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Music Therapy Advisory Board Minutes

- Date:** March 06, 2017
- Call to Order:** 12:03 P.M. – Jessica Baer, Chairperson
- Location:** IDFPR – Division of Professional Regulation, 100 W Randolph, 9th Floor Room 9-171B and C, Chicago, IL 60601
- Board Members Present:** Jessica Baer, Chairperson
Andrea Crimmins, Ph.D., MT-BC, Member
Louise Dimiceli-Mitran, LCPC, MT-BC, Member
Kyle Fleming, MT-BC, Member
Candi Gray, LCSW, Member
Russell Hilliard, Ph.D., LCSW, MT-BC, Member
Clifton Saper, Ph.D., Member
- Board Member(s) Absent:** None.
- Staff Members Present:** Azeema Akram, Assistant General Counsel
Daniel Kelber, Deputy General Counsel Division of Banks
Milana Lublin, Assistant General Counsel
- Guests present:** In Person: Vaughn Bentley, IDFPR Staff Attorney; Eric Eisinger, IDFPR Policy and Outreach; Janel Hartoun, Assistant General Counsel; Martha Reggi, IDFPR Chief of Business Prosecutions; Stephanie Rosiensi, Law Clerk; Kyle Hillman, National Association of Social Workers.
- By Phone: Judy Simpson, Director of Government Relations of the American Music Therapy Association.

Topic	Discussion	Action
Roll Call	<p>Jessica Baer, present Andrea Crimmins, present Louise Dimiceli-Mitran, present Kyle Fleming, present Candi Gray, present Russell Hilliard, present Clifton Saper, present</p>	
Analysis of Advisory Board Action	<p>Chairperson Baer thanked the music therapy advisory board members and guests for their involvement and commitment to the board. She asked that guests refrain from speaking while the advisory board discusses new business, and deliberates and provides its recommendation to the Department.</p> <p>Ms. Lublin distributed the Notice and Agenda, Open Meeting Minutes of February 06, 2017, and the Music Therapy Advisory Board Draft Report.</p> <p>Chairperson Baer reviewed the meetings that have taken place to date and reviewed the agenda.</p> <p>In response to prior advisory board member request, board member Hilliard discussed the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation fiscal year 2017 cost analysis. Mr. Hilliard suggested various ways that would make the cost of music therapy licensure lower.</p> <p>In response to prior advisory board member request, board member Dimiceli-Mitran reviewed a document she prepared titled, “Music Therapy State Recognition Costs and Administrative Expenses”.</p> <p><u>Guest Judy Simpson, Director of Government Relations of the American Music Association.</u> Ms. Simpson discussed alternative pathways for practicing music therapists in Illinois to obtain state licensure.</p> <p>Chairperson Baer reviewed the April 25, 2017, music therapy advisory board report deadline and the process for reviewing the report and recommendation. The advisory board deliberated the recommendation of the report.</p>	
Approval of February 06, 2017 Minutes		<p>A motion was made by Gray/seconded by Dimiceli-Mitran to approve the February 06, 2017 meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.</p>
Motion to Allow Members to Attend via Phone	<p>Mr. Hilliard excused himself from the advisory board meeting due to employment purposes and resumed his participation by means of telephone conference.</p>	<p>A motion was made by Gray/seconded by Dimiceli-Mitran to allow Hilliard to attend by phone due to employment purposes pursuant to 5 ILCS 12/7 of the Open Meetings Act. Motion passed unanimously.</p>

Old Business	<p>I. The Music Therapy Advisory Board final meeting is scheduled, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 10, 2017 at 10:30A.M. 	
Adjournment	<p>II. Travel vouchers were collected by Ms. Lublin.</p>	<p>There being no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Dimiceli-Mitran / seconded by Saper to adjourn at 1:08 P.M. Motion passed unanimously.</p>