

1 MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

2 May 15, 2026

3
4 Wright Institute

5 2728 Durant Avenue, Room 109/110

6 Berkeley, CA 94704

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8 **Board Members Present**

9 Lea Tate, Psy.D, President

10 Shacunda Rodgers, PhD, Vice President

11 Sheryll Casuga, PsyD, CMPC

12 Seyron Foo

13 Julie Nystrom

14 Ana Rescate

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16 **Board Members Absent**

17 Marisela Cervantes, EdD, MPA

18 Mary Harb Sheets, PhD

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20 **Board Staff**

21 Jonathan Burke, Executive Officer

22 Cynthia Whitney, Central Services Manager

23 Daniel Phillips, Enforcement Manager

24 Troy Polk, Continuing Professional Development/Renewals Coordinator

25 Mai Xiong, BreEZe Coordinator

26 Shelley Ganaway, Legal Counsel

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29 Friday, May 15, 202630
31 **Agenda Item #1: Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum**32 Dr. Tate called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m. A quorum was present and due notice
33 had been sent to all interested parties.34
35 **Agenda Item #2: President's Welcome**

36 a) Mindfulness Exercise

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38 Dr. Tate made opening remarks and introduced Dr. Rodgers to lead a mindfulness
39 exercise.40
41 Mr. Foo arrived and joined the meeting at 9:17 a.m.42
43 Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #3: Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

Dr. Elizabeth Winkelman, California Psychological Association, addressed the Board inquiring when would be an appropriate time to make licensing comments. The Board advised this comment would fall under agenda item 10.

No further public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #4: Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Board Meeting Minutes: February 13, 2026

Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

(M)Foo(S)Casuga(C) to approve February 13, 2026, Board Meeting minutes.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 abstain (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

Agenda Item #5: President's Report

a) Meeting Calendar

Dr. Tate provided the update on this item.

Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

87 Dr. Tate called for public comment.

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89 No public comment was offered.

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91 **Agenda Item #6: Executive Officer's Report (J. Burke)**

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93 Mr. Burke introduced this item, starting on page 24 of the meeting materials.

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95 a) Personnel Update

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97 Mr. Burke commented on Board and staff vacancies.

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99 Dr. Rodgers asked what the difference between Analyst I and Analyst II.

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101 Mr. Burke clarified that Analyst I is the former Staff Services Analyst classification,
102 which is the entry level analyst, and Analyst II is the former Associate Governmental
103 Program Analyst classification, which performs more advanced analytical work.

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105 b) Communications with Other Jurisdictions Regarding Examination Development

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107 Mr. Burke provided that conversations have taken place with counterpart agencies in
108 Illinois, Texas, Nevada, and Utah to discuss artificial intelligence and mental health
109 legislation. We are trying to learn more about how PSYPact enforcement works as part
110 of our Telepsychology Committee that will be reactivated this year.

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112 c) Legislative Analyst's Office February 23, 2026

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114 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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116 Mr. Foo asked about the main reasons contributing to the historically high vacancy rates
117 at the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR).

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119 Mr. Burke speculated the compensation for psychologists within CDCR may not be
120 comparable to compensation in the private sector.

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122 Mr. Foo suggested increasing reimbursement rates to encourage in-state psychologists
123 to pursue careers with CDCR and providing opportunities for in-state probationary
124 licensees to work under appropriate safeguards and monitoring requirements.

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126 Mr. Foo stated that he would appreciate a future update on the matter and suggested
127 inviting CDCR to provide a presentation to the Board of Psychology.

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Dr. Casuga asked whether communication occurs between the Board staff, CDCR, and the Legislative Analyst's Office.

Mr. Burke stated that the Board of Psychology had been in contact with psychologists working within CDCR to discuss the item and gather opinions; however, the Board was not contacted by the Legislative Analyst's Office during development of the report and only became aware of it after publication.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

Dr. Susan Swartz commented that a factor contributing to the high vacancy rates at CDCR may be the highly litigious environment, which could create concerns among psychologists regarding risks to their licenses, malpractice insurance costs, and the emotional burden associated with potential lawsuits.

