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STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

Enclosed with this issue of the *Bulletin* is an amended version of the Standards circulated in draft form to all registrants in April 1978. The present revision retains the changes reported in the July 1979 issue of the *Bulletin* and includes extensive revisions of the standards for advertising and announcements under Principle 4.

Ontario psychologists have expressed considerable interest in guidelines for announcements, perhaps owing to the considerable increase in the number who are now engaging in private practice. For this reason, the Standards for advertising and announcements will be reproduced in full in the *1979 Directory*. Additional copies of the *Standards of Professional Conduct* may be obtained from the Board office at fifty cents a copy.

It will be of some interest to Ontario psychologist to learn that the American Association of State Psychology Boards has requested permission to publish the Ontario Standards in a forthcoming issue of the *Journal of Credentialing*, formerly the AASPB Newsletter. The present Editor, Dr. Bruce Palmer of Washington State University, has informed the Board that Ontario and New York are the first member states/provinces to have developed standards of their own.

FALL EXAMINATIONS

In October the written Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology was held in Toronto, Ottawa, London, Regina and Thunder Bay. The Board is grateful

to Mrs. Jacqueline Lehto, Mrs. Joy Reddy, Mr. Gilles Chagnon, Dr. Gerald Stone, Dr. Terry Russell and Dr. Hugh McLeod who served as proctors.

The Board was assisted in conducting the oral examination of candidates in November by the following psychologists: Edward Bauman, Assoc. Professor, Dept. of Psychology, Lakehead University; Carson Bock, Chief Psychologist, Workmen's Compensation Board; Kenneth Carlson, Chief Psychologist, Guelph Correctional Centre; William Eull, Director, Child and Family Clinic and Director, Dellcrest Day School for the Dellcrest Children's Centre; Kingsley Ferguson, Clarke Inst. of Psychiatry, Psychologist-in-Chief; William Marshall, Assoc. Professor, Queen's University, Department of Psychology, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Consultant, Canadian Penitentiaries; Anne Mellers, Clinical and Organizational Consultant, Independent Practice; Charles Netley, Chief Psychologist, Hospital for Sick Children, Assoc. Professor, Univ. of Toronto; Charles N. Newstrom, Consultant, Rohrer, Hibler and Replogle Ltd.; Judy Schapira, Chief Psychologist, Dufferin-Peel Roman Catholic Separate School Board; Robert Seim, Senior Program Director, Midwestern Regional Centre, Assoc. Professor, Univ. of Waterloo; Arthur E. Wolfgarth, Dir. of Treatment, Chief Psychologist: Correctional Institution.

PERMANENT REGISTRANTS

On December 1, 1978 the Board approved the admission of the following persons to the Permanent Register:

Facharuddin Bachteram	Robin Patchett
Kathleen Berg	Geoffrey Peruniak
Rena Borovay	Kenneth Peters
Thomas Bowman	Christopher Ross
Murray Brown	Joanne Rovet
Robert Camargo	Matti Saari
Deborah Cooper	George Schlotterer
Teresa Coward	Barry Schneider
Charles Cunningham	Alvin Segal
Susan Denburg	Howard Schecter
Gilles Desmarais	Jane Siegel
Robert Flewelling	Rita Simon
Bruce Fournier	W. Carson Smiley
Leslie Gardner	Marti Smye
Lorne Hartman	D. Paul Stager
Ronald Hine	James Sweeney
Faith Kaplan	Susan Sykes
Martha Keller	Jane Teare
Alan Lawrence	Robert van Mastrigt
Murray Lawton	Brian Wilson
Janie Martini	Jeri Wine
Gregory Mazuryk	
Karen Mock	

Steven Stein	Maxine Wintre
Evelyn Vingilis	

RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION

In April each year, renewal notices are mailed as a courtesy to all psychologists on the Permanent Register. As there is no guarantee that the notice will reach its destination, the Board hopes that this announcement will serve as a reminder and that registrants recognize that, in accordance with Regulation 698 (Sections 6 and 7) under The Psychologists Registration Act, a reinstatement fee is charged for renewals postmarked later than May 31.

