

MINNESOTA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY

Minutes of the 392nd Meeting

September 7, 2007

Members Present: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, M. Seibold, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf

Members Absent: J. Lee

Others Present: N. Hart, Assistant Attorney General

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On the recommendation of the Complaint Resolution Committee, the Minnesota Board of Psychology granted an unconditional license to William R. Kreusser, Psy.D., LP.

PUBLIC SESSION

Board Chair, M. Seibold called the public session of the meeting to order at 9:35 AM, in the Psychology Board Conference Room, at 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and a quorum was declared present.

1. Approval of Minutes.

a. Board Meeting Minutes-August 3, 2007.

J. Romano moved, seconded by M. Fulton that the minutes of the Board meeting of August 3, 2007 be approved as submitted. Voting "aye": M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting "nay": none. There being eight "ayes" and no "nays", the motion carried unanimously.

2. Administrative Matters.

a. HPSP Fiscal Year 2007 Report. S. Ward provided highlights of the Health Professionals Services Program's Fiscal Year Report for 2007:

1. After reaching a plateau, HPSP case load began to show an increase beginning in fiscal year (FY) 2005. The increase continued in FY 2006 and 2007.
2. Self reports have also increased for Boards' participants. These are licensees who report themselves to HPSP directly in order to work towards recovery, without contacting their licensing Boards.
3. The report states that **"On August 1, 2007, persons HPSP participants were being monitored for the following illnesses:**
 - 80% suffered from a substance disorder,
 - 51% suffered from a psychiatric disorder and
 - at least 5% suffered from a medical disorder."
4. According to the report, "Of the persons monitored for a psychiatric disorder without a comorbid substance disorder:
 - 60% suffered from depression
 - 27% suffered from bipolar disorder
 - 13% suffered from another psychiatric disorder

Additionally, at least 11% were monitored for a medical disorder”

5. The Board of Psychology has seven licensees in HPSP, about 2/1000 licensees.
6. HPSP reports that 82% of the participation agreements sought are signed within eight weeks of referral. Ms. Ward stated that this is a good record considering the number of preliminary tasks that must be completed leading up to the signing of these agreements.
7. The results of the annual survey HPSP sends to Board Executive Directors generally gave positive feedback. However, one Board was a bit discouraged with HPSP. Ms. Ward believes that the dissatisfaction stems from the fact that HPSP is not equipped to monitor the types of illnesses sometimes presented by licensees of the Board.

b. Proposed 2008 Board Meeting and Application Review Committee (ARC) Calendar. The Board was presented with a proposed calendar of meeting dates for the full Board and the ARC. The Board members did not identify a quorum problem for any of the proposed dates. The Board members decided to email P. Walker-Singleton with any dates that conflict with their schedules.

3. **Waivers/Variances.**

a. The following licensees were granted approval of six-month time-limited variances to complete requirements for continuing education (CE), in compliance with MN Rule 7200.3400, subpart 2.

Butler, Karen Havens, PhD, LP	LP3643	05/31/07
Gilliand, Reba G., MEd, LP	LP4171	08/31/07
Kronfeld, Suzy S., MA, LP	LP2875	07/31/07
Loewen, Gerald R., MA, LP	LP3340	08/31/07
Maddock, James W., PhD, LP	LP0029	08/31/07
Muxen, Marla J., PhD., LP	LP2951	07/31/07
Shoemaker, Tracey L., MA, LP	LP3750	08/31/07
Vancini, John P., PhD, LP	LP0055	08/31/07
Wangen, David A., EdD, LP	LP0058	08/31/07
Williams, Ronald I., EdD, LP	LP0064	08/31/07

T. Thompson moved, seconded by S. Hayes that the six-month time-limited variance requests to complete continuing education requirements (MN Rule 7200.3400, subpart 2) be approved for the licensees listed above on the basis that the licensees met the burden to prove that adherence to the rule would impose an undue burden on the licensees, that granting the variances will not adversely affect the public welfare, and that the alternatives proposed meet the rationale for the rule. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

4. **Admit to EPPP.**

The Application Review Committee moved that the following applicants be admitted to the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP) after having met the educational requirements for licensure. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

07C-159	06C-364	07C-165	07C-145	07C-163
07C-077	07C-156			

5. **Admit to PRE.**

The Application Review Committee moved that the following applicants be admitted to the Professional Responsibility Examination (PRE) after having met the educational requirements for licensure. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

07C-167	07C-013	05C-096	06C-350	07C-126
07C-123	07C-157	07C-166	07C-164	07C-145
07C-065	07C-162	07C-153	07C-094	96B-315
07C-097	07C-122			

6. Licensed Psychological Practitioners.

The Application Review Committee moved that the following applicants be licensed as Licensed Psychological Practitioners based on master’s degrees after fulfilling all requirements for licensure of Minnesota Statute section 148.908. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

Jon Richard Colombo, MA
Melissa May Donegan, MA
Heather Kathleen Martin, MA
Duane Edward Peterson, MA

7. Licensed Psychologists.

The Application Review Committee moved that the following applicants be licensed as Licensed Psychologists based on doctoral degrees after fulfilling all requirements of Minnesota Statute section 148.907, subd. 2. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

Elizabeth Ruth Anderson-Elias, PsyD
Autumn Elisabeth Braddock, PhD
Daniel Anthony Christensen, PsyD
Leann Kaye Hutton, PsyD
Jason Lee Lewis, PhD
Victoria Mae Littlefield, PhD
Christianne Michelle Lysne, PhD
Michael Joseph O’Friel, PsyD
Catherine Marie Palmer, PhD
Thea L. Rothmann, PhD
Amelia Suzanne Versland, PhD

8. Re-Licensure following Termination.

The Application Review Committee moved approval of the re-Licensure of the following applicants. The applicants met all requirements for re-licensure in MN. Rule 7200.3610. Voting “aye”: M. Fulton, S. Hayes, G. Jensen, T. Nguyen-Kelly, J. Romano, T. Thompson, S. Ward, and J. Wolf. Voting “nay”: none. There being eight “ayes” and no “nays”, the motion carried unanimously.

Michael Charles Luxem, PhD	(Voluntarily Terminated June 14, 2001)
Shereen Marie O’Malley, MA	(Board terminated for non-renewal on May 1, 1998)

9. Emeritus Registration.

The Application Review Committee moved that the following applicant be granted Emeritus Registration based upon fulfilling all requirements of MN. STAT. 148.9105. The applicant was originally licensed as a Licensed Psychologist on June 7, 1980 and completed an active career in good standing with the Board. Applicant retired from practice November 4, 2004.

Rosemary June Dummer, MA

10. Other Business.**a. Rules Committee.**

J. Romano reported that the draft rules are still at the Office of the Revisors. After receiving an acceptable copy from the Revisor's Office, the next step will be to complete the Statement of Need and Reasonableness (SONAR) and to hold any needed hearings. The rules of licensure, continuing education, and conduct will be submitted as separate packages.

11. Adjournment.

M. Fulton moved, seconded by J. Romano that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 10:00 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN HAYES
Board Secretary