by Stephanie Woodard, the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee named Soseh Esmaeili as Chair of the ATEAM Committee beginning with the September 2022 meeting. (Yea: Stephanie Holland, Soseh Esmaeili and Stephanie Woodard) Motion Carried Unanimously: 3-0

4. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Meeting Minutes from the May 20, 2022, Meeting of the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee.

There were no comments nor proposed changes to the minutes.

On motion by Stephanie Woodard, second by Stephanie Holland, the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee approved the minutes of the May 20, 2022, meeting of the ATEAM Committee. (Yea: Stephanie Holland, Soseh Esmaeili and Stephanie Woodard) Motion Carried Unanimously: 3-0

5. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee to Determine Equivalency with Nevada Requirements, Including Education and/or Training. (See Attachment A for the List of Applicants for Possible Consideration)

A. Lovejoy, Jodi (Psych)

The application of Dr. Jodi Lovejoy, an applicant for licensure, was reviewed. Director Scurry reminded the members that at the last meeting of the ATEAM committee, it was recommended that Dr. Lovejoy provide additional information related to the educational program and internship. Since that time, Dr. Lovejoy has provided transcripts from the Master's program. Prior to the September meeting, she was asked to provide written confirmation from the internship supervisor that the hours accrued during the internship were not also used as training hours towards social work licensure.

This application will return to a future meeting for further review.

B. Jones, Natalie (Psych)

Dr. Natalie Jones applied for licensure as a psychologist. The initial application reflected a potential deficiency in supervised hours. Since that time, the deficiency has been addressed and corrected. Director Scurry explained that no further review would be necessary for the applicant to establish equivalency.

C. Reed, Jasmine (Psych)

Dr. Jasmine Reed applied for licensure as a psychologist. Review of the licensure requirements determined that while Dr. Reed accrued enough internship hours, she was deficient by approximately 200 hours during her post-doctoral training. Nevada requires 1,750 hours but Dr. Reed early a little more than 1,500 while obtaining licensure in California.

Nevada Administrative Code 641.080 allows for the training hour requirement to be decreased to 1,500 hours if the applicant has been licensed in another jurisdiction for at least 5 years. In Dr. Reed's case, she had only been licensed for 3.8 years.

The application will undergo further review and will return to the next meeting of the ATEAM committee for possible recommendations and determination.

D. Watley, Charlotte (PI)

Charlotte Watley was an applicant for registration as a psychological intern. Member Dr. Woodard conducted a review of the educational program as it was from a school that was not accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA). That review indicated no deficiencies in the program, but Dr. Woodard asked to see the master's program transcripts to ensure it matched the report submitted to the Board office.

It was decided that Dr. Woodard would review the transcript and, if recommendations are needed, the application will return to the September meeting. In the meantime, Dr. Watley was permitted to continue working as a registered psychological intern.

E. Acevedo, Ines (PI)

Ines Acevedo was an applicant for registration as a psychological intern. Director Scurry explained that the application could not be reviewed but will return to the Committee if/when the applicant provides additional documents required for registration.

F. Sommer, Barbara (PI)

Barbara Sommer was an applicant for registration as a psychological intern. Her application was reviewed at a past meeting of the ATEAM Committee. At that time, it was recommended that Member Dr. Holland provide any necessary guidance as to any course deficiencies. As that has occurred and the applicant was made aware of the needed courses, this application will be removed from future agendas.

6. (For Possible Action) Discussion of ATEAM Committee Operating Procedures; and Possible Action to Propose Revisions to and/or Make Recommendations to the Board of Psychological Examiners for Adoption of the Revised Procedures

Director Scurry explained that the operating procedures of the ATEAM Committee are being reviewed and will return to future meetings for revision. She stated that she had been part of a committee created by the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) that was reviewing similar procedures in other states. As part of that work, there was concern expressed that the review forms of the ATEAM Committee were found to have errors. They will be reviewed and brought to a future meeting.

7. (For Possible Action) Discussion of Upcoming Meeting Dates for the ATEAM Committee

- a. The next ATEAM Committee meeting is scheduled for Friday, September 23, 2022, at 8:30 a.m.

There were no concerns expressed about the date/time of the next meeting.

8. Items for Future Discussion. (No discussion among the Committee members will take place on this item.)

There were no suggestions for future meetings.

9. Public Comment.

There was no public comment at this time.

10. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

There being no further business, Chair Holland adjourned the meeting at 9:19 a.m.