

**Texas State Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists**  
*Professional Development Committee*  
**Friday, July 21, 2006 at 3:00 p.m.**  
**Department of State Health Services**  
**8407 Wall Street**  
**Austin Texas**  
**Room S-402**

**Minutes**

**Board Members Present:**

Brenda VanAmburgh, Professional Member  
Joe Ann Clack, Public Member  
Waymon Hinson, Professional Member  
B.W. McClendon, Public Member

**Staff Present:**

Charles Horton  
Georgia Norman  
Dan Meador

**Guests Present:**

None

**Agenda Item 1** was to call the meeting to order at 4:20 pm by Dr. VanAmburgh, chair.

**Agenda Item 2** was to approve the minutes of the April 21, 2006 meeting. A motion was made by Ms. Clack to accept the minutes as amended. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Agenda Item 6** was the discussion regarding the development of the jurisprudence examination. No action taken.

**Agenda Item 3** was the discussion regarding board publications. Mr. Horton discussed the flow chart, web-links to the rules and postcards.

**Agenda Item 5** was the discussion regarding the Board's Internet web site. Ms. DeSobe discussed suggestions for the website.

**Agenda Item 4** was the update regarding the continuing education provider audits. Mr. Rees gave an overview of the recent continuing education provider audits.

**Agenda Item 7** was the discussion regarding the experience requirements for applicants who attend doctoral programs. No action taken.

**Agenda Item 8** was the discussion regarding whether court-ordered parent coordination constitutes the practice of Marriage and Family Therapy. No action taken.

**Agenda Item 9** was the discussion regarding whether court-ordered parent training constitutes the practice of Marriage and Family Therapy. A motion was made by Dr. Hinson to approve parent coordination and court order parent training in the scope of marriage and family therapy. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Agenda Item 10** was the discussion regarding the process for obtaining an evaluation of foreign transcripts towards licensure.

**Agenda Item 11** was public comment. There was no public comment.

**Agenda Item 12** was to schedule next committee meeting date(s). The next meeting date will be determined at a later date.

**Agenda Item 13** was to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Dr. Hinson to adjourn the meeting 6:20 pm. The motion was seconded and passed.

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Chairman

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Date Signed