

BOARD OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY EXAMINERS
PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA
OCTOBER 16, 2008

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
Ben K. Beitin	()	()
Gina Kassel	()	()
Dawn M. Lacy	()	()
Barry Mascari	()	()
Amy E. Meckeler	()	()
Judith A. Owens	()	()
Edward Reading	()	()
James Verser	()	()
Ronald K. Walthall	()	()
Elaine DeMars	()	()
Deputy Attorney General, Jodi C. Krugman	()	()

Administrative Staff, Celeste Paige
Administrative Staff, Aishah Figueroa

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 the September 11, 2008 public session meetings of the Board will be moved for approval or amendment.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

V. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Fiscal Year 2008 Budget Report (Final) - Darlene Jane, Budget Officer

VI. CORRESPONDENCE

Robert F. Massey, Ph.D - Letter Dated March 7, 2008

VII. LEGISLATIVE/REGULATORY

A. Marriage and Family Therapy Sunset Proposal - N.J.A.C. 13:34-1 et seq.- Final Draft The Board voted to approve the final draft of the proposed regulations for publication.

B. Professional Counselors Committee, Sunset Proposal - N.J.A.C. 13:34-10 et seq. -Final Draft - October 9, 2008 is presented to the Board for approval.

C. Alcohol and Drug Counselors Committee, Sunset Proposal - N.J.A.C. 13:34C - 1 et seq. Final Draft - September 2008 is presented to the Board for approval.

D. Addiction and Mental Health Parity Legislation - Press Release

VIII. A.M.F.T.R.B. MATTERS

IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Regulations Committee

B. Professional Counselor Examiners Committee

C. Alcohol and Drug Counselor Committee

X. NEW BUSINESS

A. National Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2008-2009

B. Health News New Jersey Princeton
Health Matters: Treating a multicultural society

XI. OLD BUSINESS

XII. NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board is scheduled for November 13, 2008 at 9:00 a.m., 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

2009 Meeting Dates

XIII. 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.

XIV. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

XV. ADJOURNMENT