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Executive Director's Report

I want to dedicate this article to our outgoing Board Chair, Dr. Fran Ferder. Her term as a Board member and as the Chair comes to a close on June 30, 2016, at midnight and, true to form, Dr. Ferder has taken steps to insure that the Board has voted on her replacement so there will be a seamless transition to a new and equally competent Chair. On May 20, 2016, the Board elected Dr. Cliff Johannsen as the next Chair; he will officially assume his new role on July 1, 2016, at 12:01 am.

Dr. Ferder has been a steadfast and dedicated leader at the OBPE. The profession can be immensely proud of the service that she has rendered so unselfishly, both to promote the integrity of the profession and to protect the consumer. Dr. Ferder will be sorely missed. But, true to her generous nature, she has told the writer that the Board is free to call upon her at any time and doubtless that option will be employed.

Dr. Ferder began her first term as a Board member on July 1, 2010. She was elected Vice-Chair a year later and subsequently agreed to a second three-year term effective July 1, 2013. She worked closely with the late Dr. Shane Haydon to see the Board through a critical transition ultimately adopting APA accreditation as the educational requirement for licensure in Oregon. Dr. Ferder served tirelessly on the Education Committee from 2011-2016, as well as being an ad hoc member of the Licensing Committee from 2012-2013. In both roles, she consistently advocated for the adoption of policies that insure the highest integrity of the profession.

She served as the Chair of the Board from July 1, 2013, to June 30, 2016. This was a period of critical change in the agency, most notably in the Executive Director position. As a result, there were times during her tenure when, in addition to normal Board Chair duties, she also needed to serve as "Acting Executive Director." Dr. Ferder has worked hard to foster a better relationship between the OBPE and the OPA, as well as licensees in general, bringing a more compassionate approach to the work of the Board. She has truly been dedicated to her role as the Chair of the Board and has set the standard for professionalism not only for her peers, but also for the OBPE staff. She has been diligent about being available for formal and informal consultation whenever necessary. Indeed, she has made the Board her primary focus requiring major compromises in her own practice to achieve this.

Dr. Ferder has served for 6 years and gone above and beyond in her role as both member and Chair for the OBPE. She has served faithfully and tirelessly and has led by example. The OPA and the entire Psychology profession in Oregon can be proud of her leadership. The profession is better, and the consumer is safer: we owe her a huge debt and massive gratitude.

Charles Hill
Executive Director Ψ

"Plans are nothing, but planning is everything" – Dwight D. Eisenhower

Welcome New Board Chair

At the May 20, 2016 meeting, the Board elected Dr. Clifford Johannsen as the new Board Chair, and re-elected Dr. Peter Grover as the Board Vice-Chair. Dr. Johannsen was also appointed to the Education Committee, a standing Board committee charged with reviewing the education of unaccredited programs, reviewing the standards for licensure and continuing education, assisting staff with atypical applications, and monitoring trends in psychology education.

Dr. Johannsen replaces outgoing Chair Dr. Fran Ferder, who served as Chair July 2013 to June 2016, and her predecessor Dr. Shane Haydon who served July 2011 to June 2013. The late Dr. Haydon shepherded the Board through particularly difficult times. He was especially adroit in twisting arms, including Dr. Johannsen's. He will be sorely missed. Dr. Johannsen's previous leadership experience includes recently serving as chair of the Psychiatric Security Review Board, and 28 years of state and national psy-

chology leadership.