No further public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #7: DCA Update

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Lucia Saldivar, Deputy Director of Board and Bureau Relations at Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) presented this item.

Ms. Saldivar commented DCA expressed appreciation to Board Members for completing their annual Form 700 submissions and for their commitment to transparency and accountability through these disclosure requirements.

Ms. Saldivar announced that DCA relaunched its Enforcement Academy training program, which had not been held since the COVID-19 pandemic.

Ms. Saldivar announced that DCA's Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility (DEIA) Executive Steering Committee selected 15 employees from throughout DCA to serve on the inaugural DEI subcommittee.

Ms. Saldivar mentioned that the upcoming reorganization of DCA's oversight agency would split it into two separate entities effective July 1, 2026.

Ms. Saldivar encouraged Board Members serving in their grace period who are interested in continuing their service on the Board to contact Member Relations.

Mr. Foo asked for a status update regarding the appointment process for a permanent Director of DCA and whether an acting or permanent Secretary would be in place by July 1, 2026, following the reorganization.

Ms. Saldivar stated there were no updates regarding the appointment of a permanent Director for DCA and noted that Acting Director Lally continues to serve in the role while the Governor's office works through the appointment process.

Ms. Saldivar stated that the Secretary for the new agency had recently been appointed and announced, with additional updates to be provided at a future meeting.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #8: Budget Report

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Mrs. Whitney provided the update on this item, starting on page 26 of the meeting materials.

Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #9: Enforcement Report

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Mr. Phillips provided the update on this item, starting on page 31 of the meeting materials.

Dr. Tate called for Board comment

No Board comment was offered.

213 Dr. Tate called for public comment.

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215 No public comment was offered.

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217 **Agenda Item #10: Licensing Report**

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219 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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221 Ms. Xiong provided the update on this item, starting on page 34 of the meeting
222 materials.

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224 Dr. Tate called for Board comment

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226 Dr. Rodgers asked how the unit was managing the addition of the new research
227 psychoanalyst and student research psychoanalyst registration types.

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229 Ms. Xiong responded that the new registration types are currently manageable due to
230 the low volume of applications, and the unit has not received many complaints.

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232 Ms. Xiong stated that, at the previous Board Meeting, Stephanie Cheung, Licensing Unit
233 Manager, discussed deficiencies that contribute to application processing delays.

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235 Ms. Xiong encouraged applicants to review the FAQs available on the Board's website
236 and submit sufficient documentation to assist staff with timely processing.

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238 Mr. Foo asked to clarify the purpose of the Psychological Associate (PSB) registration
239 within the broader licensing framework, referencing a written public comment submitted
240 to the Board.

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242 Ms. Xiong explained that the PSB serves as a pathway for trainees to accrue
243 supervised hours, that the Board oversees the registration process, and PSB licensees
244 required to comply with the Board guidelines and regulations.

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246 Mr. Foo asked whether the purpose of the PSB registration is to provide trainees with
247 time to accrue the appropriate supervised hours and take the EPPP, rather than serving
248 as a long-term permission to practice.

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250 Ms. Xiong confirmed that the PSB registration is limited to six years and that extensions
251 may be granted based on the Board's review and approval or denial process.

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253 Mr. Foo asked to provide a high-level overview of the pathways through which
254 extension requests have been approved.

Ms. Xiong explained that if extension requests fall within the staff review guidelines, staff may decide directly; however, requests that fall outside of the guidelines are referred to the Licensure Committee for review and determination during a Licensure Committee Meeting.

Mr. Foo emphasized that the purpose of the PSB registration is to allow individuals to accrue the necessary supervised hours to qualify for the EPPP and stated that the registration should not be viewed as a “mini license.”

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment

Dr. Elizabeth Winkelman, of CPA, thanked Board staff for developing the FAQ regarding Psychological Associates in APA approved internships.

Dr. Winkelman provided background on Assembly Bill 2703 (AB 2703), which was co-sponsored by CPA, supported by the Board of Psychology, and became effective in 2025. There was some confusion upon implementation so the FAQs will be helpful for programs and trainees.

