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## Meeting Notice

**MISSOURI STATE COMMITTEE OF MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPISTS**  
**May 17, 2005 – 8:00 a.m.**  
**Telephone Conference Call**  
**Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**  
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The State Committee may convene in closed session at any time during the meeting. If the meeting is closed, the appropriate section will be announced to the public, with the motion and vote recorded in open session minutes.

Please see attached agenda for this meeting.

Attachment

# Tentative Agenda

**MISSOURI STATE COMMITTEE OF MARITAL  
AND  
FAMILY THERAPISTS  
May 17, 2005 –8:00 a.m.  
Division of Professional Registration  
3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

- 1 Call to Order Dr. Elizabeth Kingsley, Chairperson
- 2 Approval of Open Session Agenda
- 3 Approval of Open Session Conference Call Minutes March 15, 2004
- 4 Meeting Schedule

Convene in closed session pursuant to motions to close section 610.021 subsection (14) and 620.010.14 subsection (7) RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and applicants for licensure and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant and, section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal actions, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communications between this agency and its attorney.

## Adjournment

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**OPEN SESSION MINUTES**  
**Missouri State Committee of Marital & Family Therapists**  
**May 17, 2005 – 8:00 a.m.**  
**Conference Call**  
**Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

At 8:06 a.m. on March 15, 2005 the Missouri State Committee of Marital and Family Therapists conference call meeting was called to order by Dr. Elizabeth Kingsley, Chairperson at the Division of Professional Registration, 3605 Missouri Boulevard, Jefferson City, Missouri. Roll call was facilitated by Dr. Dorothy Becvar.

**Committee Members Present**

Dr. Elizabeth Kingsley, Chairperson  
Dr. Dorothy Becvar, Secretary  
Dr. Teri Loney

**Committee Members Absent**

Claudetta Feemster, Public Member  
Wayne Allen, Public Member  
Ted Estes (Contacted the committee office prior to the call and explained a work emergency prevented him from participating.)

**Staff Present**

Loree Kessler, Executive Director  
Jeanette Stuenkel, Executive I  
Justin Smith, Licensure Technician II

Because the state committee lacked a quorum the members convened as a subcommittee with all recommendations sent to Mr. Estes on this date for review and approval.

Dr. Kingsley stated she would be voting in open and closed sessions.

A motion was made by Dr. Becvar and seconded by Ms. Loney to approve the open session agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Dr. Becvar and seconded by Dr. Loney to approve the open session minutes of the March 15, 2005 telephone conference call. Motion carried unanimously.

**Meeting Schedule**

The state committee scheduled a conference call for July 12, 2005 at 8:00 a.m. An alternative date for the call is July 26<sup>th</sup>.

At 8:10 a.m. a motion was made by Dr. Becvar and seconded by Dr. Loney to convene in closed session pursuant to section 610.021 subsection (14) and 620.010.14 subsection (7) RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and /or complaints and/or audits and applicants for licensure and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant and,

section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussion general legal actions, causes of action litigation, and any confidential or privileged communications between this agency and its attorney and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsections of 610.021 which authorized this agency to go into closed session during those meetings. State committee members voting aye; Dr. Kingsley, Dr. Loney, and Dr. Becvar. Motion carried unanimously.

At 8:34 a.m., a motion was made by Dr. Becvar and seconded by Dr. Loney to convene in open session. State committee members voting aye; Dr. Kingsley, Dr. Loney, and Dr. Becvar. Motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Becvar reminded state committee members that the annual meeting of AAMFT would be October 20-23, 2005 in Kansas City. The state committee will reimburse committee members for attending this meeting. Drs. Becvar, Kingsley, and Loney indicated interest in attending. Mr. Estes will be provided the opportunity as well.

Dr. Becvar reported that the annual meeting of AMFTRB will convene in coordination with the CLEAR conference September 13-17, 2005 in Phoenix, Arizona and Dr. Becvar will be attending that meeting.

At 8:37 a.m., a motion was made by Dr. Loney and seconded by Dr. Becvar to adjourn the conference call meeting. Motion carried unanimously.



Executive Director

Approved by State Committee on July 12, 2005