



STATE BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH LICENSURE

Oklahoma State Board of Behavioral Health Licensure (BBHL)

Minutes of Regular Board Meeting

Friday, June 5, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.

Open Meeting Act: Announcement of filing of meeting and posting agenda in accordance with the Open Meeting Act. Announcement of the meeting was filed with the Secretary of State on October 06, 2025, and the agenda was posted on June 2, 2026, on the front door of the Centennial Business Center and on the BBHL website.

Kelly Collins called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m. at 313 NE 21st St. OKC, OK 73105. A quorum was met with the presence of the following board members: Johnie Fredman, Kelly Collins, Sally Gibson, Preston Morgan, Laressa Beliele, Larry Roberts, II, Robert (Les) Shumake, Alice Caldwell and Dayna Jordan. Board members not present are Sydney Black and Christopher Giles. Other's present are Liz Stevens, Assistant Attorney General, Eric Ashmore, Executive Director; and Stephanie Miller, Office Manager.

4. Les Shumake makes a motion to approve the minutes from the April 3, 2026 meeting. Sally Gibson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

5. Mr. Ashmore presents his Executive Director's report, which includes the following:

- a. Update on Requests for Inquiry
- b. Update on Licensure/Application Statistics
- c. Update on General Licensure/Application Statistics

No motion made. No action taken.



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6. Johnie Fredman makes a motion to accept all candidates for licensure. Les Shumake seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

LICENSE TYPE: Licensed Professional Counselor

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| 1. Abbasov Amy | 29. Goehler Laura | 55. Parker Jessica |
| 2. Allen Kenedi | 30. Goodman Rebecca | 56. Pierce Jordan |
| 3. Allen Jessica | 31. Gutierrez Elizabeth | 57. Plymale Kirstyn |
| 4. Anderson Clara | 32. Hahn Alexandra | 58. Ramsey Hansen Sherry |
| 5. Baer Lynette | 33. Hendrix Rex Michelle | 59. Robertson Ashlie |
| 6. Beerwinkle Ryan | 34. Hickman Melissa | 60. Shaw Amy |
| 7. Bellefeuille Kendall | 35. Hilliard Adriana | 61. Sheets Shaney |
| 8. Bennett Cynthia | 36. Hindman Tori | 62. Sias Jasmin |
| 9. Billingsley Elli | 37. Holder Haley | 63. Simonds Crystal |
| 10. Birkinbine Tracy | 38. Jamerson Sundris | 64. Smith Deanna |
| 11. Blackwell Renee | 39. Johnson Walker Ashlyn | 65. Smith Danielle |
| 12. Brooks John | 40. Kopenski Rachel | 66. Soap Aaron |
| 13. Bruner Michelle | 41. Lange Johanna | 67. Sohl Morgan |
| 14. Calhoun Ashley | 42. Lee David | 68. Staggers Natalie |
| 15. Chavez Kaitlyn | 43. Loudermilk Bretney | 69. Tanner Catherine |
| 16. Cowherd Lauren | 44. Magby Makenzie | 70. Taylor Karolyn |
| 17. Crockett David | 45. Martinez Stephan | 71. Taylor Trisha |
| 18. Dick Victoria | 46. Mathews Aaron | 72. Telford Candace |
| 19. Dyer Tiffany | 47. Mayes Brittany | 73. Thomas LaShara |
| 20. Eller Karsyn | 48. McComb Phyllis | 74. Wells Kalyn |
| 21. England Jackson | 49. Methner Brittney | 75. White Shannon |
| 22. Ervin Emily | 50. Milla Johnny | 76. Williams Richard |
| 23. Fowler Morgan | 51. Murray Laura | 77. Wills Betina |
| 24. French Alyssa | 52. Myers Monica | 78. Wyatt Amelia |
| 25. Garcia Kimberly | 53. Newman Lauren | 79. Young Lisa |
| 26. Garis Kody | 54. Nikitina Olga | |
| 27. Gaylord Hannah | | |
| 28. Glinski Meagan | | |

LICENSE TYPE: Licensed Marital and Family Therapist

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| 1. Albritton Mamie | 4. Mastin Braeden | 7. Tooley Sarah |
| 2. Cossey Sarah | 5. Reynolds Brandon | 8. Wynn Tiffanie |
| 3. Ebert Micaela | 6. Sigler Melissa | |



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Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

7. The LPC Licensure Committee presents their recommendations for LPC coursework submitted to the Board for review. Each item voted on individually and was recorded as follows:

a. University of Oklahoma – M.Ed. Professional Counseling

Johnie Fredman makes a motion to disapprove the coursework submitted and noted that although there are elements of professional counseling outlined in the course description, professional counseling is not the sole focus of the course. Laressa Beliele seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

b. East Central University – M.S. Clinical Mental Health Counseling

Johnie Fredman makes a motion to approve the coursework as presented. Laressa Beliele seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes



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Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Abstain

c. Northwestern Oklahoma State University – M.S. Counseling Psychology

Laressa Beliele makes a motion to approve the coursework as presented. Johnie Fredman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

d. Oklahoma State University – M.S. Counseling

Laressa Beliele makes a motion to approve the coursework as presented. Johnie Fredman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Abstain
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

8. Mr. Ashmore presents the current application process and the proposed changes for the jurisprudence exam. Johnie Fredman makes a motion to approve the proposal as presented with the addition of randomizing the questions. Sally Gibson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes



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Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

9. Les Shumake makes a motion to adopt the Reserve Management Policy as amended. Johnie Fredman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

10. Preston Morgan makes a motion to approve the new continuing education provider applications received since the last board meeting as presented. Larry Roberts seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes
Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

11. Les Shumake makes a motion to adjourn. Preston Morgan seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows:

Sally Gibson-	Yes
Preston Morgan-	Yes
Laressa Beliele-	Yes
Alice Caldwell-	Yes
Les Shumake-	Yes



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Larry Roberts-	Yes
Johnie Fredman-	Yes
Dayna Jordan-	Yes
Kelly Collins-	Yes

Time 11:07 am