

**Texas State Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists**  
***Rules Committee Meeting***  
**Friday, October 9, 2015, 4:00 pm University of Mary Hardin-Baylor**  
**Bawcom Student Union Building; Room: McLane Great Hall A & B**  
**901 W University Dr.**  
**Belton, TX 76513**

**MINUTES**

**Board Members Present:**

Rick Bruhn, Professional Member  
Michael Miller, Public Member  
George Francis, Public Member  
Keith Rosenbaum, Professional Member

**Staff Present:**

Cheryl Gomez  
Molly Fudell  
Amanda Stallings

**Guests Present:**

Jodie Elder  
Thao Phan

**Agenda Item 1** was to call meeting to order. The meeting was called to order at 5:02 pm by Dr. Stokes, chair.

**Agenda Item 2** was to approve the minutes of the July 10, 2015 Rules Committee meeting. A motion was made by Dr. Bruhn to approve the minutes as written. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Agenda Item 3** was discussion related to potential amendments to rules to impose a time limit after which a degree may not be used to qualify for licensure, for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 4** was discussion related to proposed amendments to the board's rules in 22 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §§ 801.2 (Definitions), 801.44 (Relationships with clients), 801.57 (Technology-assisted services), 801.142 (Supervised clinical experience requirements and conditions), 801.143 (Supervisor requirements), and 801.235 (Late renewal), for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 5** was discussion related to proposed amendments to the board's rules in 22 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §801.204 (Licensing of Military Service members, Military Veterans, and Military Spouses) for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 6** was discussion related to potential amendments to rules or new rules relating to HB 1449 regarding child custody evaluations and adoption evaluations, for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 7** was discussion regarding potential changes to 22 TAC §801.115– Academic Requirements and Supervised Clinical Practicum Equivalency for Applicants Currently Licensed in Another Jurisdiction, for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 8** was discussion regarding potential amendments to rules regarding training, education, and other specific requirements for supervisors providing supervision to licensees who are subject to a board order, for publication in the Texas Register. No action was taken.

**Agenda Item 9** was public comment. One person addressed the committee.

**Agenda Item 10** was Announcements and comments not requiring committee action, such as statements regarding conferences and other recent or upcoming events.

**Agenda Item 11** Schedule next committee meeting date. This was tabled for discussion in the full board meeting.

**Agenda Item 12** was to adjourn meeting. The meeting adjourned at 5:15pm.