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COUNSELING CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF AGENDA & PUBLIC MEETING

Scheduled for February 26, 2010, at 9:00 AM
3443 North Central Avenue, Room 908, Phoenix, Arizona

2nd amended (2/24/10)

Pursuant to A.R.S. Sec. 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the general public and to members of the Counseling Credentialing Committee that the Committee will hold a regular meeting open to the public on the date and at the time indicated above. (The meeting room is located on the 9th floor of the building.)

The Committee reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, except for those matters set for a specific time.

The Committee, upon majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an Executive Session on any item on the agenda, where applicable, for purposes of reviewing and discussing confidential records, to obtain legal advice and/or to consider its position and instruct its attorneys pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2), (3) and (4). Executive Sessions are not open to the public.

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The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Call to order (Chair)

2. Roll call (staff)

3. Minutes: review, consideration and action

A. January 29, 2010, general meeting minutes

4. Complaints and other disciplinary matters: review, consideration and action. (9:00 a.m.)

The Committee may go into executive session to discuss records exempt from public inspection pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(2) or to obtain legal advice pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3).

Pending complaints represent unproven allegations. On investigation, many complaints are found to be without merit or not of sufficient seriousness to merit disciplinary action against the licensee and are dismissed. Action by the committee on all disciplinary matters is a recommendation only. All final decisions are made by the Board.

A. 2005-0082, Jeanne Rust-Lester, LPC-1997

Review, consideration and action regarding opening a complaint and possible disciplinary action based on possible non-compliance with the consent agreement.

B. 2008-0040, Susan Forno, LPC-1233

Informal meeting for review, consideration and action.

C. 2009-0102, Daniela Roher, LPC-1777

Informal meeting for review, consideration and action.

D. Nancy Taylor, LPC-10994

Review, consideration and action regarding opening a complaint.

E. Jeremy Ernst, LAC applicant

Review, consideration and action regarding opening a complaint and possible disciplinary action based on the applicant's response to background questions on his application.

5. Report from the Chair and items for review, consideration and action

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6. Report from Executive Director and/or staff

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A. General agency operations

B. Review, consideration and action regarding recommendations to the Board regarding consent agreement language

C. Discussion regarding the Board's interpretation of A.A.C. R4-6-212(G), clinical supervision by observation

7. Board, committee and subcommittee reports (discussion and possible action)

8. National and regional trends and news regarding the profession(s)

9. Supervisor exemption requests: review, consideration and action

A. Linda Shmyr-Russell (Carmelo Carlone)

10. Consent agenda: review, consideration and action regarding requests for inactive status and deficiency extensions

A. Sandra Warner, Inactive status

B. Jonathan Burch, Inactive status

C. Cara DeLessio, Inactive status

11. Inactive status extension requests: review, consideration and action.

12. Applications for renewal: review, consideration and action.

13. Applications for reassessment: review, consideration and action

A. Katherine Reusing

14. Applications for licensure: review, consideration and possible action.

Names of applicants to be reviewed are posted in the reception area of 3443 North Central Avenue, Suite 1700, Phoenix, AZ at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

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Independent Contractor

A. Seema Bacon (Illinois Youth Advocate Program)

Appeals

A. Tiffany Green

B. Robert Palazzolo

C. William Gorback

15. Future agenda items

16. Call for public comment

Those wishing to address the Committee do not need to request permission in advance; however, the Committee may limit those persons speaking during this time to a reasonable number on any given public matter. In addition, each person wishing to address the Committee will be given five (5) minutes to do so. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02(H), the Committee can only take action on matters listed on the agenda. Action on public comment matters that are not listed on the agenda will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or to schedule the matter for further discussion at a later date.

17. Establishment of future meeting date(s)

The next meeting is scheduled Friday, March 26, 2010, at 9:00 a.m., at 3443 North Central Avenue, Conference Room 908.

18. Adjournment

February 24, 2010

Patricia Reynolds FOR
Debra Rinaudo
Executive Director