Dr. Michael Changaris, Chief Clinical Training Officer at the Wright Institute, Integrated Health Psychology Training Program, thanked the Board for its support of AB 2703 and noted its importance in expanding access to mental health services in underserved communities across California.

Dr. Changaris noted that uncertainty regarding implementation, reimbursement structures, supervision pathways, and training requirements has created challenges for structured programs seeking to operationalize the law.

Dr. Gilbert Newman, Vice President for Academic Affairs at the Wright Institute and a Board Member of the American Insurance Trust, thanked the Board for continued work safeguarding the integrity in the future of psychology in in California and support of AB 2703.

Dr. Newman stated that AB 2703 has the potential to strengthen California's behavioral health infrastructure while maintaining the rigor and integrity of APA-accredited psychology training programs.

No further public comment was offered.

297 a) Examinations Report

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299 Ms. Xiong provided the update on this item, starting on page 45 of the meeting
300 materials.

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302 Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

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304 No Board comment was offered.

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306 Dr. Tate called for public comment

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308 No public comment was offered.

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310 **Agenda Item #11: Continuing Professional Development and Renewals Report**

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312 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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314 Mr. Polk provided the update on this item, starting on page 47 of the meeting materials.

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316 Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

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318 Dr. Rodgers asked for an update on the Continuing Professional Development (CPD)
319 model, including feedback from the most recent webinar and how psychologists have
320 responded to the new model.

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322 Mr. Polk reported that feedback received following the CPD webinar was
323 overwhelmingly positive.

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325 Dr. Tate called for public comment

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327 No public comment was offered.

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329 **Agenda Item #12: Enforcement Committee Report**

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331 Mr. Foo and Mr. Phillips provided the update on this item which begins on Page 1 of
332 Hand Carry Packet #2.

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334 Dr. Rodgers suggested that the Board consider providing additional information on its
335 website regarding the complaint and investigation processes.

Mr. Foo suggested that the Enforcement Unit review the Board's existing information to determine whether additional guidance may be beneficial and report its findings at a future Board Meeting.

Dr. Casuga stated the importance of transparency in the enforcement process and supported providing additional information to the public regarding complaint requirements.

Dr. Casuga suggested using the Board's newsletter to educate consumers about the complaint process, including the importance of providing enough documentation and contact information when submitting complaints.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

Dr. Winkelman expressed support for providing additional information on the Board's website regarding the complaint and investigation process, including timelines and what consumers and psychologists can expect throughout the process.

No further public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #13: Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Committee Update

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Mrs. Whitney provided the update on this item, starting on page 54 of the meeting materials.

a) Two-Year Bills on Watch Status

1) AB 277 (Alanis) Behavioral health centers, facilities, and programs: background checks

2) AB 346 (Nguyen) In-home support services: licensed healthcare professional certification

3) AB 667 (Solache) Professions and vocations: license examinations: interpreters

Dr. Casuga called for board comment

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

b) Bills with an Active Board Position – Introduced 2026

1) SB 903 (Padilla) Mental health professionals: artificial intelligence

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment.

Dr. Susan Swartz expressed concern about AI increasingly encroaching on the work of psychologists, particularly using AI-assisted tools that record therapy sessions for documentation and note-taking purposes, and the potential violation of client privacy.

No further public comment was offered.

c) Bills for Board Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Committee's Recommended Support Position – Introduced 2026

Items 13(c)(1) AB 2140 (Johnson) and 13(c)(4) AB 1558 (Arambula) were not discussed.

2) AB 2164 (Bauer-Kahan) Legally protected activities

The Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Committee is recommending that the Board establish a position of SUPPORT on the measure. With the Committee's recommendation serving as the motion, Ms. Whitney called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment

No public comment was offered.

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 recusal (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

3) SB 1391 (Wahab) Department of Consumer Affairs: retired category licenses

The Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Committee is recommending that the Board establish a position of SUPPORT on the measure. With the Committee's recommendation serving as the motion, Ms. Whitney called for Board comment.

Dr. Casuga commented that the Board has already been offering a retired category since January 2023, so a SUPPORT motion is reinforcing what the Board has already been practicing.

