

**BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES REGULATORY BOARD
LICENSED PSYCHOLOGY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
JUNE 6, 2023**

Approved Minutes

- I. Call to Order.** Ric Steele, Chair of the Advisory Committee, called the meeting to order at 6 p.m.

Committee Members. Ric Steele, Richard Nobles, Abby Callis, Tiffany Johnson, Janine Kesterson, Rodney McNeal, and Zack Parrett were present via Zoom. Johnna Norton, Jessica Hamilton, and Doug Wright were absent.

BSRB Staff. David Fye and Leslie Allen were present via Zoom.

- II. Agenda Approval.** Abby Callis moved to approve the agenda as written. Tiffany Johnson seconded. The motion passed.

- III. Review and Approval of Minutes from Previous Advisory Committee Meeting on April 11, 2023.** Richard Nobles moved to approve the minutes. Rodney McNeal seconded. The motion passed.

- IV. Executive Director Report.** David Fye, Executive Director for the Behavioral Sciences Regulatory (BSRB) provided a report on agency activities, actions from recent Board meetings, and legislative updates.

V. Old Business

A. Update on PSYPACT Commission. The Executive Director provided an update on PSYPACT. Currently, the BSRB has 84 Licensed Psychologists that are providing telehealth services in other compact states under PSYPACT authority and 7 Licensed Psychologists that are providing a limited number of days of in-state services in other compact states under PSYPACT authority. The Executive Director will be attending the mid-year meeting June 13, 2023.

B. Continued Review and Discussion of Psychology Regulations

- i. K.A.R. 102-1-15 Continuing Education.** The Executive Director noted that each agency is responsible for ensuring that regulations are current and to make necessary changes to update the language in those regulations. K.A.R 102-1-15 defines how a licensee can accrue continuing education hours for renewal every two years. Other professions have a separate regulation detailing suitable documentation of continuing education hours, however a similar regulation does not exist for the licensed psychology profession. The Advisory Committee recommended creation of a new regulation on documentation of continuing education

hours, modeled after existing language for the behavior analyst and master's level psychology regulations. The language was outlined, modeled after the following existing regulations:

- (1) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (c);
- (2) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (g) and LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (h);
- (3) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (d and e). Additional language: Licensee must provide full bibliographic information about the book including page numbers and summary on how the information can apply to their practice;
- (4) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 Additional Language: courses need a certificate of completion;
- (5) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (i);
- (6) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (a) or LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (b);
- (7) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (f) Additional language: must list the dates of supervision;
- (8) - LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (f) Additional language: if the supervision is non-disciplinary;
- (9) – LBA K.A.R. 102-8-10 (j);
- (10) – LMLP 102-4-11a (k);
- (11) – LBA 102-8-10 (j); and
- (12) – LBA 102-8-10 (c) Additional language: Provide a bill of services.

BSRB staff stated they would work on drafting the new language for this regulation and would bring it back for review at a future Advisory Committee meeting.

- ii. K.A.R 102-1-16 Use of Computerized Psychological Tests.** The Executive Director noted K.A.R 102-1-16 includes information on the use of computerized psychological tests, but the regulation has not been updated in some time and asked Advisory Committee members to recommend any appropriate changes. By consensus, the Advisory Committee recommended to add language to item 3, to shall clarify the importance of transparency and computerized scoring and interpretation systems ensuring that test takers and other relevant stakeholders understand the process and algorithms used by the psychologists. The Advisory Committee also recommended updating references to publications, to reflect the most current version of those documents.

VI. New Business

A. Discussion on Unprofessional Conduct Regulations from Other Professions.

Advisory Committee members discussed the possibility of adding additional terms to the non-discrimination regulation; a possible recommendation on limiting the number of supervisees that can be taken on by one person; and discussed possible language for a new regulation on social media.

- VII. Recognition of Outgoing Members.** The Advisory Committee thanked outgoing Board member and Advisory Committee Chair Ric Steele, and outgoing Advisory Committee members Janine Kesterson and Zachary Parrett for their service on the Advisory Committee.
- VIII. Next Advisory Committee Meeting Date.** The next Advisory Committee meeting will be on Tuesday, August 8, 2023, at 6pm over Zoom.
- IX. Adjournment.** Abby Callis moved to Adjourn. Richard Nobles seconded. The motion passed.