

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

June 10 – 11, 2016

Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling
101 East Capitol, Suite 202
Little Rock, AR 72201

Friday, June 10, 2016

8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

The Arkansas Board of Examiners convened at their Office with Chair, Dr. Charmaine Caldwell, presiding. Board business and Oral Examinations were conducted as per the established agenda (Appended).

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dr. Penny Willmering, Dr. Charmaine Caldwell, Ms. Clementine Kelley, Ms. Lenora Erickson, Rev. Rick Grace, Mr. Robbie Cline, Dr. John Carmack

MEMBERS ABSENT: Ms. Cheryl Edwards, Ms. Tina Livingston

OTHERS PRESENT: Ms. Jane Stewart, Ms. Deneshia Morgan, Ms. Kim Pickett, Ms. Sarah Wright

OBSERVERS: Rachel Nelson

Agenda

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| 8:30 | AM | Arrival / Breakfast / Overview of Agenda | | | |
| 9:00 | AM | Robbie Cline | #2721 | TA Supervision | Full Board |
| 9:45 | AM | Aaron Leverette | #6050 | TA Counseling | Full Board |
| 10:30 | AM | Dianne Baer | #1494 | TA Counseling | Full Board |
| 11:15 | AM | Glenna Rodgers | #2197 | TA Counseling | Full Board |
| 12:00 | PM | Lunch | | | |
| 1:00 | | Board Motions to Review (Non-Practicing, Certificates of Registration, | | | |
| 1:45: | PM | Courtney Slack | #6063 | LAC | |
| 1:45 | PM | Lisa Laney | #6092 | LAC (LAMFT later) | |
| 2:30 | PM | Lori Joyner | #6093 | LAC | |
| 2:30 | PM | Jason LeCompte | #6086 | LAC | |
| 3:15 | PM | Rajhi Thompson | #6107 | LAC | |
| 3:15 | PM | Kimberly Moore | #6119 | LAC | |
| 4:00 | PM | Christopher Campbell | #6136 | LAC | |
| 4:00 | PM | Kellee McCoy | #6135 | LAC/LAMFT | |
| 5:00 | PM | Session Closes | | | |

Saturday, June 11, 2016

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

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OTHERS PRESENT: Ms. Jane Stewart, Ms. Kim Pickett, Ms. Sarah Wright

OBSERVERS: Rustee Pruitt, Lauren English, Tim English, William Newman, Kyle Anderson, Celena Anderson, Scott Anglin

Agenda

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|-------|----|------------------------|-------|--------------------|------------|
| 8:30 | AM | Arrival, | | | |
| 9:00 | AM | Angela Stephenson-Carr | #6172 | LPC (Stipulations) | Full Board |
| 9:45 | AM | Jannie Cole | #5948 | LAC | |
| 9:45 | AM | Bradley Scott | #6131 | LAC | |
| 10:30 | AM | Rodney Neighbors | #6130 | LAC | |
| 10:30 | AM | Amy Decker | #6129 | LAC/LAMFT | |
| 11:15 | AM | Margaret Beeler | #6054 | LAC | |
| 11:15 | AM | Meaghan Ashworth | #6122 | LAC (LAMFT later) | |
| 12:00 | PM | Lunch | | | |
| 1:00 | PM | Christasia Coleman | #2583 | LAC Supervision | |
| 1:45 | PM | Ashley George | #3060 | LAC Supervision | |
| 2:30 | PM | Scott Passafiume | #6114 | LAC | |
| 3:30 | PM | General Board Business | | | |
| | | Adjourn | | | |

Minutes

Motion 1: Move to approve the May, 2016 Board meeting minutes.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 2: Move to approve the June, 2016 Treasurers Report

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by; Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 3: Move to approve the June, 2016 Licensing Report

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 4: Move to grant the Honor Title of Emerita to Dr. Ann Keese Thomas, the former Executive Director of the Board of Examiners in Counseling who held that position for 33 years.

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed 5 approve, 1 abstention.

Motion 5: Move to dismiss Complaint #C 1604001 (Jennings v Rone)

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 6: Move to dismiss Complaint # C 1602001 (Murphy v Jones)

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 7: Move to dismiss Complaint # C 1511002 (Tigert v Shelton-Jones v Tigert)

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 8: Move to send a Cease & Desist notice to Lauren Bond, #6087, until suspected child abuse complaint is investigated. The Board and Ms. Bond's supervisor, Ms. Wendy Blackwood, have reported this complaint to DHS hotline. Ms. Blackwood will follow up and keep the Board informed. Ms. Bond will be invited to appear before the Board July 8, 2016.

