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Board of Social Worker Licensure
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**Board of Social Worker Licensure
Public Board Meeting
Friday, September 9, 2022**

REVISED AGENDA

Location: Due to the current situation of the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19) and the need to avoid public gatherings, maintain public distance, and for everyone's safety this meeting will be held online pursuant to the Remote Participation Policy adopted by the board on September 10, 2021 and the Board Chair's declaration of emergency or urgent issue which, pursuant to the policy, requires the Board to meet by entirely remote methods on September 9, 2022. There will be no physical location where this meeting is held. The Remote Participation Policy and declaration of emergency or urgent issue are posted at the board's website with the agenda for today's meeting. Information to listen in to this meeting will be posted on the Board's website at <https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/state-board-social-worker-licensure/home/board-meeting-information>

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Contact: Cecile Sirois, Professional Licensing Supervisor
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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Review and approval of the June 10, 2022 minutes.

III. RULEMAKING

1. Chapters 10 through 17(amendments) discussion and possible provisional adoption
2. Chapter 18 – Telehealth (new) discussion and possible provisional adoption

OFFICES LOCATED AT: 76 NORTHERN AVENUE, GARDINER, MAINE

IV. ADJUDICATORY HEARING

1. 2021-SOC-17502 Pfaffinger

V. COMPLAINT PRESENTATIONS

1. 2021-SOC-17940
2. 2021-SOC-17973
3. 2022-SOC-18060

VI. COMPLAINT ITEMS

1. 2011-SOC-7287 Reports
2. 2020-SOC-16813 Reports
3. 2021-SOC-17568 Course Approval
4. 2021-SOC-17568 Reports
5. 2022-SOC-18124 CA

VII. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

VIII. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

“The board will offer an opportunity to members of the public in attendance to comment on any public matter under the jurisdiction of the Board except for any open application or complaint. While the Board cannot take action on any issues presented, the board will listen to comments and may ask staff to place the issue on a subsequent agenda. At the discretion of the Board Chair a time limit on comments may be set.”

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to 1 M.R.S §406, public notice has been met by publication in an area newspaper where the meeting is held and in the Maine Legislative Calendar. All meetings are open to members of the public for observation but not for public participation. If you plan to attend this meeting, please contact the Board's office 24 hours in advance to confirm the meeting will take place as scheduled. If you have any questions concerning this agenda, please contact Cecile Sirois at (207) 624-8626. This agenda may be subject to change prior to the meeting date.

NOTICE TO BOARD MEMBERS: If you cannot attend this meeting, please contact Cecile Sirois at (207) 624-8626 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.