

**BOARD OF MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS AND
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS
MINUTES OF MEETING**

May 14, 2010

Open Session

The Open Session of the Board of Mental Health Counselors and Marriage and Family Therapists was called to order on the above date in Room 104, Cannon Building, Rhode Island Department of Health, Three Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island, pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Open Meeting Law, so called, and other applicable provisions of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, as amended. A quorum was established at 9:00 am.

Board members in attendance:

Terrence Giblin

Dale Blumen

Noelle Harris

Elizabeth Johnson

Board members not in attendance:

Ronald Mancini

Joseph Costa

James Pinel

Staff members in attendance:

Charles Alexandre

The minutes of the meetings held on March 12, 2010 were presented. On motion of Dale Blumen, seconded by Elizabeth Johnson, it was unanimously voted to accept the minutes.

Business

There were no Announcements.

The Board discussed the response submitted by Salve Regina University regarding the Rehabilitation Counseling Program. Noelle Harris and James Pinel will sit on a task for to review the current criteria for licensure with respect to education for all applicants.

The Board reviewed and unanimously approved the following mental health counselor applications for licensure pending successful completion of the national examination:

Jill P. Smith

Deirdre A. Gale

Alica Kicic (pending receipt of supervised hours)

Kathleen E. Whelan

Julie Wargo (pending receipt of supervised hours)

Laurie S. D'Alvisio-Coykendall (pending receipt of supervised hours)

Morgan Bam-Draoi (pending receipt of supervised hours)

Denis M. Laurito (pending receipt of supervised hours)

The Board reviewed and unanimously approved the following mental health counselor application for licensure by endorsement:

Anne M. DeLomba

Trevor M. Yingling

Eric K. Hardison

Kristi L. Lombardo

Kathleen D. Ross

The Board reviewed and unanimously approved the following marriage and family therapist applications for licensure pending successful completion of the national examination:

Jeffrey Rosinski (pending receipt of supervised hours)

Adjournment

Having no further business, on motion of Dale Blumen, seconded by Noelle Harris, it was unanimously voted to adjourn. The Open Session of the meeting was adjourned at 12:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles Alexandre

Chief, Health Professions Regulation