# Virginia Board of Psychology CONTINUING EDUCATION (CE) COMMITTEE Minutes

February 21, 2006

**TIME AND PLACE:** The meeting was called to order at 10:30 a.m. on

February 21, 2006, in Conference Room 4 of the Department of Health Professions, 6603 W. Broad

Street, 5<sup>th</sup> floor, Richmond, Virginia.

**PRESIDING**: Desideria S. Hacker, Ph.D., Chair of the Continuing

Education Committee presided.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Jeffrey L. Clark, Ph.D.

Mary B. Gregerson, Ph.D.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Benjamin Foster, Deputy Executive Director

Joyce D. Williams, Administrative Assistant

### **PUBLICATION OF BOOKS AND JOURNALS:**

The Committee reviewed CE requirements from the states that set forth such requirements in regulation for publications of books and articles. It was determined that that the CE Committee will recommend to the Board to issue a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action (NOIRA) to make the following changes in its regulation.

- Up to seven hours can be obtained through the following activities:
  - 1. publication of peer-reviewed articles.
  - 2. publication of a chapter in an edited book by a Board recognized publisher of psychological studies/data.
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- Such activities can be used only during the year in which the work is published.

• The published work must be related to the scope of practice in the category of license held.

### **STAFFINGS:**

The Committee will recommend to the Board that it issue a guidance document specifying that staffings used for CE requirements be defined as grand rounds. The Deputy Executive Director will draft a guidance document on grand rounds as related to the practice of psychology for the CE Committee to present to the Board.

## CE REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS AND SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST-LIMITEDS

There is concern that the CE requirements set by the local boards of education for these individuals do not meet the requirements set by the Board of Psychology regarding their scope of practice. The Committee determined that this situation needs to be discussed. It will be decided whether this matter will be discussed by the CE Committee to bring recommendations to the Board or discussed by the full Board after conferring with Board School Psychology member Ann Benson.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

| The Committee adjourned at 12:04 p.m.      |                                   |
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|  | Desideria H. Hacker, Ph.D., Chair |
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| Benjamin Foster, Deputy Executive Director |                                   |