Some of the policy items Dr. Johannsen is interested in exploring include reviewing current exemptions to the licensure requirements such as community mental health programs (QMHPs and QMHAs), exploring options for telepsychology (such as ASPPB's Inter-jurisdictional Compact), creating board administrative efficiencies without forming a "super board," developing a cadre of supervisors and pathways to safe practice following discipline, defining the essential face-to-face elements of psychology education and training, and preparing for pending revisions to the ethics code. Dr. Johannsen believes that Board membership is important to protect the public and thereby enhance the public's confidence in the psychology profession. He enjoys facilitating teamwork with board members and staff, and is excited to make a difference in his new role as Chair. **Ψ**

NEW Administrative Rules

On May 23, 2016, the Board filed the following permanent rule amendments:

Healthcare Workforce Data Survey

This rulemaking implements the requirements of Senate Bill 230 (2015). This legislation states that OBPE may not renew a license until the licensee completes the online survey and pays the fee (currently \$4 for biennial renewals) to the Oregon Health Authority (OHA). Beginning with renewals that are due in July of 2016, all licensees must complete the survey and attest to completion on the renewal notice and affidavit that you submit with your fee. Board staff will perform audits to ensure compliance with the survey requirement. For more information about Healthcare Workforce Reporting, please visit OHA's webpage at:

http://www.oregon.gov/oha/ohpr/rsch/pages/workforce_Rptg.aspx

Contested Case Hearings

This amendment clarifies that contested case hearings are closed to the public in order to avoid confusion to the public. This rule change also makes a correction to a statute reference.

Failure to Disclose Arrest or Conviction on Application

This amendment requires that applications for licensure not make omissions or false, misleading or deceptive statements on any Board application form. Applicants who fail to disclose an arrest or conviction are now required to pay a civil penalty of at least \$200 per violation, and their application will not be approved until the penalty is paid and any other Board ordered conditions are met. The Board has seen an increasing number of licensure applicants who fail to disclose prior arrests and convictions. This rule was adopted promote an understanding of the importance of answering truthfully on an application and consistency in the Board's enforcement practices. **Ψ**

QMHP / QMHA

What is a QMHP?

A “Qualified Mental Health Professional” (QMHP) is a person employed by a Community Mental Health Program (CMHP) or other community agency that performs mental health assessments and mental status examinations, writes and supervises Service Plans (SPs), and provides diagnosis and treatment of mental health disorders. QMHPs are licensed as nurses or occupational therapists at the bachelor’s level, or possess a graduate degree in a behavioral science field. Sometimes master’s level QMHPs hold a state license to practice mental health, but this is not required. A “Qualified Mental Health Associate” (QMHA) works to implement SPs under the supervision of a QMHP, and holds a bachelor’s degree in a behavioral sciences field or has three years of combined work, education, training or experience. A qualified intern, as defined in rule, can also perform the duties of a QMHA under the supervision of a QMHP. The CMHP or other employing community agency (or designee) determines whether a QMHP or QMHA is eligible under criteria developed by the Oregon Health Authority (OHA).

QMHP and QMHA Designations are NOT Portable

The Board frequently receives inquiries citing improper usage of the QMHP and QMHA designations. These acronyms have meaning only within the particular agency that has determined the person meets the criteria as a QMHP or QMHA, and only has validity within the scope of that employment. Outside of the employing agency, “QMHP” and “QMHA” are not titles and do not allow the person to practice professional counseling, marriage and family therapy, psychology, or clinical social work independently. In other words, a person cannot just carry their designation to another mental health practice setting like they could a professional license.

Who Regulates Unlicensed QMHPs and QMHAs?

The Health Systems Division (HSD) of OHA regulates agencies who employ QMHPs and QMHAs, performing site reviews to ensure that QMHPs and QMHAs meet the qualifications. HSD may issue corrective action requirements or sanctions to agencies that employ persons who do not meet the criteria, but the State does not individually regulate QMHPs and QMHAs at this time. However, watch for proposed changes to this structure by legislators during the upcoming 2017 session. Ψ

2016 CE Audit Update

No. of Licensees in 2016 Random Audit: **144**

No. of those Submitting a Response (as of 06/08/2016): **101**

Please allow 6 – 8 weeks for processing the CE Audit Reports. Audit Reports needing additional information before approval will be contacted and have 30 days to submit the required materials.

Please Remember! OARs require the name and qualifications of the presenter/content author for both in-person and online CE activities. Names of organizations, program directors, CEOs, executives and administrators do not fulfill this requirement.

2016 AUDIT REPORTING DEADLINE:

June 19, 2016

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REMINDER!

