

Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board
MFT Advisory Committee Minutes
Thursday, February 11, 2016
10:30 a.m.

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order by Chair Terry Pfannenstiel at 10:30 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Terry Pfannenstiel attended in person and Joyce Baptist, Rebecca Culver-Turner, Camille Lafleur, and Cheryl Reynolds joined the meeting by phone.

Staff Present: Max Foster, Marilyn Revell

Guest Present: Sky Westerlund – KNASW attended by phone

2. **Review of Minutes:** The minutes for the last meeting held December 9, 2015 were reviewed. Cheryl moved to approve the minutes as submitted and Joyce seconded the motion. Motion passed.
3. **Applications to Review:** No new applications to review in committee.
4. **Update of Behavioral Analyst Committee:** Max reported that Kansas Representative Ruben had requested some suggestions from BSRB for trailer legislation to fill the gaps left by the current statutes. Those suggestions were submitted to Representative Ruben to introduce in the House either today or tomorrow. The Behavioral Analysts and Assistant Behavioral Analysts were asked to be added to a bill in the House Committee of Corrections and Juvenile Justice, chaired by Representative Ruben, that listed mandated reported of child abuse and neglect.
5. **Update of BSRB licensing bill (replacement of SB 254):** Max reported that the BSRB replacement bill has been drafted and the revisor is incorporating the language changes suggested by BSRB. Next Monday, it should be introduced to the Senate Public Health and Welfare committee.
6. **Update from Supervision Training Recommendations:** Camille said that the subcommittee looked at the issue of “grandfathering” for the supervisor requirements and the found that “grandfathering” in this instance does not apply. Persons meeting the requirements will be approved as supervisors. KAMFT has indicated that they are interested in creating that training and are currently working on that. Terry would like to see at least half of the hours be delivered in person and maybe more than half. Camille recommended a minimum of 8 hours for hands-on supervision, those hours could be supervision of supervision. Terry pointed out that these requirements are difficult, but they should remain hard to obtain.
7. **Replacement Member for the Advisory Committee:** Steve Rathbun is resigning from the committee, so there is a need for two replacement members. Terry asked the BSRB staff to send out an email to ask for interested LMFTs and LCMFTs.

8. **New Business:** Rebecca wants to get results for examination pass rates for the different Kansas universities. Terry recommended that she contact the testing company. It was discussed that the pass rates for the individual colleges might not be available, but that the overall state of Kansas pass rates would likely be available. Max will verify that information with Leslie and send it out to committee members.

Terry asked that Marilyn send the minutes of each meeting to the all committee members when submitted to him shortly following the current meeting. This will give the committee members time to review them and note the next meeting on their calendars.

9. **Adjournment:** Next meeting is scheduled for Friday, April 15, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. Joyce moved to adjourn the meeting, and Camille seconded the motion. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.