# PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, February 14, 2025 Time: 8:00 a.m.

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The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83390331981">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83390331981</a>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: **833 9033 1981**. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to <a href="https://zoom.us">https://zoom.us</a>.) The meeting may also be attended at the Board office, located at 3080 South Durango Drive, Suite 102, Las Vegas, NV 89117.

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at <a href="mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us">nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</a>. Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)). The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

### **AGENDA**

1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.

- **2. Public Comment.** Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020).
- 3. Minutes. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Minutes of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners' January 10, 2025, Meeting.

#### 4. Financials

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for Fiscal Year 2025 (July 1, 2024 June 30, 2025).
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Revisions to the Budget for Fiscal Year 2025 (July 1, 2024 June 30, 2025).
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to approve paying the 2024 Nevada State Assessment Fee for PsyPact in the amount of \$1,300.
- D. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to designate Board Members and/or Staff to Attend the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) Mid-Year Meeting, April 24-27, 2025, in Montreal, QC, Canada for a combined total expenditure of approximately \$5,000.

## 5. Legislative/Regulation Update

- (For Possible Action) Report, Discussion and Possible Action on Regulation Activities and Legislative Activities, including the work of Interim Committees, the Nevada Legislature, the Legislative Counsel Bureau, and any position or action the Board may take on or in response to Bills that have been signed into Law, Legislative Bills, and Bill Draft Requests that the Board is tracking, following, or that may impact the Board and its Operations.
- 6. Report from the Nevada Psychological Association.
- 7. Report from the Board Office on Operations.
- 8. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:
  - A. Complaint #19-0626
  - B. Complaint #23-0918

- C. Complaint #24-0103
- D. Complaint #24-0312(1)
- E. Complaint #24-0312(2)
- F. Complaint #24-0605
- G. Complaint #24-0607
- H. Complaints #24-0711 #24-0719 #24-0726 #24-0823
- I. Complaint #24-0730
- J. Complaint #24-0829
- K. Complaint #24-0903
- L. Complaint #24-0924
- M. Complaint #24-1023
- N. Complaint #24-1125
- O. Complaint #24-1202
- P. Complaint #25-0110
- Q. Complaint #25-0128
- 9. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern, or Trainee. The Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session. Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.

### **PSYCHOLOGISTS**

Jeffrey Aguiar Dalea Alawar Onyinyechi Anukem Anna Arya Andrew Ahrendt Robert Antonacci Erick Arguello Elsa Baena Quintin Bailey Rachel Bangit Adam Barkey John Barona

Debra Berry-Malmberg Charles Bichajian Jennifer Blitz Leah Bonilla Linda Bortell Lauren Buchanan Brian Burgess Ramona Burroughs Jonathan Campos DeAnn Cary Jerry Chen

Dominique Cheung Christine Chew Chad Christensen David Contreras Candy Crawford Adrienne DiFabio Shannon Dillon

Elizabeth Dimovski-Jackson Thuy-Phuong Do Anna Dolatabadi Christine Dozier Alana Duschane Christopher Estep Megan Farnsworth

John Fite Nichole Flowers Judy Fluor Runels Gratia Foerster Amy Fox

Stephen Francis Gila Frank Sylva Frock Vanessa Fuentes Tyson Furr Maiken Gale Daniel Garrett Teresa George Matthew Gibbons Shahla Gorovoy Kimberly Gray Peter Grover Lisa Gunderson Michelle Haines

Michelle Haines Tarramazz Harris Fredrica Hendrix Bernadette Hinojos Beverly Howze Chia-Chi Hu Kelly Humphreys Clairissa Hunter

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Mark Ingram
Rachel Irish
Tina Jimenez
Deborah Johnson
Margaret Jones
Natalie Jones
Kathi Jones-Lorenz

Jorge Juarez-Asturias

Cody Kaneshiro
Carolyne Karr
Robin Kay
Kristopher Kern
Dustin Kieschnick
Donald Kincaid
Kele Kirschenbaum
Monica Larson
Timothy Law

George Lazo Robert Leach Tyler Lennon
Andrew Leone
Micol Levi-Minzi
Jessica Liberman
Benjamin Loew
Vanessa Ma
Chelsea Mackey
James Madero
James Maltzahn
Alexandra Matthews

Sarah Mauck Katherine McKenzie Paul McLaughlin Carol McLean Linda McWhorter

Iris Melo Lorena Michel Stacey Mizokawa Christine Moberg Mark Mochin Shanna Mohler Alexandra Montesi Luzviminda Morrow

Mary Nelson Robert Nemerovski Stephanie Northington

Beverly Paschal Jessica Peltan Daniel Pott-Penn

Daniel Pott-Pepperman Renata Pleshchuk-Kowalski Daniel Pott-Pepperman Stephanie Procell Lee Rather Rachelle Rene Danielle Richards April Roberts

Kristin Robinson Tera Robison Erick Rogers
Jessica Roos
Eric Rosmith
Taraneh Rostami
Benjamin Rubin
Malia Sanchez