The Cultural Competency Continuing Education (CCCE) requirement is coming up soon. For all renewals periods which begin January 1, 2016 or later, your CE will need to include at least four hours of CCCE. Please visit our webpage for more information: Oregon.gov/OBPE/pages/CCCE.aspx

2016 OPA Town Hall

A big “Thank You” to OPA for allowing the Board to again host a Town Hall at the Annual Conference. Both the Board members and staff appreciate this opportunity to put faces to names and to hear back from Oregon’s licensees on what is important to them.

This year’s Town Hall agenda touched on some pretty hot topics, including:

Licensure Exemption Workgroup (LEW)

A brief update on recent efforts of the three mental health boards- Board of Psychologist Examiners, Board of Licensed Professional Counselors and Therapists (BLPCT), and Board of Clinical Social Workers (BLSW) to propose legislation to remove the “Counselor Education Exemption” from the BLPCT statute. More information coming later this year!

Changing our Name

The Board is proposing legislation to change the Board’s name from “Oregon Board of Psychologist Examiners” to “Oregon Board of Psychology”.

Recovering Legal Fees and Costs

The Board is proposing legislation to allow the Board to seek reimbursement for attorney fees and costs similar to BLSW, BLPCT, Medical Board, and the Nursing Board. Similar to the recovery of costs and fees in civil proceedings, the Board would request attorney fees and costs only after an investigation and notice process to the respondent, of course with an opportunity for a contested case hearing. An Administrative Law Judge would advise on the reasonableness of proposed cost assessments, and no costs would be collected until after an Administrative Hearing is held.

Budget Merger Update

The legislative concept to administratively merge with BLPCT under one umbrella agency, the “Oregon Mental Health Regulatory Agencies”, has been submitted. The new agency is for budgetary and administrative purposes only; the Boards, and their files, pro-

cesses, rules, and licenses, will remain separate entities. The boards would not be able to use each others’ budget appropriations.

What about Telehealth?

Currently five of the required seven states have adopted rules. Once seven states have adopted rules ASPPB will be able to put out a concept for other states to adopt. The board is looking at all of this cautiously and conservatively in deciding what will be best in meeting Oregon’s standards for integrity of the profession.

Designated Qualified Person

A request was made for the Board to review the eligibility of QPs, especially for rural practitioners where the nearest licensed psychologist is several hours away. The Board will add this as a suggested topic for the strategic work session in November.

Creating a Residence License for Billing Purposes

Would the Board consider creating a license category so that psychologist residents can bill for fees? The Board announced that OHA already is creating administrative rules that would allow Residents and Interns to bill Medicaid; it is unknown at this time if they would then be able to bill for Medicare. We hope to have more information soon.

Long-Term Vision

What is the Board’s long term, or 3-5 year, vision? Among the Board’s priorities are to carry out the work of the LEW, the QMHA/QMHP issues, telehealth services, and online education.

Supervision Pool

The Board is requesting assistance from Licensees in creating a Supervision Pool for supervisors to provide mandatory supervision for residents and licensees under review or discipline. Please see the next page for more information. **Ψ**

Disciplinary Supervisor Recruitment

The Oregon Board of Psychologist Examiners is looking to expand our directory of psychologists who are willing and able to provide disciplinary supervision to licensees who have received a Board-ordered condition of supervised practice. If you are interested, please respond to this survey to provide some information to the Board:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/OBPE_DS_Recruit

Typically, disciplinary supervision requires that the supervisor focus on areas where the supervisee has experienced problems, including maintaining appropriate boundaries, conflict of interest, informed consent in assessments, and recordkeeping. The frequency, duration, and content of supervisory sessions will be cited in the Board's order, and will vary case-by-case depending on the circumstances. Typically, a supervisor will be required to submit to the Board quarterly reports, and at the end of a specified period, may recommend that supervision continue or be terminated. A supervisor has the responsibility to communicate to the Board if he or she believes there is a risk to clients or that the supervision is not on track for resolution of the outlined competency areas.

