

Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners
Ethics Committee Meeting

Thursday, September 10, 2015, at 9 a.m.
Hobby Building, Tower III, Room 100
333 Guadalupe
Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Approve minutes from the June 2015, Ethics Committee meeting.
3. Discussion and possible action on pending complaints.

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| 1072-12-0038 | 1072-12-0111 | 1072-12-0139 |
| 1072-12-0068 | 1072-12-0112 | 1072-12-0150 |
| 1072-12-0069 | 1072-12-0113 | 1072-12-0152 |
| 1072-12-0073 | 1072-12-0131 | 1072-12-0156 |
| 1072-12-0074 | 1072-12-0135 | 1072-13-0005 & |
| 1072-12-0087 | 1072-12-0136 | 1072-13-0035 |
| 1072-12-0091 | 1072-12-0137 | 1072-15-0004 |
| 1072-12-0093 | 1072-12-0138 & | |
| 1072-12-0108 | 1072-14-0040 | |

4. Public comment.
5. Discussion and possible action regarding attorney's report on cases where disciplinary actions have been recommended, Informal Conferences have been held, or State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH hearings) have been requested.

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| 1072-09-0111 | 1072-09-0151 | 1072-10-0133 |
| | & 1072-11-0072 | 1072-15-0051 |

6. Set next committee meeting date(s).
7. Adjourn meeting.

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Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners
Ethics Committee Meeting

Friday, September 11, 2015, at 10 a.m.
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333 Guadalupe
Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Discussion and possible action on pending complaints.
1072-15-0113
3. Discussion and possible action regarding complaints closed administratively as non-jurisdictional.
1072-13-0068
1072-15-0022
4. Discussion and possible action regarding compliance with Board Orders.
1072-10-0120
5. Public comment.
6. Set next committee meeting date(s).
7. Adjourn meeting.

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Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners
Licensing Standards and Qualification Committee Meeting

**Friday, September 11, 2015, at 12:30 p.m. or
upon adjournment of the Ethics Committee Meeting**
Hobby Building, Tower III, Room 100
333 Guadalupe
Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Approve minutes from the June 2015, Licensing Standards and Qualification Committee meeting.
3. Discussion and possible action regarding licensing qualification issues for the following.

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| Abu, Olubukola Abimbola | Gallander, Samuel Caleb | Rosemond, Cessily Tiana |
| Acosta, Rosa Eida | Garcia, Carmen M. | Ross, Lisa Christine |
| Amaefula, Hannah O. | Gearhart-Turner, Patti | Schmelzer, Jeffrey Daniel |
| Andrews, Jessica Lynn | Gestaut, Ivy Elizabeth | Serrano, Maria DLA |
| Benitez, Iliana M | Hebert, Linda | Soper, Paul Owen |
| Brackens, Cherry Lynn | Ortiz, Jennifer Lee | Swinton, Jennifer Amani |
| Braswell, Kimberly D. | Patrick, Julia Boren | Trejo, Elvira |
| Cardot, Ashleigh Nicole | Perez, Vanessa I. | Walker, Angela Tekesha |
| Choice, Kendall J. | Ricks, Daria | Walley, Tama Marie |
| Clark, Sylvia | Robinson, Kenneth Wayne | Washington, Alexis Rae |
| DeHoyos, David Lee | Rogers, Shanterial Nicole | Wright, Antoinette U. |
| Fernandez, Sylvia Maria | Rosales, Yanira Grace | Zelley, Sandra N. |

4. Discussion and possible action regarding Independent Practice Recognition.
5. Public Comment.
6. Set next committee meeting date(s).
7. Adjourn meeting.

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**Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners
Professional Development Committee Meeting**

Saturday, September 12, 2015, at 9 a.m.

Exchange Building, Room N-102

8407 Wall Street

Austin, Texas 78754

AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Approve minutes from the June 2015, Professional Development Committee meeting.
3. Discussion and possible action regarding the completion of the requirements for the Alternative Method of Examining Competency (AMEC) program participants.

A. The following persons request permission to begin the probationary period.

Secunda Barlow

Alicia Fletcher

Orangegy Jackson-Jones

Nakeisha Jones

Yolanda Shields

Cynthia Shockency

B. The following persons request review of their portfolios and approval for full licensure.

Mayra Perez

Kristina Sadler

Bridget Sauer

LaKindra Wortham

4. Discussion and possible action regarding applications of supervisor training providers.

Dorinda N. Noble, Ph.D., LCSW (Board-approved Supervisor)

5. Discussion and possible action regarding audits of continuing education providers.
6. Discussion and possible action regarding the Board's jurisprudence examination.
7. Public Comment.
8. Set next committee meeting date(s).
9. Adjourn meeting.

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Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners
Board - Regular Meeting

Saturday, September 12, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. or upon adjournment
of the Professional Development Committee Meeting
Exchange Building, Room N-102
8407 Wall Street
Austin, Texas 78754

AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Approval of minutes of the June 2015, Board meeting.
3. Discussion and possible action regarding reports from Board Committees:
 - A. *Ethics Committee*
 - Number of cases reviewed.
 - Cases Closed.
 - Disciplinary Action Recommended.
 - B. *Professional Development Committee*
 - Discussion and possible action regarding the completion of the requirements for the Alternative Method of Examining Competency (AMEC) program participants.
 - Discussion and possible action regarding applications of supervisor training providers.
 - Discussion and possible action regarding audits of continuing education providers.
 - Discussion and possible action regarding the Board's jurisprudence examination.
 - C. *Licensing Standards and Qualification Committee*
 - Number of cases reviewed.
 - Number of licensing standards and qualification case review approvals.
 - Number of licensing standards and qualification case review denials.
 - Number of licensing standards and qualification case reviews returned for more information.
 - Discussion and possible action regarding Independent Practice Recognition.
4. Discussion and possible action regarding order for final action in the following cases.
 - 1072-12-0052
 - 1072-12-0053
 - 1072-14-0004 and 1072-14-0011
5. Report from the Board Chair and update concerning current challenges and accomplishments; interaction with stakeholders, state officials, and staff; committee appointments and functions; workload of Board Members; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the Board.
6. Report from the Executive Director and update concerning program operations; customer service accomplishments, inquiries, and challenges; current and/or historical licensee statistics; media, legislative, and stakeholder contacts and concerns; workload processing; special projects assigned to Executive Director; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the licensure program.

7. Management report and update from the Professional Licensing and Certification Unit Manager, including unit organization and staffing; program costs and revenue; current operational initiatives; customer service accomplishments and challenges; workload processing and statistical information; status of rulemaking within the unit; legislative and media contacts and tracking; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the Professional Licensing and Certification Unit.
8. Public Comment.
9. Schedule next meeting(s).
10. Items for consideration for future committee and board meeting agendas.
11. Adjourn meeting.

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