

STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite C121, Reno, Nevada 89502 775-688-2555

PUBLIC NOTICE OF BOARD VIDEOCONFERENCE MEETING

Friday, July 15, 2011 at 9:00 a.m.

Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services 4000 E. Charleston Blvd., Suite B-230 Las Vegas, Nevada 89104

Some members of the Board may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony, through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:

Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services 745 W. Moana Lane, Suite 100 Reno, Nevada 89509

Please Note: The Board of Examiners for Social Workers may address agenda items out of sequence, combine the agenda items, pull or remove the agenda items, in order aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting or to accommodate persons appearing before the Board. (NRS 241.020)

Public comment is welcomed by the Board and will be heard at the beginning of the Board meeting following the Call to Order and Roll and at the end of the agenda prior to the adjournment of the Board meeting. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per person. The President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and at his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

* Denotes items on which Board may take possible action. Action taken by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, pull or remove the item.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order and Roll.
- 2. Public Comment.

Note: No vote 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. *Approve Agenda.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Consent Agenda contains matters of routine acceptance. The Board Members may approve the consent agenda items as written or, at their discretion, may address individual items for discussion or change.

- 4. *Approval of Consent Agenda
 - A. Licensure/Internship Applications
 - 1. *Ratification of Approved License Applications (Attachment 1)
 - 2. *Ratification of Denied License Applications (Attachment 1)
 - 3. *Ratification of Approved Internship Applications (Attachment 1)

- 4. *Ratification of Denied Internship Applications (Attachment 1)
- B. Continuing Education
 - 1. *Ratification of Approved Continuing Education Programs
 - 2. *Ratification of Denied Continuing Education Programs

REGULAR AGENDA

- 5. Disciplinary Matters
 - A. *Recommendation to Close Files: G09-29, G10-24 and G10-38.
 - B. Disciplinary Report.
 - C. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the steady increase of accusations received by the Board and recommendations to address this issue.
- 6. Licensure, Intern, and Application Issues
 - A. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding revision and recommendation to Board forms presently used in the internship program approval process, including but not limited to, Board forms used as part of the internship program site approval.
- 7. Legislative and Regulatory Issues
 - A. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding outcome of the 76th (2011) Legislative Session, including the passage of bills impacting the Board and/or licensees.
- 8. Continuing Education
 - A. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding ongoing research conducted by the Board's Secretary/Treasurer and Executive Director regarding online courses.
- 9. Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB); National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
 - A. *ASWB
 - 1. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the 2010 ASWB Examination Pass Rates for North America and Nevada.
 - 2. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the 2010 pass/fail rates for graduates of each Nevada university School of Social Work education program.
 - 3. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the 2010 ASWB Annual Report.
 - B. *NASW
 - 1. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding request by NASW to have Board member(s) present at the 2011 NASW-Nevada Chapter, Annual Conference, September 22 through 24, in Reno, NV.
- 10. Deputy Attorney General Report
 - A. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding changes to the State's Open Meeting Law with most changes becoming effective on July 1, 2011, pursuant to the passage of AB59 (<u>http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/Bills/AB59</u>) and AB257 (<u>http://www/leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/Bills/AB257</u>) during the 76th (2011) Legislative Session.
- 11. Presiding Officer's Comments

12. Board Operations

- A. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the approval of Minutes for March 18, 2011 and April 29, 2011 Board Meetings.
- B. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding June 30, 2011 Board year end cash flow statement.
- C. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding 2011-2012 fiscal year Board Budget.
- D. *Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the Board's policy on the number of times an applicant can re-take the ASWB examination within the limitations presently imposed pursuant to NAC 641B.105(5), of the Newly Adopted Regulations, under an open application.
- E. Executive Director's Report.

13. Public Comment

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14. *Adjournment

Anyone desiring additional information regarding the meeting is invited to call the Board office at (775) 688-2555.

We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Board of Examiners for Social Workers, 4600 Kietzke Lane, C121, Reno, Nevada 89502, or call (775) 688-2555, as soon as possible.

The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.030)

This notice has been posted at the office of the Board of Examiners for Social Workers; the Board's Web Page <u>www.socwork.nv.gov</u>; Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services, Reno; and Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services, Las Vegas and the following locations:

Washoe County Social Services, 350 S. Center Street, Reno, Nevada Clark County Social Services, 1600 Pinto Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada University of Nevada, Las Vegas, School of Social Work, Las Vegas, Nevada University of Nevada, Reno, School of Social Work, Anasari Business Building, Reno, Nevada