Additionally, it would be very helpful if you could recommend any other psychologist(s) who we might reach out to. We really appreciate your time and support in this effort. Ψ

REMINDER!

To qualify for the one-time renewal fee reduction, **you must renew on time**. This means that you must submit your fully completed renewal notice & affidavit form and the correct fee amount by the due date. If your renewal is postmarked after the due date, you will not receive the fee reduction. You will be required to pay the **full renewal fee** plus the \$200 **delinquent fee!** There are no exceptions for timely payment of the reduced fee.

Don't let this happen to you!

The reduction is effective for renewals due 2015-2016; everyone will have this opportunity once.

Going Paperless?

Question: I work in a hospital setting and all patient consents, progress notes, psych. reports are stored in an electronic medical record. I'm wondering if I still have to keep paper copies for seven years?

Answer: There is no need to keep paper copies of client records if you are maintaining electronic records and in compliance with the applicable law and rule.

EPPP Step 2

The Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) owns and administers the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP), which assesses the core knowledge necessary for the practice of psychology. On March 21, 2016, ASPPB announced that their Board of Directors had approved the development and implementation of an examination to assess the competency-based skills necessary at entry-level licensure. This skills-based examination will measure the functional skills related to the competent practice of psychology to complement the assessment of foundational knowledge provided by the EPPP. The current EPPP will be renamed the EPPP Step 1, and the new exam will be called the EPPP Step 2. ASPPB has also suggested a possible use for the EPPP Step 2 in addressing practice and competency concerns with licensed members of the profession. The exam is still in early stages of development, and the target date for implementation is January 2019.

For more information, please visit the ASPPB website: <http://www.asppb.net/page/EPPPStep2> Ψ

Enforcement Actions

During the period of time from March 1, 2016 to May 31, 2016, the Board reviewed and dismissed 25 cases and took the following actions:

Luz Martha Callum, Ed.D. (#1624), **STIPULATED ORDER**, effective March 18, 2016. Licensee conducted custody evaluations under the business name of JMJ Psychological Services with her business partner, Josette Luvmour. Licensee and Luvmour conducted a custody evaluation and prepared a Custody and Parenting Time Evaluation Report on November 27, 2012. The name “Josette Luvmour, Ph.D” or “Dr. Luvmour” are frequently referenced in the Report; however, Luvmour does not hold a professional license to practice psychology or any other mental health profession in the State of Oregon. Licensee worked with Luvmour in jointly writing the Report, and relied upon observations, interviews and conclusions provided by Luvmour. The great majority of collateral sources relied upon, and the tone and content of the Report, favored the father’s point of view. The Report found that the mother was fostering “emotional and psychological abuse that is detrimental to [daughter]’s development....,” that the daughter had a condition very similar to Stockholm Syndrome in relation to her mother and suggested that the daughter “may have indeed been unduly subjected to unnecessary medical treatment.” However, the record did not support these conclusions. Luvmour met with the parties and their attorneys, and stated that the mother should immediately give up custody of her daughter to the father; if not, Licensee and Luvmour would file a child abuse report. Four days later, Luvmour filed the report, and a child protective services investigation was completed. The investigation included interviewing past and present counselors and teachers who were well acquainted with mother and daughter, but had not been previously interviewed by Licensee or Luvmour. A comprehensive evaluation of daughter completed by a licensed psychologist found no physical, mental or emotional abuse. The threatened loss of custody and the ensuing investigation was disruptive and emotionally distressing to mother and daughter. The content of the Report lacked objectivity and violated ORS 675.070(2)(d)(A) and (B), in that it was not consistent with the recognized standards of ethics for the profession, and was contrary to recognized standards of practice. Licensee’s conduct violated ORS 675.070(2)

(h) and the following professional ethical standards: ES 2.01 Boundaries of Competence, ES 3.04 Avoiding Harm, and ES 3.06 Conflict of Interest, as adopted under OAR 858-010-0075. By using the services of Josette Luvmour in the preparation of the Report, Licensee violated ES 2.05, Delegation of Work to Others. Licensee agreed to retire her license while under investigation, not submit a new application for licensure for a minimum of two years, and pay a civil penalty of \$500.