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: John Carmack

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 9: Move to approve Army One Source Continuing Behavioral Health Education workshops for CEU credit.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rich Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 10: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Providence Counseling, Inc.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 11: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to The Balance, LLC.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 12: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Austin Easley Associates.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 13: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to In Hope Counseling Services.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 14: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Circling Eden.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 15: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Bismarck Counseling, Inc.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 16: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Mark Coffman, LPC, LADAC Professional Counseling Services, PA.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 17: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Central Arkansas Group Counseling, Inc.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 18: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Carrie Rye, Ph.D, PLLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 19: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Stephanie Marlowe Counseling, LLC

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: John Carmack

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 20: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Grace Counseling Services, Inc.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: John Carmack

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 21: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Beverly Bejarano, LLC

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 22: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Fair Way Counseling, PLLC.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 23: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Vinson Counseling, LLC

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 24: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Regena's Counseling, LLC

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 25: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Jill Gorman, LPC, LLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by; Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 26: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to RE Group, PLLC.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by; Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 27: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Essential Hope Counseling, LLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 28: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Renewed Vision Counseling Services, PLLC

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rich Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 29: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Holistic Counseling & Consulting, PLLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 30: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Cole's Counseling, PLLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 31: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Keri Timmons, MS, LPC, NCC, PLLC

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 32: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Natural Connections, LLC

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 33: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Spragg Counseling, LLC

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by; Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 34: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Still Waters Counseling, PLLC

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 35: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Chenal Family Therapy, PLLC

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 36: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Positive Energy, LLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 37: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Melissa Peck Counseling & Consulting, PLLC

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 38: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Conway Counseling & Wellness Center, PLLC

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by; Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 39: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Mosaic Counseling & Consulting, LLC

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 40: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Balanced Life Concepts, LLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 41: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Necessary Play, LLC

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by; Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 42: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Adam Maisen Counseling, LLC

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 43: Move to approve a Certificate of Registration to Counseling & Hypnosis Center, LLC

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 44: Move to approve Rachel Turner, #2836, for Non-Practicing status secondary to health related issues.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 45: Move to approve Barbara Keene, #1445, for Non-Practicing status as she currently resides in Florida.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 46: Move to approve Richard Scott Ware, #2906, for Non-Practicing status due to family health issues.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 47: Move to approve Anthea Johnson, #5411, for Non-Practicing status as she now resides in Georgia.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by; Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 48: Move to approve Kelsey Sylvester, #5595, for Non-Practicing status due to birth of first child.

Moved by; Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 49: Move to approve Larissa Reed, #2612, for Non-Practicing status secondary to health related issues.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 50: Move to continue Non-Practicing status for Michelle Harris, #1115, due to caring for aged parents.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by; Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 51: Move to approve Cynthia Price, #1511, for Non-Practicing secondary to health related issues.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 52: Move to approve Thomas Stafford, #1800, for Non-Practicing status due to retirement.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 53: Move to approve Reihanna Neighbors, #5722, for Non-Practicing status due to moving to Colorado.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 54: Move to approve Marne Eggleston, #5828, for Non-Practicing status as she now resides in Alaska.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 55: Move to approve Deborah Ruff, #1120, for Non-Practicing status due to retirement.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by; Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 56: Move to approve Ashley Salge, #5138, for Non-Practicing status as she is currently caring for family in Louisiana.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 57: Move to approve Katrina Heidenreich, #5875, for Non-Practicing status secondary to move to Pennsylvania.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: John Carmack

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 58: Move to approve CrystalWhite-Johnson, #2182, for Non-Practicing status secondary to health issues. She may also need additional time to earn CEUs due to this health issue.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by; Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 59: Move to approve Margy Richardson, #1828, for Non-Practicing status due to retirement.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: John Carmack

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 60: Move to approve Jeanie Staub, #1860, for Non-Practicing status due to health issues.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 61: Move to approve Melissa Deroche, #2619, for Non-Practicing status as she resides in Louisiana.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 62: Move to approve Pablo Albuja, #6055, for the Trauma Specialization.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 63: Move to issue the LPC by endorsement to Angela Stephenson-Carr, #6172, with the stipulation to complete the Marriage & Family and Psychopharmacology classes. She must also review the Privileged Communication law in Arkansas.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 64: Move to approve Jannie Cole, #5948, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Must review, while under supervision, privileged communication, areas of issues 'comfortable' in treating v competent to treat, working with individuals who have different world views, the code of ethics regarding non-professional interactions, and the decision-making process regarding reporting non-professional interactions.

