

BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS AND THERAPISTS

Minutes – Open Session March 30, 2020 via Zoom

Approved by the Board on May 15, 2020

Members	Non-Members
Risa Ganel, LCMFT, <i>Chair</i>	Kimberly B. Link, J.D., Exec. Dir.
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Aparna Ramaswamy, Ed.D., Ph.D., LCPC, ACS, Absent Amanda Bechtel, LCPC, LCPAT	Lillian Reese, Legislative and Regulations Coordinator
Michael W. Nettles, LCPC	Over 100 public attendees online
Sharon Bolden, LCADC, LCPC, Absent	
Sara Carlton, Consumer, Absent	
Mark Donovan, LCADC, LCPC	
C. Scott Frazier, III, Consumer	
Karen Katrinic, LCMFT	
Winnie Moore, LCPC, Absent	
Lynn Duffy, Psy.D., LCPC	

The Chair called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

- I. Attendance and Review/Approval of Agenda – *Approved.*
- II. Motion to allow alcohol and drug trainees to provide teletherapy services during the state of emergency from a facility or other location as long as the ADT is using facility issued IT equipment and an approved supervisor is immediately available either in-person or electronically. Motion seconded. Motion carried.
- III. Motion to allow counselors/therapists with a valid out of state license in good standing to provide teletherapy services to clients located in Maryland during the state of emergency so long as the client/therapist relationship was established before the state of emergency and while the client was in the state where the counselor is currently licensed. Motion seconded. Motion carried.

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 6:30 p.m.