Michaela Lonning (Unlicensed), **FINAL ORDER**, effective March 18, 2016. Respondent, who is not licensed to practice in any healthcare field in the State of Oregon, represented to the public that she is a therapist and counselor who helps people suffering from complex trauma, and that she has a special interest in problems that stem from “unstable or disastrous childhoods.” She also represented that she treats dissociative disorders, and that her specialties include trauma, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), chronic pain, sexual abuse, codependency, domestic abuse, self-harming, and complex trauma stemming from unstable childhood. Respondent sought to do consultations with licensed mental health care practitioners and represented to them that she works with clients who were suicidal or had “complex disorders.” She offered a Women’s Trauma Workshop and Support Group for women that have suffered trauma in their life, to include “grief, loss, deprivation or outright abuse and even devastation.” On March 24, 2015, the Board issued a Notice of Intent to Impose Civil Penalty for the amount of \$5,000; subsequently, Respondent requested a hearing. The Administrative Law Judge agreed with the Board that Respondent engaged in therapy to treat individuals who had, among other issues or diagnoses, PTSD, dissociation, anxiety, and depression. In doing so, Respondent engaged in the practice of psychology, as defined pursuant to ORS 675.010(4), in violation of ORS 675.020(1)(a). Respondent offered to provide services that are regulated as the practice of psychology, thereby representing herself to be a psychologist under ORS 675.020(2), and engaged in the practice of psychology, in violation of ORS 675.020(1)(b). The Board adopted the ALJ’s recommendation and issued an order assessing the \$5,000 civil penalty.

Jeremy A. Chiles, Ph.D. (Applicant), **FINAL ORDER**, effective March 18, 2016. Applicant submitted

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an application in June of 2014 that contained inaccurate information. He answered “no” to the Character and Fitness question “Have you ever been investigated by a regulatory board, professional organization, educational institution, or employer?” when in fact Applicant had previously been investigated by this Board in 2007 for the unlicensed practice of psychology in Oregon. On August 27, 2015, the Board issued a Notice of Application Denial; subsequently, Respondent requested a hearing. The Board filed a motion for summary determination, and Applicant did not respond. On February 18, 2016, the Administrative Law Judge granted the Board’s motion and issued a proposed order finding that Applicant’s application should be denied for violations of ORS 675.030(1)(e) (lack of good moral character), ORS 675.070(2)(d) (immoral or unprofessional conduct or gross negligence), and ORS 675.070(2)(h) for violation of Ethical Standard 5.1 (avoidance of false or deceptive statements). The Board adopted the ALJ’s recommendation and issued an order denying Applicant’s application.

Erika Hinds, Ph.D. (Applicant), **STIPULATED ORDER**, effective March 18, 2016. In early 2014, during Applicant’s work as an intern at a university counseling center, Client A (22 year old male) presented to Applicant on two successive occasions as a crisis intake client with suicidal ideations. Client A met with Applicant at least weekly thereafter for individual therapy. Applicant’s working diagnosis for Client A was major depressive disorder, severe, recurrent. Client A and Applicant continued to meet for at least weekly individual therapy sessions for more than 3 months while Client A continued to have suicidal ideations. Client A threatened to kill himself as soon as therapy ended. Applicant and Client A saw each other socially outside of the office during treatment, which included going on walks and runs together. Applicant terminated therapy with Client A in mid-July of 2014, in anticipation of her internship expiring by the end of July. Applicant subsequently moved to Oregon and began to work as a psychologist resident. Applicant and Client A exchanged numerous personal emails while they both resided in Utah, and after Applicant moved to Oregon. Applicant supported Client A’s decision to move out of his mother’s home and his decision to move to Oregon. Applicant and Client A

