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Please note the number of revocations for improper renewal. All failed to respond to the board for their audit or failed to provide any CE documentation.

Five Year Rule Review Changes

The Board completed a five year rule review of a number of rules listed below. Many are no change made or small changes for readability or clarity. The following rules have proposed changes: 4757-01-01, 4757-5-02, 4757-5-03, 4757-9-02, 4757-9-03, 4757-9-04, 4757-11-03, 4757-13-01, 4757-13-03, 4757-13-05, 4757-13-06, 4757-13-07, 4757-15-01, 4757-15-02, 4757-17-01, 4757-19-01, 4757-19-02, 4757-19-04, 4757-19-06, 4757-19-07, 4757-19-08, 4757-21-01, and 4757-23-01. See proposed rule changes here: <http://cswmft.ohio.gov/laws.stm>. The following have significant changes that merit review although if you have an issue with any of the rules being reviewed we would appreciate your input.

- Rule 4757-9-02 reduces the 6 supervision hours of CEUs required to 3 hours of supervision CEUs per renewal for counselors.
- Rule 4757-9-03 reduces the renewal requirement for Social Worker Assistants from 30 CEU hours to 15 CEU hours per renewal.
- Rule 4757-9-04 proposes requiring 10,000 words per hour of credit for continuing education obtained through distance learning.
- Rule 4757-13-01 deletes the doctoral degree from the rule and a new rule 4757-13-04 is added.
- Rule 4757-13-07 has always required supervision of CTs to meet CACREP standards, which includes triadic supervision, which is defined.
- Rule 4757-17-01 deletes PCs from eligibility for supervision designation as it is not needed.

The following rule changes are proposed, but are not part of the five year rule review:

- 4757-09-05 Changes to paragraph (F) requiring post-program approval for CEUs earned for journals, books, presentations of an in-service training workshop, and seminars or conference presentations
- 4757-09-06 Changes to paragraphs (B), (C), (E) & (F) for post program approval – existing language not clear in requiring post program approval for journal articles and various presentations.

Disciplinary Actions Taken Against Licensees

Social Workers:

Alan Spears (LSW) Impairment. Surrender of license.

Patricia A. Robinson (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Cazzell Smith (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Lesley Lindahl (LISW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Ann Kagarise (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Deborah J. Allen (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Heather L. Tafelski (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Brenda J. Gray (LSW) Improper renewal. Revoked

Karen E. Stewart (LSW) Non-sexual boundaries. Revoked

Rebecca Vocca (LSW) Failed to comply with a Board consent agreement. Revoked

Lisa J. Hardman (LSW) Improper Renewal. Revoked

Counselors:

Denise Flint (PCC) Improper custody recommendation. Reprimand and additional CEUs

DeDe Denbow (LPCC) Scope of practice. Monitoring and additional CEUs

Jennifer Greulich (LPC) Complaint received. Surrender of license

Doris G. Murray (LPC) Failed to comply with Board consent agreement. Suspension and personal counseling (stayed)

Jennifer A. Dean (LPCC) Poor record keeping. Monitoring and ethics training

Marsha Manon (LPCC) Billing irregularities. Reprimand and suspension of supervision designation