Approvals

Attachment	1
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Robinson, Dana	5949-C	Donohue, Sarah	5995-S
Richardson, Julie	5950-C Reed, Kelly		5996-S
McDuffee, Jennifer	5951-S Carrillo, Fabiola		5997-S
Calabrese, Joan	5952-S	Correa, Emily	5998-S
Gobel, Caryl	5953-C	Thewes, Alysson	5999-S
Wallace, Lakeshia	5954-S	Turner, Amy	6000-S
Nicolaides, Aaron	5955-C	Cabales, Marymar	6001-S
Hepner-Liston, Rebecca	5956-S	Clifford, Jenna	6002-S
Huntsberger, Ana	5957-C	DeBoer-Sunde, Shatalaine	6003-S
Durbin-Evans, Krystal	5958-S	Tanner, Anthony	6004-C
Roberts, Pamela	5959-S	Toriumi-Bird, Akiko	6005-S
Williams, Krista	5960-S	Shamburger, Whitney	6006-S
McLeod, Sylvia	5961-S	Dell, Heidi	6007-C
Monda, Diana	5962-C	Coleman, Ashley	6008-S
Lyman, Sierra	5963-C	Cowan, Robert	6009-S
Labarry, Kellie	5964-S	Haley, Meaghan	6010-S
Fletcher, Charles	5965-S	Jackson, Shaetonna	6011-S
Perkins, Jennifer	5966-S	Morelli, Gina	6012-C
Taylor, Molly	5967-S	Ploeger, Hettie	6013-S
Terry, Annie	5968-S	Turner, Meredith	6014-S
Hawk, Christi	5969-S	Wiggins, Patrick	6015-N
Robbins, Diana	5970-C	Workman, Adam	6016-S
Finch-Hall, Tamika	5971-S	Ali-Yallah, Alisa	6017-S
Kazmar, Nicole	5972-S	Castaneda, Adrian	6018-S
Crawford, Patrick	5973-C	Lowrey, Nicole	6019-S
Kwan, Tracy	5974-S	Marchie, Jonathan	6020-S
Nelson, Reta	5975-S	McKinney, Devron	6021-S
Retic, LaDwana	5976-C	Ogundimu, Olumide	6022-S
Strohl, Elana	5977-S	Zawid, Brian	6023-S
Pruzansky, Julie	5978-S	Sullivan, Leticia	6024-C
Turner, Alisha	5979-S	Formica, Christine	6025-S
Ellis, Charles	5980-C	Giles, Ryan	6026-C
Miller, Amber	5981-S	Peoples, Rebecca	6027-C
Dick, Anissa	5982-S	Scott, Danielle	6028-S
Stoebling, David	5983-S	Beck, Sarah	6029-S
Auckenthaler, Alexis	5984-S	Daugherty, Clair	6030-S
Edmon, Katrina	5985-S	Frey, Barbara	6031-S
Foreman, Monique	5986-S	LaPlante, Alexandra	6032-S
Gbenjo, Oluwafemi	5987-S	Nichols, Lorraine	6033-S
McGarrah, Rachael	5988-S	Pendleton, Patricia	6034-S
Pomerleau, Kasey	5989-S	Perhacs, Kristina	6035-S
Rhodes, Julia	5990-S	Schaat, Eric	6036-S
Uccelli, Christin	5991-S	Settle, Kathleen	6037-S
Vasquez, Melissa	5992-S	Slavin, Sandra	6038-S
Wallace, Yvonne	5993-S		
Witteman, Ali	5994-S		
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<u>Denials:</u> Sales, Brenda

Social Work Application—did not meet qualifications.

Denied Renewals: Courtney, Jolie

April LSW license renewal-did not respond to Board letter.

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LaPlante, Alexandra	882P-S (A)
Tanner, Anthony	883P-C (A)
Baldwin, Tiffany	884P-S (A)
Kaul, Natasha	885P-S (B)
Wells, Theresa	886P-S (A)
Tanner, Stephanie	887P-S (A)
Nichols, Lorraine	888P-S (A)

No Provisional License Denials This Period

INTERNSHIP APPLICATIONS

Approvals

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>	Supervisor	<u>Site</u>
Toledo, Tashanne	IC-677	Nancy Caldwell, LCSW	NV DCFS Children's Clinical Services
Hepner-Liston, Rebecca	IC-678	Rosalie Montoya, LCSW	All About You Counseling
Smith, Elizabeth	IC-679	Ann Polakowski, LCSW	DCFS Early Childhood MHS
Forman, Monique	IC-680	Kay Riehm, LCSW	West Hills Hospital
Strohl, Elana	IC-681	Ann Polakowski, LCSW	DCFS Early Childhood MHS
Hatter, Colleen	IC-682	Georgene Rea, LCSW	Harmony Healthcare
Uccelli, Christin	IC-683	Kay Riehm, LCSW	West Hills Hospital
Pry, Samualla	IC-684	Darren Anderson, LCSW	Silver Springs Mental Health
Clifford, Jenna	IC-685	Latoyia Griffin, LCSW	Cleveland Clinic, Lou Ruvo Center

No Internship Applications Denied This Period