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Professional Counselor Examiners Committee  
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## PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR EXAMINERS COMMITTEE PUBLIC SESSION AGENDA March 6, 2014

### I. CALL TO ORDER

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Committee will convene at 9:30 a.m. Hudson Conference Room, 6<sup>th</sup> floor, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

### II. ROLL CALL

	<b>Present</b>	<b>Absent</b>
Committee Chair, William Green	( )	( )
Committee Vice-Chair, Ketrin Saud Maxwell	( )	( )
Committee Member, Dana Kaspereen	( )	( )
Committee Member, Peter J. Economou	( )	( )
Committee Member, Diane Licht	( )	( )
Committee Member, W. Michael Shea	( )	( )
Executive Director, Milagros Collazo	( )	( )
Government Rep, Michela Ross	( )	( )
Deputy Attorney General, Shirley Dickstein	( )	( )

*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 mail to the Office of the Secretary of the State of New Jersey, The Newark Star Ledger, The Trenton Times, The Bergen Record and the Courier Post and also posted on the Committee's web page.*

### **Announcement of quorum**

### III. APPROVAL OF PUBLIC MINUTES

The February 6, 2014 public minutes are presented for approval and/or amendment.

### IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

### V. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

### VI. LEGISLATIVE / REGULATORY

#### A. Senate Bill 1539 (2206)

This Bill seeks to eliminate licensure of rehabilitation counselors.

**B. Senate Bill 681**

This Bill seeks to provide for issuance of certificate of rehabilitation to certain offenders with substance abuse disorders.

**C. Senate Bill 682**

This Bill seeks to establish process to bar certain health care providers from receiving reimbursement under PIP.

**VII. OLD BUSINESS**

**VIII. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Mailings claiming: “New Jersey Board Accepted” CEUs**

**B. Section 12 - Specialty Designation offered by NBCC**

Describes a specialty designation offered by NBCC. NBCC may not offer this type of specialty designation and that this should read “requirements of the Commission Rehabilitation Counseling Certification”

**IX. CORRESPONDENCE**

**Alison Nistad**

Ms. Nistad’s request for continuing education approval is presented for Committee review.

**X. COUNSELOR EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

**Grand Canyon University**

Grand Canyon University counseling curriculum is presented for Committee review.  
(November 7, 2013 agenda)

**XI. NEW JERSEY COUNSELING ASSOCIATION (NJCA)**

**XII. NATIONAL BOARD OF CERTIFIED COUNSELORS (NBCC) - *FYI***

The February 25, 2014 letter from Thomas W. Clawson, LPC is presented for Committee review.

**XIII. SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**A. Regulations Committee**

**B. FAQs Committee**

**C. Internet Counseling Committee**

**XIV. NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for **April 3, 2014.**

**Proposed Meeting Dates for 2014**

April 3, 2014	September 4, 2014
May 1, 2014	October 2, 2014
June 5, 2014	November 6, 2014
July 10, 2014	December 1, 2014
August 7, 2014	

**XV. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Committee will move to Executive Session to conduct an investigative inquiry, pending confidential and disciplinary and review applications and plans of supervision.

**XVI. ADJOURNMENT**