Dr. Casuga called public comment

No public comment was offered.

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 recusal (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

d) Bills Recommended for Board Watch Status – Introduced 2026

This item on 13(d) was taken out of order and can be found in Hand Carry #1 on page 3.

4) SB 934 (Wiener) Sexual orientation or gender identity change efforts: actions for recovery of damages; statute of limitations

Dr. Casuga provided additional context regarding the Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Committee's discussion of the bill.

It was (M)Casuga(S)Foo(C) that the Board take a support position on SB 934.

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

No Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment.

No public comment was offered,

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 recusal (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

5) SB 1146 (Gonzalez) Advertisement claims; health-related consumer products and services: artificial intelligence

This item starts on page 157 of the meeting materials. This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

Dr. Casuga asked for an example of how the bill could potentially affect licenses in terms of advertisement.

Mrs. Whitney explained that the rise in AI has made it increasingly difficult to distinguish between authentic and fabricated online content.

Mrs. Whitney stated that the Board is monitoring the bill to determine whether it may affect activities that pertain to psychologists.

Dr. Casuga called public comment

No public comment was offered.

6) SB 1159 (Cabaldon) Artificial intelligence: transparency and governance

This item starts on page 161 of the meeting materials. This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

Mr. Foo asked how the bill would distinguish AI-generated submissions from current practices in which organizations use sign-on letters, form letters, or online forms to collect signatures and submit comments on behalf of multiple individuals.

Ms. Whitney stated that the fact sheet does not appear to address the issue raised by Mr. Foo. Ms. Whitney provided the Board uses WebEx for our meetings and in WebEx we are required to provide a valid email address to log in.

Dr. Casuga asked whether any other Department of Consumer Affairs Boards had commented on the bill.

Mrs. Whitney stated that she was not aware of whether any other Department of Consumer Affairs boards had taken a position on or commented on the bill.

504 No further Board comment was offered.

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506 Dr. Casuga called for public comment

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508 No public comment was offered.

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510 1) AB 1568 (Alanis) Sex offenses: registration

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512 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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514 Ms. Whitney provided this update which can be found on page 127 of the combined
515 packet.

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517 2) AB 1775 (Ward) Veterans

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519 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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521 Ms. Whitney provided this update which can be found on page 134 of the combined
522 packet.

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524 3) AB 2366 (Avila Farias) Administrative Procedure Act: proposed regulations: cost-of-
525 living impact on residents of the state

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527 This item is in suspense and will not be discussed.

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529 7) AB 1598 (Quirk-Silva) Behavioral sciences

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531 This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

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533 Ms. Whitney provided this update which can be found on page 167 of the combined
534 packet.

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536 Dr. Casuga called for Board Comment on items 13(d)(1), (2), and (7).

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538 Dr. Casuga asked for clarification regarding whether the bill is primarily a language
539 cleanup for the Board of Behavioral Sciences (BBS).

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541 Mr. Burke confirmed that the bill is primarily a language cleanup measure for BBS.

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543 Dr. Casuga called for public comment

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545 No public comment was offered.

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547 e) Bills for Discussion and Consideration for Possible Action for a Board Position
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549 1) AB 2575 (Ortega) Health care services: artificial intelligence
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551 Ms. Whitney provided this update which can be found on page 238 of the combined
552 packet.
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554 Mr. Foo stated that the bill appears substantially similar in concept to SB 903 and asked
555 about the potential impact on the Board and how the two bills would interact if both were
556 adopted by the Legislature.
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558 Mrs. Whitney deferred the question to Mr. Phillips for a response.
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560 Mr. Phillips stated that there is some overlap between the bill and SB 903, particularly
561 with respect to the enforcement and intake processes, and that additional analysis
562 would be needed to determine how the bills might interact beyond that point.
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564 Mr. Foo expressed concern about whether supporting the bill could create conflict with
565 other bills that the Board is currently supporting.
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567 Mrs. Whitney clarified that the bill is intended to protect healthcare workers from liability
568 or retaliation when exercising their professional judgment instead of relying on an
569 automated system.
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571 Mr. Foo noted that although the bills are similar in concept, they affect different sections
572 of law and may impact on the Board in different ways, as AB 2575 would amend the
573 Civil Code while SB 903 would amend the Business and Professions Code.
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575 It was (M)Foo(S)Tate(C) that the Board take a support if amended position on AB 2575.
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577 Dr. Casuga stated that the increasing use of artificial intelligence is generating more
578 bills related to AI and emphasized the importance of reviewing each bill individually to
579 understand its purpose, differences, and potential interaction with other bills.
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581 Shelley Ganaway, Board Counsel, asked for clarification on whether the motion was to
582 support AB 2575 if amended to include psychologists.
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584 Mr. Foo confirmed that the motion was to support AB 2575 if amended to include
585 psychologists.
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Mr. Foo stated that the bill appears to be primarily directed toward settings with a unionized workforce.