subsequently engaged in a close personal relationship with sporadic sexual contact. Although Client A returned to Utah in April of 2015, Applicant and Client A continued to exchange personal emails in subsequent months. The Board found that Applicant’s conduct took advantage of Client A’s vulnerabilities and exposed him to the risk of harm by entering into a personal relationship with him while Applicant provided him treatment, and by engaging in a sexual and exploitative relationship with Client A immediately after the therapist - client relationship terminated, in violation Ethical Standard (ES) 2.01 Boundaries of Competence; ES 3.04 Avoiding Harm; ES 3.05 Multiple Relationship; ES 3.08 Exploitative Relationships; and ES 10.08 Sexual Intimacies with Former Therapy Clients. Applicant also violated ORS 675.070(2)(d)(A), immoral or unprofessional conduct; ORS 675.070(2)(h), for violation of the code of professional conduct; and ORS 675.030(1)(e), lack of good moral character for conduct reflecting moral turpitude. Applicant agreed to withdraw her application while under investigation, terminate her Board-approved residency contract, pay a civil penalty of \$1,500, and not reapply for two years. Prior to a reapplication, Applicant must undergo a comprehensive mental health evaluation.

Terrence Wager, Psy.D. (#2220), **INTERIM STIPULATED ORDER**, effective March 30, 2016. The Board opened an investigation in 2016 after receiving complaints that raised serious concerns that Licensee is not practicing psychology safely and competently. To address these concerns and to protect the public, Licensee and the Board entered into an Interim Stipulated Order (ISO) subject to the terms and conditions that Licensee must not use hypnosis as a modality for any client at any time, he must not provide any form of mental health services to any female client or have direct contact with any female client, and must not supervise or employ any mental health care provider that provides treatment to any of Licensee’s female clientele. The Board will make a complete investigation in order to fully inform itself with respect to the performance or conduct of the Licensee and Licensee’s ability to safely and competently practice psychology. At the conclusion of the Board’s investigation, the Board will decide whether to close the case or to proceed to some form of disciplinary action. ♡

In Memory Of...



Molly C. McKenna, Ph.D.

Molly Colleen McKenna was born May 4, 1972 in Minnesota. She died Feb. 7, 2016, in Portland. "Tearfulness and profanity" - this was the subject line of the email that Molly sent out to people letting them know of her diagnosis of lung cancer just over a year ago. It sums up her approach not only to cancer, but to life.

Molly Colleen McKenna was born in Fairmont, Minnesota, May 4, 1972. She died in Portland, Oregon, February 7, 2016, seventeen years to the day after her father, David William McKenna. Molly grew up in Fairmont and Roseville. She attended The Blake School, Class of '90, and then Stanford University earning a degree in Psychology ('94). She received her Doctorate in Counseling Psychology from University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign. Ironically, before her diagnosis, most of Molly's family moved to the Portland area from Minneapolis. They were all there for the last year of Molly's life and now to be a family with Ted and the boys.

Molly is survived by her husband, Ted Batt, sons Simon Michael Batt & Milo David Batt; mother, Rebecca McKenna (Jane Ellis); sister, Emily McKenna (Nick Stocco); and nephew, Ian McKenna Stocco. A celebration of life was held on Sunday, March 13, 2016, at McMenamin's Edgefield, Troutdale, OR.

Reference: Oregonlive.com

George Howard Davol, Ph.D.

The world was a little colder with the loss of George Howard Davol March 3, 2016 in Ashland, Ore.

Anyone who met Howard knew how special he was. Howard was born in Martinez, Calif. December 16, 1948. Larger than life, Howard never stopped moving and never stopped learning, as documented by the autobiography he wrote at age 14, entitled, "Tales to Astonish."

An avid hunter and fisherman, Howard had hundreds of hobbies, including playing old-time music on his fiddle with his band, "Old Souls and Spicy Dishes," gardening, and entertaining family and friends. He could build anything, fix anything, and was always eager to help anyone in need. He was a therapist, a teacher, a hero, and an inspiration to all who knew him. The first psychologist in private practice in the Rogue Valley, Howard practiced psychology for 40 years, helping thousands of families with his compassion, wit, and wisdom.



