

NORTH CAROLINA PSYCHOLOGY BOARD
Board Action
July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011

During the fiscal year July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011, the following action was taken or confirmed by the North Carolina Psychology Board pursuant to G.S. § 90-270.15 and G.S. § 90-270.16:

Ervin S. Batchelor, Ph.D. – CONSENT ORDER was approved on February 17, 2011. Dr. Batchelor admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-270.15 (a)(18), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and Standards 4.01, 6.01, & 6.02(a) of *Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002). Dr. Batchelor's license is REPRIMANDED. He must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

John C. Begeny, Ph.D. - CONSENT ORDER was approved on December 1, 2010. Dr. Begeny admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(7) & (a)(10), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2007(a), and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2009(c) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Dr. Begeny must complete 300 hours of supervised practice within six months following the date of the execution of the Consent Order, successfully complete tutorials, and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Kristopher L. Clouch, Ph.D. - CONSENT ORDER was approved on December 1, 2010. Dr. Clouch admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.5(d), 90-270.15(a)(7) & (a)(10), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2009(c) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. The period of time in which Dr. Clouch did not receive adequate supervision shall not count toward the time required for licensure at the permanent Licensed Psychologist level. He must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Donald Douglas Davis, Jr., Psy.D. –CONSENT ORDER was approved on May 4, 2011. Dr. Davis admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 9-270.15(a)(10) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and Standards 3.05(a) and 10.06 of the *Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002). Dr. Davis' license is SUSPENDED for a minimum of six months. His release from the suspension is contingent upon his successful completion of a fitness for practice evaluation, following which he could begin practicing psychology under conditions of probation specified in the Consent Order. Further, he must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Diana L. Downing, Ph.D. - FINAL DECISION to deny Dr. Downing's applications for licensure and health services provider certification at the psychologist level was approved and signed on July 22, 2010.

Linda J. Duthiers, Ph.D. – CONSENT ORDER was approved on December 1, 2010. Dr. Duthiers admits that the described conduct was unprofessional and unethical and that, as a result, the conduct violated N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(10) & (a)(15) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and Standards 3.04, 3.05(a), and 6.01 of the *Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002). Dr. Duthiers' license is CENSURED, and a LIMITATION is placed on her license. She must receive specified supervision and complete three hours of continuing education as stipulated in the Order, successfully complete tutorials, and remit \$300.00 in costs.

William P. Erchul, Ph.D. – CONSENT ORDER was approved on February 16, 2011. Dr. Erchul acknowledges that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-270.15(a)(7) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2001(c)(5), 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2007(a), and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2009(c) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Dr. Erchul must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Catinia D. Farrington, M.A. – FINAL DECISION to DENY Ms. Farrington's application for licensure at the psychological associate level was approved on December 1, 2010. In viewing the record as a whole, the Board concluded as a matter of law that Ms. Farrington's conduct was in violation of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15 (a)(10), (a)(13), (a)(14); and Standard 2.01(a) of the *Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002).

Angela M. Hargrow, Ph.D. - CONSENT ORDER was approved on December 1, 2010. Dr. Hargrow admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.5(d), 90-270.15(a)(7) & (a)(10) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 N.C.A.C. 54 .2001(c)(5) and 21 N.C.A.C. .2009(c) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Dr. Hargrow must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Janis Jaworski, Ed.D. – CONSENT ORDER was approved on May 4, 2011. The Board agrees to dismiss all charges against Dr. Jaworski which are set forth in the September 29, 2010 Statement of Charges. Dr. Jaworski is retiring from the practice of psychology effective June 30, 2011, and voluntarily relinquishes her license as a licensed psychologist, and the Board accepts her relinquishment. Dr. Jaworski agrees not to engage in the practice of psychology or apply for reinstatement of her license at any time in the future, and she is required to remit \$300.00 in costs.

Lara K. Kehle, M.S. - Following an administrative hearing held on July 21, 2010, a FINAL DECISION to approve Ms. Kehle' application for licensure at the Psychological Associate level was signed on September 22, 2010.

Daniel Kirschenbaum, Ph.D. – CONSENT ORDER was executed May 9, 2011. The Board contends that it would prove at a hearing that certain aspects of the Dr. Kirschenbaum's conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(8) & (a)(10) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Wellspring

Academies and Camps, through Dr Kirschenbaum, who is their Clinical Director and Vice President of Clinical services, shall employ individuals to conduct cognitive behavioral therapy who are either licensed by a regulatory board in North Carolina or who are under the direct supervision of a licensed individual, such that the practice of cognitive behavioral therapy at the Wellspring facilities in N.C., is at all times conducted pursuant to and under the scope of practice of their license or the license of their supervisor. Dr. Kirschenbaum shall not supervise individuals for any activity that meets the definition of the practice of psychology unless they are properly licensed by a regulatory board in North Carolina and the practice in which they are engaged falls under the scope of practice of that license, and he must remit \$300.00 in costs.

Linda S. Maxwell, M.A. – CONSENT ORDER was approved on December 1, 2010. Ms. Maxwell admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(10) & (a)(15) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and Standards 4.01, 4.05(b), & 4.07 of the *Ethical Principles of Psychologist and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002). The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Ms. Maxwell must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Raymond J. Navarro, M.A. - CONSENT ORDER was approved and signed on July 22, 2010. Mr. Navarro admits that the Board interprets the described actions to constitute violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.5(e), 90-270.15(a)(7) & (10), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 NCAC 54 .2008(h) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Mr. Navarro must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Claude A. Thompson, Jr., M.A. - CONSENT ORDER was approved and signed on July 22, 2010. Mr. Thompson admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(14) and (a)(15) of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act and Standard 9.01(a) and (b) of the *Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct* (American Psychological Association, 2002). Mr. Thompson's license is REPRIMANDED; he is placed on PROBATION for a minimum of 3 years consisting of the successful completion of a minimum of 37 psychological evaluations, whichever takes longer to occur; his Level 3 supervision status is RESCINDED; and he must remit \$300.00 in costs.

William M. Tyson, Ph.D. - CONSENT ORDER was approved and signed on July 22, 2010. Dr. Tyson admits that the Board interprets the described actions to constitute violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(7) & (10), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 NCAC 54 .2001(c)(5) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. The action taken constitutes REMEDIAL action. Dr. Tyson must successfully complete tutorials and remit \$300.00 in costs.

Stephanie Wilsey, M.A. – CONSENT ORDER was approved and signed on December 1, 2010. Ms. Wilsey admits that the described conduct constitutes violations of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 90-270.15(a)(7) and 90-270.15(a)(10) & (a)(22), of the North Carolina Psychology Practice Act, and 21 NCAC 54 .2008(e) of the North Carolina Psychology Board rules. Ms. Wilsey's license is REPRIMANDED; she must successfully complete three to six hours of tutorials remit \$300.00 in costs.