Dr. Casuga noted that the bill may have relevance to psychologists in private practice in circumstances involving the use of artificial intelligence.

Mr. Foo noted that the analysis prepared for the Assembly Committee hearings on April 21, 2026, included a list of organizations in support of and opposed to the bill.

Dr. Casuga called public comment

No public comment was offered.

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 recusal (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

2) AB 1979 (Bonta) Healing arts, reports, claims against licensees

This item begins on page 251 of the meeting materials.

It was (M)Foo(S)Tate(C) that the Board take a support position on AB 1979.

Dr. Casuga asked for clarification regarding the fiscal impact of the bill on the Board.

Mr. Phillips stated that enforcement costs associated with such cases can vary significantly due to expenses incurred for expert reviews, investigations conducted by the Division of Investigation, and additional costs associated with further expert review and services provided by the Attorney General's Office.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Votes

5 ayes (Casuga, Foo, Rescate, Rodgers, Tate), 1 recusal (Nystrom), 0 noes - Motion carries

Agenda Item #14: Legislative Items for Future Meeting. The Board May Discuss Other Items of Legislation in Sufficient Detail to Determine Whether Such Items

Should be on a Future Committee or Board Meeting Agenda and/or Whether to Hold a Special Meeting of the Committee or Board to Discuss Such Items Pursuant to Government Code Section 11125.4

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

Mr. Foo suggested that the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) explore opportunities to provide or fund training for enforcement staff related to the use and enforcement of artificial intelligence in support of consumer protection efforts.

Mr. Foo suggested there could be a potential presentation by someone in the field of psychology and artificial intelligence regarding artificial intelligence trends at a later date.

Dr. Casuga expressed support for future Board education on artificial intelligence and suggested inviting experts from the Bay Area, including representatives from relevant organizations or AI companies, to provide information on developments in the field.

Mr. Foo clarified that he was not advocating for the mandatory use of artificial intelligence but rather encouraging the Board to consider consumer protection.

Dr. Casuga expressed interest in ensuring that the Board remains informed about emerging developments in artificial intelligence.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #15: Status Review of Regulations in Development

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Mrs. Whitney provided the update on this item, starting on page 455 of the meeting materials.

a) 16 CCR section 1395.2 – Disciplinary Guidelines and Uniform Standards Related to Substance-Abusing Licensees

b) 16 CCR section 1396.8 – Standards of Practice for Telehealth Services

c) 16 CCR sections 1380.6, 1393, 1396, 1396.1, 1396.2, 1396.3, 1396.4, 1396.5, 1397, 1397.1, 1397.2, 1397.35, 1397.37, 1397.39, 1397.50, 1397.51, 1397.52, 1397.53, 1397.54, and 1397.55 -Enforcement Provisions

d) 16 CCR sections 1381, 1387, 1387.10, 1388, 1388.6, 1389, and 1389.1 – Implementation of AB 282

e) 16 CCR sections 1382, 1382.3-1382.5, and 1397.60.1-1397.70 of Division 13.1 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations – Research Psychoanalyst Regulation

f) 16 CCR section 1388 – Examinations (TOEFL)

g) 16 CCR section 1397.5 – Citations and Fines for Probation Violations

Dr. Casuga called for Board comment.

