

KENTUCKY BOARD OF LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
August 27, 2018

A special meeting of the Kentucky Board of Licensed Professional Counselors was held at the Natural Bridge State Park on August 27-28, 2018.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Imelda Bratton
Dr. Andrea Brooks
Christopher Griffith
Mark Hamm

DPL STAFF

Lyndsay Sipple, Board Administrator

MEMBERS ABSENT

Brian O’Rear
Dr. Marty Wesley
Dr. Jason Bluemlein

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Imelda Bratton, Board Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:40 a.m.

MINUTES

Dr. Andrea Brooks moved to approve the amended minutes from the July 30, 2018 meeting as well as the minutes from the August 17, 2018 meeting. Motion, seconded by Chris Griffith, carried.

NEW BUSINESS

The board assembled these 2 days with the idea of developing a long term strategic plan for the direction of the LPC board. The members started a working document to review and discuss. Items discussed:

- Being the legal/moral authority
- Being an approachable resource for licensees
- Maintaining a leadership presence in national trends
- Reciprocity with more states
- Making electronic application process seamless
- Regulations for distance counseling
- Orientation for new board members for Applications and Complaints
- Military spouse reciprocity/endorsement.

Other items discussed:

Would like to check the logistics behind filming the board meetings

For renewals – can the system be changed so licensees can add their trainings throughout the year as they are completed?

There was some discussion about creating a FAQ about the complaint process so licensees know what to expect

OLD BUSINESS

Distance counseling – licensee must be licensed in the state the client is in

FAQ's – still a work in progress; would like to do FAQ's for the application and complaint process as well as general information

APPLICATIONS COMMITTEE

Chris Griffith made a motion to accept the recommendations of the Applications Committee as approved, deferred and denied as specified. Motion, seconded by Mark Hamm, carried.

Supervisory Agreements

The applications committee made a recommendation to approve the following Supervisory Agreements:

Carsemu Brown, Jr., Ison Elliott, Gloria George, Cara Holley, Jaleesa Linton, Amy Price

Licensed Professional Counselor Associate (LPCA)

The applications committee made a recommendation to approve the following applications for Licensed Professional Counselor Associates:

Michael Coleman, Paola Duran, Joseph Fulkerson, Karin Klein, Joy Messer, April Napier-Combs, Chelsea Riney, Ashley Robertson, Carly Stock

The applications committee made a recommendation to defer the following applications for Licensed Professional Counselor Associates:

Diana Norkus

The applications committee made a recommendation to deny the following applications for Licensed Professional Counselor Associates: -

Colleen Cernik

Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor (LPCC)

The applications committee made a recommendation to approve the following LPCC applications:

Valencia Dickerson, Jonathan Mitchell, Whitney Parsons, Paige Pauley, Amber Worman, Doug Williams

The applications committee made a recommendation to defer the following LPCC applications:

Amber Bathon

The applications committee made a recommendation to deny the following LPCC applications:

Deborah Foley, Margaret Guenther

TRAVEL AND PER DIEM

Mark Hamm made a motion to approve the travel and per diem for members attending today's meeting, those that reviewed renewals and applications between meetings and those that helped prepare applications between meetings. Motion, seconded by Dr. Andrea Brooks, carried.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Imelda Bratton".

Dr. Imelda Bratton, Board Chair