



Board of Professional Counseling

899 NORTH CAPITOL ST. NE – 2ND FLR.
WASHINGTON, DC 20002

Friday, October 14, 2016
10:00am – 2:00pm

MEETING MINUTES



Open Session Attendance – October 2016

Board Members:	Dr. Victoria Sardi-Brown, Chairperson	Present
	Laurie Ferreri, Board Member	Present
	Matthew Siblo, Board Member	Present
	Johnny Allem, Board Member	Present
Staff:		
	Robin Y. Jenkins – Executive Director	Present
	David Walker – Health Licensing Specialist	Present
	Van Brathwaite – Board Attorney	Present
	Leonard Howard – Investigator	Present
Guests:		
	Ariel VanDoren	
	Darnell Albert-EI	

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Open Session called to Order at 10:54AM

OS-1016-01	SENIOR DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT No Report	
OS-1016-02	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT Provided update on licensure renewal dates. The Executive Directors and Legal Team met to discuss licensure renewal dates and possibly amending the law to provide clarity on the requirements for renewal.	
OS-1016-03	BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT No Report	
OS-1016-04	CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT Dr. Sardi reported on a complaint from a constituent in regards to confusing language on the LPC renewal. Board Staff informed the Board that the issue was identified. The confusing language was clarified and updated.	
OS-1016-05	MINUTES <u>Board Action:</u> The Board unanimously approved the Open Session Minutes from the September 9, 2016 meeting.	
OS-1016-06	BOARD DISCUSSION – The Board reviewed and discussed the proposed draft regulation to reduce barriers for LGPC licensure. The Board plans to have continued discussion with DOH Leadership to address barriers.	
	Adjournment – The meeting adjourned at 11:35AM and the next Open Session is scheduled for November 18, 2016 at 9:30AM.	