Mr. Foo thanked stakeholders for their work on the telehealth regulations and expressed appreciation to Dr. Winkelman for her collaboration and contribution throughout the development process.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Casuga called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #16: Update and Discussion on the American Psychological Association (APA) Model Act

This item was informational only, and no action was taken.

Mr. Burke provided the update on this item, starting on page 28 of the Hand Carry #3.

Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

Dr. Casuga shared Dr. Cervantes' view that, should future legislation establish a master's level psychology practice in California, oversight of those licensees would be most appropriately housed within the Board of Psychology.

No further Board comment was offered.

Dr. Tate called for public comment.

No public comment was offered.

Agenda Item #17: Update and Discussion on the Development of the Integrated Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology

Mr. Burke provided the update on this item, starting on page 460 of the meeting materials.

Dr. Tate thanked Mr. Burke for the update and expressed appreciation for his continued monitoring of the issue.

Dr. Tate called for Board comment.

Mr. Foo suggested exploring an overlapping period during which both examinations would remain available to accommodate applicants who are already preparing for the current examination.

Mr. Foo encouraged ASPPB to ensure that adequate free preparation materials, including study resources and sample questions, are made available to support applicants during the transition to the new examination.

Dr. Casuga requested clarification regarding the implementation timeline for the Integrated Examination, specifically asking whether the examination was expected to go live in the fourth quarter of 2027 and seeking confirmation of the anticipated beta testing dates in 2027.

Mr. Burke confirmed that ASPPB is currently planning to launch the Integrated Examination in the fourth quarter of 2027, with beta testing anticipated in spring 2027, and stated that staff would work with stakeholders to promote awareness of the examination when registration becomes available.

Dr. Casuga asked whether licensed psychologists in certain jurisdictions would be eligible to participate in beta testing of the Integrated Examination.

Mr. Burke stated that individuals who volunteer during the beta testing period may have the option to take either the Integrated Examination or the current EPPP, but he was unsure whether licensed psychologists would be eligible to participate in the beta testing process.

753 Dr. Casuga expressed interest in participating in the beta testing of the Integrated
754 Examination, noting that the experience could provide useful information to report back
755 to the Board.

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757 No further Board comment was offered.

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759 Dr. Tate called for public comment

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761 Dr. Winkelman asked whether ASPPB had determined if completion of supervised
762 professional experience would be required before applicants could take the Integrated
763 Examination.

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765 Mr. Burke stated that ASPPB advises candidates to complete all or most of their
766 required supervised professional experience before taking the Integrated Examination,
767 as determined by the licensing board or college.

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769 Dr. Winkelman stated that it would be helpful to clarify whether completion of supervised
770 professional experience before taking the Integrated Examination is required or
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773 Dr. Casuga suggested that allowing prospective licensees to participate in beta testing
774 could help ensure that Californians taking the examination are included in the pass-fail
775 study.

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777 No further public comment was offered.

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779 **Agenda Item #18: Recommendations for Agenda Items for Future Board**
780 **Meetings. Note: The Board May Not Discuss or Take Action on Any Matter Raised**
781 **During This Public Comment Section, Except to Decide Whether to Place the**
782 **Matter on the Agenda of a Future Meeting [Government Code Sections 11125 and**
783 **11125.7(a)].**

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785 Dr. Casuga asked Dr. Rodgers to continue to bring the mindfulness exercise to future
786 Committee meetings.

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788 Dr. Tate expressed interest in receiving a future presentation regarding the CDCR
789 update.

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791 Dr. Casuga asked whether there were any updates regarding the upcoming stakeholder
792 meeting conducted by BBS concerning the LEP issue.

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794 Mr. Burke confirmed that a survey had been distributed, and numerous responses had
795 been received and stated that the stakeholder meeting would be included on the
796 agenda.

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798 Dr. Tate called for public comment.

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800 No public comment was offered.

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802 **CPD Credit for Meeting Attendance**

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804 Mr. Polk commented that attendance at the meeting provided 6 hours of CPD credit
805 under Category 1.

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807 **ADJOURNMENT**

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809 The meeting adjourned at 12:08 p.m.