

IOWA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY
Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines, Iowa
Origination Site: Professional Licensure Conference Room 526
Open Session Meeting Minutes
November 4, 2022

A hybrid meeting was held in conference room #526 of the Lucas State Office Building. Some attendees attended in-person and some attendees attended virtually via Zoom.

Chairperson – Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m.

Roll Call

Members Present:

Matthew Cooper, Psy.D. MSCP
Lisa Streyffeler, Ph.D.
Laura Fuller, Ph.D
Lora Keipper, Psy.D.
Sara Swanson, Ph.D.
Justin Rhode, Public Member

Members Absent

Ruth Kunkle, Public Member

Staff Present

Laura Steffensmeier, Assistant Attorney General
Tony Alden, Board Executive
Jessica O'Brien, Board Executive
Beth Jorgensen, Compliance Administrator
Lacy Hepp, Assistant to Board Administrator

Public Attendees

Paul Ascheman, IPA

Introductions

Were made by the Board, staff and guests present.

Announcements

None

Approval of Open Session Minutes

Streyffeler moved the Board approve the open session meeting minutes of August 19, 2022 as presented. A second was received by Fuller. All ayes, nays none, motion carried.

Board Executive Reports

Alden gave an overview of the Individual Board Allocations & Summary Table and the Annual Report. Alden addressed questions from the Board.

Alden presented to the Board that the EPPP will be moving to a two-part exam. All questions were addressed.

AAG Report

None

Application Review

Holly Clausen

Discussion was had on her Minnesota discipline. Minnesota subpoenaed her records and then issued a Stipulation to Cease Practice because she got significantly behind in her reports but was still seeing new people. Request is for conditional licensure with ongoing supervision for two years from an established Iowa Psychologist. Board consensus this is a good plan and there are safe guards built in. Board consensus is to offer the applicant a license by consent agreement as presented in the meeting.

Streyffeler made a motion to offer the applicant a license by consent agreement as presented. A second was received by Cooper. All ayes, nays none, motion carried.

Administrative Rules

Discussion on Notice of Intended Action to amend chapters 240 through 243 based on five-year review and HF2246. The amended copy will go out for public comment.

Fuller moved the Board to move forward with the amendments. A second was received by Keipper. All ayes, nays none motion carried.

Board members took a break at 10:24 a.m. and returned at 10:30 a.m.

Public Comment

Paul Ascheman appreciates the board for allowing him to participate in the review of chapters 240 through 243.

Closed Session

A motion was made by Cooper to enter into closed session at 10:33 a.m. to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigations or proceedings as allowed under Iowa Code section 21.5(1)d and to discuss records that are required to be kept confidential as allowed under Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(a) and pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(f) to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case. A second was received from Fuller. Roll call was taken: Cooper-Aye, Streyffeler-Aye, Fuller-Aye, Keipper-Aye, Rhode-Aye, and Swanson-Aye. Motion carried.

The Board returned to open session at 11:11 a.m.

Open Session to vote on items discussed in closed session

Fuller moved the Board approve the closed session meeting minutes of August 19, 2022 as amended. A second was received by Cooper. All ayes, nays none, motion carried.

Cooper moved the Board close 21-0309, 22-0163, 22-0193 and 22-0307. A second was received by Swanson. All ayes, nays none, motion carried.

Future Board Meeting

February 3, 2023

May 5, 2023

August 18, 2023

November 3, 2023

Adjournment

The Board adjourned unanimously at 11:16 a.m. on a motion by Cooper and a second by Fuller.