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CE Committee Minutes

Board Member Present: Mr. Ryan Pickut, Dr. Sara Salkil, Dr. Alan Demmitt, Ms. Anna Bomas

Staff Present: Ms. Paula Broome, Mr. Brian Carnahan, Ms. Rhonda Franklin, and Ms. Patty Miller.

Dr. Demmitt called the meeting to order at 1:10 pm.

- Dr. Demmitt moved to approve the agenda. Mr. Pickut seconded the motion. Motion passed.
- Dr. Demmitt moved to accept the minutes. Mr. Pickut seconded the motion. Motion passed.
 - Dr. Salkil and Ms. Bomas abstained.
- Mr. Carnahan discussed the Social Work Continuing Education survey. Two OSU Social Work master's students are analyzing the survey results. He hopes he has some information to share at the next meeting. Dr. Demmitt asked that the survey summary results be sent to all Board members.
- Ms. Broome asked the Committee how thesis/dissertation hours should be treated when being used to meet continuing education requirements. The Committee agreed that for such hours to be used, the licensee must be making progress on the completion of the thesis or dissertation. This can be shown by a grade (possibly pass/fail) for the latest term, or if the hours appear ongoing or continuous, a letter from a faculty member indicating progress is being made.
- Ms. Broome presented a recommended change to how we allow providers to purchase other entities programs. The Committee agreed that providers could purchase programs and offer such programs using their provider number, but that providers cannot "lend" or allow another entity to use their provider number.
- CE Program & Provider Guidelines for 2016 will be presented at the March meeting.
- Ms. Miller indicated that there were no provider or program issues to share with the Committee, but indicated she had passed along to the individual committees some questions.
- Ms. Franklin asked the Committee whether licensees could claim credit for presentations they do regarding their role as a licensee, for example a presentation to a college class for a "career" panel. The Committee agreed such presentations, while an important contribution to the profession, are not Continuing Education.
- Mr. Pickut moved to adjourn; Dr. Salkil seconded; motion passed.
- The meeting concluded at 2:20 PM.

Committee Chair
Dr. Alan Demmitt, LPCC-S