

OCDP Treatment Committee
December 18, 2015
Meeting Minutes

Present: Alex Bishara, Max Cortes, Amanda Ferguson, Wendy Haynes-Britton, Bruce Jones, Andrew Moss, Ginger Ross, Robb Yurisko

The meeting was called to order at 12:00pm at Talbot Hall.

The committee reviewed and approved minutes from the 10/16/15 meeting.

A. Ferguson provided the committee with several Director Updates.

- **Medicaid Fee For Service:** Medicaid's Fee For Service Rule will take effect 1/14/16 and will not include the Board's licenses. Medicaid convened a meeting on 12/8/15 to review a draft amendment to this rule which will include the LICDC, LCDC III and LCDC II. This rule is targeted for a July 2016 effective date.
- **IC&RC:** IC&RC held a member vote in October on several requirements of their ADC credential. A. Ferguson shared the results of that vote as follows:
 - Reciprocal credentials must require a H.S. Diploma
 - Initial education for reciprocal credentials will increase from 270 to 300 effective 10/1/17
 - Practical experience requirements for reciprocal credentials will be tiered based on degree with an effective date of 10/1/16
 - Practical experience requirements for reciprocal credentials will now be centered around the exams performance domains vs. the twelve core functions with an effective date of 10/1/16
 - Reciprocal credential holders may now hold a related degree vs. the previous behavioral science degree effective date of 10/1/16

A. Ferguson will draft rules to update the Board's reciprocity process to match the new requirements. The Board will need to consider whether it wishes to adjust non-reciprocal requirements to fall more in line with these changes.

- **GAMB-PRE Extensions:** At a previous meeting, the committee had discussed what to do in cases where a GAMB-PRE had reached the end of their two year term but did not have the work hours to move to the GAMB. A. Ferguson reviewed the law with the Board's attorney and shared that the Board cannot renew or extend a GAMB-PRE. The Board could allow an individual to make a new application for the GAMB-PRE and meet all the requirements anew.

- **Elicense 3.0:** A. Ferguson shared that the state is moving all boards to a new database system. The Board has been slated to transition to the new system in July and will be designing/testing the system from Jan-June. A. Ferguson shared that the new system will offer online applications and will automate a considerable amount of data entry by staff. She will keep the committee/board abreast of the process and will begin to notify the field of the coming changes once timelines have been more firmly established.
- **Hypnotherapy:** The committee reviewed a request for clarification on the use of hypnotherapy by a licensee. The committee determined hypnotherapy to be a modality of counseling/treatment that could be used by a licensee within the limits of their scope and with appropriate demonstration of competency in that modality.

A. Moss & A. Ferguson led the committee in a continued discussion of clinical supervision. The committee reviewed a draft letter/email and a draft survey which would be sent out relative to CDCA practice. The committee discussed sending the letter and survey to Program Directors, Clinical Supervisors, County Board Directors and to the field as a whole. A. Ferguson will modify the survey slightly for each audience and will work to obtain contact lists from OhioMHAS.

The committee continued their discussion of ICD10 Z codes and whether or not licensees could utilize those codes. The committee asked A. Ferguson to look at the Board's prior position on V codes and to speak with OhioMHAS on how site auditors are handling Z codes.

The committee began a discussion of needed law/rule changes to bring language in line with the DSM 5. A. Ferguson will draft the recommended language changes for further review.

Meeting adjourned at 3:00 pm.