CHANGE OF NAME

Dr. K.M. BANRETI-FUCHS of the University of Calgary has legally changed his name to CHARLES NICHOLAS BANNER and will be so listed in future issues of the Directory.

FEES

The September *Bulletin* summarized the efforts the Board is making to increase its revenue through introducing fees for Temporary Registrants and by requesting a change in the Regulations to increase application and examination fees. If granted by the government, these increases will permit the Board to meet the costs generated by candidates presently on the Temporary Register.

Additional funds, however, will be required to meet mounting legal costs created by the disciplinary and enforcement activities of the Board. Five days of disciplinary hearings were held in 1978 and one half-day in prosecuting a case in Court. A further five days of hearings are scheduled in the first four months of 1979. An increasing number of important professional issues are brought to the attention of the Board by Registrants and require the attention of the Board's legal counsel. Legal fees for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1979 are predicted to exceed \$20,000.

On January 10, 1979 the Board approved the admission of the following person to the Permanent Register:

Sheila Willson

NEW TEMPORARY REGISTRANTS
SINCE SEPTEMBER 1978

Thomas Allaway	Mavis Himes
Daniel Bachor	Christopher Holmes
Howard Barbaree	Douglas Jackson
Elsbeth Baugh	Robert Konopasky
Helen Best	Michael Lacroix
Thomas Blakely	James Lane
Elizabeth Briggs	Frank Marchese
Arthur Caspary	Mary Morris
Lise Chislett	Ronald Myhr
Christopher Cooper	Marjorie Perkins
Gary Dibb	Rymantas Petrauskas
Elinor Dickson	Zofia Radziuk
John Dorner	Max Rapoport
Marshall Dorosh	Vincent Roper
Susan Dotzenroth	Joseph Schner
Timothy Gilmor	Dorothy Shipe
Rhoda Glasberg	Donna Shoom-Kirsch
Nena Hardie	Carlyle Smith
Milan Harminc	W. Garfield Snow
Carl Hartlieb	Michael Sobol
Edward Helmes	Barry Stein

The Board reluctantly came to the conclusion that a further increase in annual renewal fees will be required to enable it to meet its obligations and it has therefore requested that the government approve a further increase.

ANNUAL REVIEW OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

Questionnaires mailed in April 1978 to the 946 psychologists registered in Ontario were returned by 832, or 88 percent.

Psychological Services in Other Languages

Of the respondents 171, or 22 percent, indicated they were able to offer services in languages other than English. This figure includes 96 psychologists able to provide services in French. Psychologists who gave permission to release their names will also be listed in an additional section of the *1979 Directory*, alphabetically by language.

Employment

The great majority of psychologists, 84 percent, continue to be "employed" in their principal area of work and only about 10 percent reported being "self-employed". However, an increasing number, 39 percent, reported part-time independent practice, representing an increase over the 31 percent who reported part-time independent practice in 1977.

Although women were less likely to report a secondary area of work (36 percent as compared with 61 percent of the men) and, if they did, reported devoting less time to it, they tended to be equally or even slightly over-represented among those engaged in full-time independent practice in 1978.

Work Setting

For a third of the respondents, the work setting was a hospital, a mental health centre or other "treatment" centre.

Approximately 24 percent were employed in post-secondary institutions and 14 percent in primary or secondary educational facilities. Of the remaining 29 percent, roughly 7 percent maintained private offices, 5 percent were with industrial or commercial firms and 3 percent were in various government departments.

Area of Psychological Interest

Owing to the many multiple responses, the question designed to identify main areas of interest was difficult, if not impossible to interpret. However, it may be of some interest to note that 65 percent of the respondents indicated clinical psychology as an area of interest.

LEGISLATION

The Ministry of Health, having studied the proposals for new legislation put forward during the summer by the Board of Examiners and the Ontario Psychological Association, has indicated its interest in holding a series of working meetings with representatives of the two groups. Dr. Laura Rice, presently Chairman of the Board of Examiners; Dr. William Melnyk, past Chairman; Dr. Barbara Wand, Registrar; and Mr. Ronald Slaght, the Board's solicitor, represented the Board at an initial meeting held on January 11, 1979. A second meeting is planned for February 22 and further meetings are anticipated.