Liza San Muguel-Montes

Mary Schuberg

Coreen Schwartz Starr
Shaina Shepherd
Dianne Shumay
Laljit Sidhu
Alexis Sliva
Katelyn Steele
Willann Stone
Tony Strickland
Amy Swope
Tara Tanaka

Matthew Tatum Michelle Tatum Alicia Tolerico John Tsanadis Lee Underwood Amv Vail Keith Valone Ina Von Ber Michelle Vorwerk Corinne Votaw Allison Vreeland **Bethany Walters** Nelson Walters Justine Weber Michael Whitman Kavli Wrenn Elisa Youngblood

### PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Jeffrey Aguiar Rachel Ballard Rosalind Banks Tracy Basile Ramy Bassioni Mark Beverly Judit Brissette Andrew Buchanan Candis Carswell Taylor Chille Althea Clark Althea Cook

**Emerson Epstein** 

Amelia Evans
Evan Fertel
Grady Gallagher
Cori Gold
Milagro Gonzalez
Kimberly Gray

Jennifer Grimes-Vawters
Aeriel Halstead
Joseph Henrich
Akiko Hinds
Bernadette Hinojos
Tiffany Hunter
Madison Hurley
Courtney Hutchinson

Shoshana Katz Richelle Konczak Dimitra Kourtesi Dorota Krotkiewicz Liya Levanda Taylor Levine Angela Lewis Anna Lujan-Sondgroth James Maltzahn Erica Marino Genna Mashinchi Alexandra Miguel

Desiree Misanko

Luzviminda Morrow Blake Oldfield Dylena Pierce Amy Prescott Eric Prince Jacquelyn Rinaldi Yana Ryjova

Gordon Zilberman

Coreen Schwartz Starr Sharon Simington Michelle Strong Michelle Tatum Andre Wielemaker Monica Zepeda Rojo

#### **PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS**

Lallabrigida Cooper-SingletonMichelle GastonShalini KabeerMiriam Vela-SanchezMario De SouzaDaniel GonzalezMichael McNamaraRichard WarmkeJacqueline FriarTiffany HunterBianca ReavesSussan FungLauren JohnsonRuby Sharma

#### **PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES**

Hoor Ul Ain Ashley Dorsey Chiante' Jemison Melanie Rede Marissa Alvarez Erin Dunn Todd Jennings Shannon Sagert Vanni Arcaina Kinsev Ellis Christine Salva Jordan Kaye Linnea Bacon Michael Fensken Julia Maranville Madison Thomasson Tatev Gaboyan Adaeze Chike-Okoli Sara Moore Angelos Tsalafos Kieffer Christianson Kaelyn Griffin Maegan Nation Teresa Walker Karisa Deandra Odrunia Michelle Harden Jessica Woodyatt Anna Cole Ananda Peixoto-Couto **Delaney Collins** Haleigh Harris Lidia Wossen Mattea Pezza Regine Deguzman Brandon Hunley Sherley Pierre Aimee D'Errico Bianca Islas Bianca Reaves Monica Done Sierra Ann Jarvis

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Dr. Jennifer Grimes-Vawters' request to be employed without compensation under her registration as a Psychological Assistant.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Dr. Milagro Gonzalez's request to extend her Registration as a Psychological Assistant for a Fourth Year.

# 10. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Licensure Examination Requirements, including, but not limited to:

- A. Update from BeHere NV regarding Potential Financial Assistance that Could be Provided to Certain Applicants for EPPP Study Materials.
- B. Information Regarding the EPPP-2 from Dr. Hao Song, Associate Executive Officer of Examination Services for the ASPPB.
- C. Continued discussion regarding the EPPP-2, including, but not limited to, whether to update and implement/reinstate the Board's previous skills-based competency examination pending the ASPPB's implementation of the combined EPPP exam.
- D. Whether the Board should request an Opinion from the Attorney General's Office Regarding the EPPP-2.

- 11. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action regarding Regulatory Guidance on R095-23 and the Release of Test Data (Response to 2023 AB244), including whether the Board should request an opinion from the Attorney General's Office.
- 12. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Proposed Examination Retake Application Policy.
- 13. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve a Revision to the Board's Employment, Compensation, and Evaluation Policy to add a Board Consultant position.
- 14. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on revising Question No. 20 on the Board's License Renewal Application Form to comply with 2013 SB338.
- 15. (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates.
  - The next regular meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is currently scheduled for Friday, March 7, 2025, beginning at 8:00 a.m.
- 16. Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)
- 17. Public Comment Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020)

## 18. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (702) 276-0926 no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, February 13, 2025.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at <a href="https://psyexam.nv.gov/">https://psyexam.nv.gov/</a> or contact the Board office by telephone (702-276-0926), e-mail (<a href="mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us">nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</a>), or in

writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 3080 South Durango Drive, Suite 102, Las Vegas, Nevada 89117.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice was properly posted at or before 8 a.m. on Tuesday, February 11, 2025, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 3080 South Durango Drive, Suite 102, Las Vegas, NV 89117;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <a href="https://notice.nv.gov/">https://notice.nv.gov/</a>; and
- Board's website at <a href="https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2025/2025">https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2025/2025</a> BOARD MEETINGS/.

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).