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 65: Move to approve Bradley Scott, #6131, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed, 6 approved, 1 recused.

Motion 66: Move to approve Rodney Neighbors, #6130, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Review, while in supervision, counseling issues not competent to treat, populations not comfortable with, and treating someone with a different worldview. Review the purpose of the Code of Ethics. The Board has encouraged Mr. Neighbors to consider personal counseling regarding countertransference issues.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by; Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed, 6 approved, 1 recused.

Motion 67: Move to approve Amy Decker, #6129, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Review requirements of supervision during the supervision process.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed, 6 approved, 1 recused.

Motion 68: Move to approve Margaret Beeler, #6054, the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Review, during supervision, privileged communication and steps to take when subpoenaed; review what the Code of Ethics says about non-professional interactions.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 69: Move to approve Meaghan Ashworth, #6122, the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice.

Moved by; Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 70: Move to approve Christasia Coleman, #2583, for the Supervision of LACs Specialization with the recommendation she review the requirements of supervision and the necessary paperwork.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 71: Move to approve Ashley George, #3060, for the Supervision Specialization.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by; Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 72: Move to approve Scott Passafiume, #6114, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. During supervision, must review mandatory reporting and privileged communication.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 73: Move to approve Robbie Cline, #2721, the Technology-Assisted Specialization.

Moved by: Lenora Erickson

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed, 5 approve, 1 recuse.

Motion 74: Move to approve Aaron Leverette, #6050, the Technology-Assisted Specialization.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 75: Move to approve Dianne Baer, #1494, the Technology-Assisted Specialization

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed, 5 approve, 1 recused.

Motion 76: Move to approve Glenna Rodgers, #2197, the Technology-Assisted Specialization. Review technical aspects and encryption methods for TA Counseling.

Moved by: Charmaine Caldwell

Seconded by: Robbie Cline

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 77: Move to grant Courtney Slack, #6063, the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 78: Move to approve Lisa Laney, #6092, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed, 5 approved, 1 recused.

Motion 79: Move to approve Lori Joyner, #6093, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Supervisor must review ethics (especially non-professional interactions) and the requirements for supervision. LAC must revise Statement of Intent reflecting perhaps 2 or 3 theoretical approaches.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 80: Move to approve Jason LeCompte, #6086, the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. During the supervision process, Jason must review, during supervision, theoretical orientations to counseling, privileged communication, and procedures for reporting ethical violations to the Board.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 81: Move to approve Rajhi Thompson, #6107, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. Rajhi is to review, during supervision, the privileged communication law.

Moved by: John Carmack

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 82: Move to approve Kimberly Moore, #6119, for the LAC with 3000 CCH of supervised practice. During supervision, Kimberly must review privileged communication and actions to take when subpoenaed.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed, 5 approve, 1 recused.

Motion 83: Move to invite Christopher Campbell, #6136, to return for a second interview. Christopher must review privileged communication, mandatory reporting, non-professional interactions, documentation required during supervision, and a thorough review of the ACA Code of Ethics.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Lenora Erickson

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 84: Move to approve Kelley McCoy, #6135, the LAC/LAMFT with 3000 CCH of supervised practice, minimally 1500 hours in relational counseling. Kelley must also review the privileged communication law.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Charmaine Caldwell

Vote: Passed, 5 approve, 1 recused.

Motion 85: Move to approve Terri Barton, #2954, for the Play Therapy Specialization.

Moved by: Rick Grace

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 86: Move to approve Leslie Dianne Mann, #5062, for the Rehabilitation Specialization.

Moved by: Penny Willmering

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 87: Move to approve Leah Everett, #2722, for the Play Therapy Specialization

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 88: Move to approve Winter Yielding, #2881, for the Play Therapy Specialization

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Rick Grace

Vote: Passed Unanimously

Motion 89: Move to approve Sean Paul Jones, #5987, for the Appraisal Specialization.

Moved by: Robbie Cline

Seconded by: Penny Willmering

Vote: Passed Unanimously

ALL MOTIONS PASSED UNANIMOUSLY UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

Board Approved:

Board Chair

Date

Board Secretary

Date