

**BOARD OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY EXAMINERS
PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA
MAY 11, 2006**

I. CALL TO ORDER

This scheduled meeting of the Board will be called to order at 9:00 a.m., Hudson Room, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

II. ROLL CALL

	Present	Absent
Barbara Andrews	()	()
Ben K. Beitin	()	()
Samira Haddad	()	()
Gina Kassel	()	()
Dawn M. Lacy	()	()
Barry Mascari	()	()
Verice Mason	()	()
Amy E. Meckeler	()	()
Judith A. Owens	()	()
Edward Reading	()	()
James Verser	()	()
Ronald K. Walthall	()	()
Executive Director, Elaine DeMars	()	()
Deputy Attorney General, Mileidy Perez	()	()

Announcement of quorum

In accordance with Chapter 231 of P.L. 1975, more commonly referred to as the Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by mailing to the Office of The Secretary of State, The Newark Star Ledger, The Trenton Times, The Bergen Record and The Courier Post.

III. APPROVAL OF PUBLIC MINUTES

The minutes of April 13, 2006 public session meeting of the Board will be moved for approval or amendment.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

V. CORRESPONDENCE

A. American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy

Comments regarding draft regulatory language intended to implement Public Law 2005, Chapter 49 are presented for Board review and discussion.

B. Robert Massey, Ph.D, LMFT

Dr. Massey's request for automatic continuing education eligibility for presentations held at the International

Family Therapy Association conferences is presented for Board review.

VI. LEGISLATIVE/REGULATORY

A. The Board will continue its discussion on the draft regulatory language intended to implement Public Law 2005, Chapter 49.

B. HIPDB Bill - Adverse Licensure Action Reports

Proposed regulations that will result in placing information currently reported to the Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank (HIPDB) into the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB). The proposed regulations will implement Section 921 of the Social Security Act.

VII. LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION PROCESSING

A. License Renewal Status: July 1, 2006 - June 30, 2008

B. Reinstatement Requirements

AAMFT's response to the Board's inquiry regarding the availability of a reexamination (pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1(d)) is presented.

VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Regulations Committee

B. Professional Counselor Examiners Committee

C. Alcohol and Drug Counselor Committee

IX. NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board is scheduled for June 8, 2006 at 9:00 a.m., 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

X. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board will convene in executive session to consider pending consumer complaints and disciplinary matters. Immediately subsequent to executive session the Board will return to open session.

XI. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

XII. ADJOURNMENT