

Louisiana State Board of Social Work Examiners
Meeting Agenda

December 6, 2024 at 8:30 a.m.

18550 Highland Road, Suite B, Baton Rouge, LA 70809

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Call to Order

Roll Call

Public Comment

- I. Agenda – approval of matters listed on the agenda
- II. Presentation of Consent Agreement and Orders
 - A. In the matter of File #2021-190 Shaniqua Wesley, LCSW
 - B. In the matter of File #2024-12 Marlon Washington, LMSW
- III. Executive Session – the following matters may be heard in Executive Session pursuant to R.S. 42:17
 - A. Compliance Hearings
 1. Chiera Randall, LMSW – 8:45 a.m. in-person and zoom for BACS (*Panel: Hyacinth McKee, Trinity George and Melissa Haley*)
 2. Carlee Swindle, LMSW – 9:15 a.m. in-person (*Panel: Hyacinth McKee, Trinity George and Melissa Haley*)
 - B. Correspondence
 1. A’Lyecia Stills, RSW- request to accept unofficial school transcript
 2. Rosemary Berardino, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 3. Jessica Cwik, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - C. Impaired Professional Program – Report from Kathie Pohlman, IPP Manager – 10:00 a.m.
 - D. Complaints
 1. 2024-118
 2. 2025-11
 3. 2025-12
 4. 2025-31
 5. 2025-40
 6. 2025-57

- E. Applications – list of applications is posted here <https://www.labswe.org/board-member-meetings-and-agendas/>
- F. Personnel – employment contract
- G. Deliberations of matters on the foregoing agenda relating to the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person. Such deliberations are generally conducted in executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:17(A)(1) unless otherwise requested by the applicant or licensee.
- H. Consideration of matters deliberated in executive session
- IV. Minutes of the meeting held October 25, 2024
- V. Board/Staff Matters
 - A. Report on office workflow
 - B. ASWB 2024 Delegate Assembly Information
 - C. Update on promulgation of rules
 - D. Update on contract with OLRP
 - E. Social Work Compact – survey results
 - F. Exam Committee Recommendations
- VI. Financial
 - A. 2025 Social Work Compact Commission Meeting 02/04/25 – 02/05/25
 - B. 2025 NASW-LA Annual Conference Exhibitor
- VII. Correspondence
 - A. American Foundation for Suicide Prevention LA-Chapter- Application for CE approval organization
 - B. National Hansen’s Disease Program-Application for CE approval organization
 - C. Pro Renew Academy- Application for CE approval organization
 - D. MaryAnne Candley, LMSW-question relative to licensing requirement
 - E. Sara Darling, LCSW-question relative to services provided to client located offshore
 - F. Mackenzie Smith, BSW Student- concerns with ASWB examination
 - G. Nita Baucom, LCSW-BACS- request for 6.5 hours BACS workshop
 - H. Audrey Barton, LMSW- request to review job description for supervision
 - I. Dominique Williams, LMSW- request to review job description & remote supervision
 - J. Angela Abel, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - K. Rebecca Davidsson, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - L. Nicole King, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - M. Briyonna Lewis, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - N. Abigail Meza, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - O. Alexis Vanderlass, LMSW- request for remote supervision
 - P. Ashley Durr, LMSW- request for credit for supervised work experience
 - Q. Haley Kraus, LMSW- requesting credit for supervised work experience
 - R. Renee Ridgley, LMSW- requesting credit for supervised work experience
 - S. Savannah Bumgardner, RSW- question relative to scope of practice