He is survived by his beloved wife of 40 years, Charlene (Cherie); his five sons, Patrick and wife Katy, Ryan and wife Hollina, Nathan, Ben and wife Marie, and Brent; his sister, Susan Neilson of Concord, Calif.; his niece, Eden; his nephew, Justin; and his four grandchildren, Callie, Avery, Lillian, and Henry. Howard was preceded in death by his parents, Clarence and Gertude Davol.

Howard may be gone, but his imprint on the world will never be forgotten.

Reference: Mailtribune.com/

In Memory Of Cont...

Stanley F. Mazur-Hart, Ph.D.

Stan Mazur-Hart, our beloved husband and father, died peacefully on May 23, 2016, surrounded by the family he loved. Stan Mazur was born in Oakland, California on January 7, 1946. He graduated from San Luis Rey College in 1967; received his M.A. in Psychology from San Jose State College in 1971; and received his Ph.D. in Psychology from the University of Nebraska in 1976. Stan and Helen Lois Hart met at U.C. Berkeley and married in 1975. His two sons were the lights of his life: Matthew, age 32, and David, 29.



As a licensed psychologist, Stan dedicated his professional life to serving the mentally ill and teaching. He began his career as a professor of Psychology at Saginaw Valley State College from 1976 to 1980. In 1980 Stan and Helen arrived in Salem, and, led by his strong service ethic, Stan began working at the Oregon State Hospital as a Clinical Psychologist. He served as the Chief Psychologist from 1981 to 1987. He was a member and Chair of the Oregon Board of Psychologist Examiners from 1984 to 1990. He served as Superintendent of Dammasch State Hospital in Wilsonville from 1987 to 1991. From 1991 to 2003, Stan was the Superintendent of the Oregon State Hospitals in Salem and Portland. During those years, critical aspects of treatment programs were improved, and seclusion and restraints of patients were reduced. The hospitals were ahead of the curve in becoming tobacco-free campuses. Stan never really retired; since 2005, he taught Psychology classes at Linn-Benton Community College, where he was a faculty advisor and representative to the College Council. In 2009 he was nominated by students as Instructor of the Year. Since 2011 he has taught Life Span Human Development at Mt. Angel Seminary College.

Stan was a dedicated community volunteer. He coached in Leslie Little League ("Blue Jays") and volunteered as an umpire. His love of sports led him to officiate high school football and baseball. He enjoyed fishing and boating in Central Oregon with his family. He also loved family trips, especially by rail. Stan was a long-serving lector at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Since 2006, Stan has been a member of the board of directors of Catholic Community Services, serving as Chair for four years.

Stan was preceded in death by his parents, Stanley F. Mazur and Elsie (Sherwood) Mazur, and his brother, Michael Mazur. He is survived by his wife and love of his life, Helen Mazur-Hart; his sons Matthew and David Mazur-Hart; his brother John Mazur; sisters Mary Mazur and Elizabeth Anderson, and Elizabeth's family. Stan offered strength, insights, and humor to those around him. He was a generous person, who will be missed by many.

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Upcoming Events 2016

June

6/3: Oregon Jurisprudence Examination
6/9: Education Committee Meets
6/9: Licensure Exemption Workgroup Meets

July

7/4: Office Closed for Independence Day Holiday
7/5: Consumer Protection Committee Meets
7/8: Oregon Jurisprudence Examination

7/22: Board Meeting

August

8/1: Consumer Protection Committee Meets
8/5: Oregon Jurisprudence Examination

September

9/5: Office Closed for Labor Day Holiday
9/6: Consumer Protection Committee Meets
9/9: Oregon Jurisprudence Examination *
9/23: **Board Meeting**

Reminders

BE GREEN! Please make sure to update your email address if it changes so that you continue to receive correspondence. If you have not provided one, please do so. Notify us right away- but not more than 30 days- of any change in your public or mailing address, phone, or name using the form available on the Board website.



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