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√	**38GL-26-3192**	Guam Department of Education	Superintendent's Report – DE-1 (GG-1) or Contract of Employees as of October 2026*
√	**38GL-26-3193**	Department of Revenue and Taxation	Cannabis Control Board Meeting Packet for September 23, 2026*
√	**38GL-26-3194**	Guam Memorial Hospital Authority	FY2025 Citizen-Centric Report*
√	**38GL-26-3195**	Guam Police Department	Prior Year Obligation to pay Lagu, LLC in the total amount of $5,126.40.
√	**38GL-26-3196**	Guam Police Department	Prior Year Obligation to pay Tyler Technologies Inc. in the total amount of $7,345.98.
√	**38GL-26-3197**	Guam Police Department	FY2026 4th Quarter Travel Report ending September 30, 2026.
√	**38GL-26-3198**	Guam Economic Development Authority	FY2026 4th Quarter Travel Report for period ending September 30, 2026*
√	**38GL-26-3199**	Department of Public Health and Social Services	Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners Regular Board Meeting Packet for November 6, 2026*
√	**38GL-26-3200**	Port Authority of Guam	Board Meeting Packet for November 6, 2026*
√	**38GL-26-3201**	Department of Youth Affairs	FY2026 4th Quarter Reports – Financial, Non-Profit Organization, Non-Appropriated Fund, Staffing Pattern and Prior Year Obligation for the period ending September 30, 2026*

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Si Yu'os ma'åse',

Marie Crisostomo

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38GL-26-3199	Department of Public Health and Social Services	Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners Regular Board Meeting Packet for November 6, 2026*

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Dear Governor Leon Guerrero and Speak Blas,

Please find attached the electronic copies from the **Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners Meeting** held on **Friday, November 06, 2026,** to include the updated Attendance Sheet.

- Agenda
- Attendance Sheet
- Minutes
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Best regards,

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Received, and thank you.

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Marie Crisostomo

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Re: **Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners Regular Board Meeting for November 06, 2026.**

Dear Governor Leon Guerrero and Speaker Blas,

As required by 5 GCA § 8113.1, attached please find electronic copies of the agenda, approved minutes, and other attachments.

Should you have any questions, please call us at (671) 735-7404/8-12.

Respectfully,
Chelsea Carbullido
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Administrative Assistant

Cc: Jean Taitano, Governor's Legal Office

38GL-26-3199
Messages and Communications
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November 12, 2026
3:02 p.m.
Marie Crisostomo

Attachments:
- November 06, 2026 Meeting Agenda.
- November 06, 2026 Board Meeting Attendance
- October 02, 2026 Board Meeting Minutes
- October 29, 2026 (5 Day Advertisement in Guam Public Notice Portal & Guam PDN).
- November 04, 2026 (48 Hour Advertisement in Guam Public Notice Portal & Guam PDN).

Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners

Department of Public Health and Social Services
Health Professional Licensing Office

Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners – Regular Board Meeting
Friday, November 6, 2026 at 12:00 PM
194 Hernan Cortez Ave., Terlaje Professional Building Suite 209
Hagatna, Guam 96910

Join Zoom Meeting:
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88322045030?pwd=9IsWCTb1vbtpwbasbtpfAtF4aE2IUO.1
Meeting ID: 883 2204 5030
Passcode: 045713

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER: 12:07 PM
- **A.** Roll Call
- **B.** Proof of Publications

II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
- **A.** Review and approval of minutes dated October 9, 2026

IV. TREASURER'S REPORT

V. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT
- **A. HPLO-SOP-11**
- **B. HPLO-SOP-12**
- **C. HPLO-SOP-13**
- **D. HPLO-SOP-13.1**
- **E. HPLO-SOP-24**

VI. COMPLAINTS

A.	GBAHE-CO-22-03	MFT	Received 02/21/22	(Pending Assignment)
B.	GBAHE-CO-25-09	LPC	Received 04/29/25	(Pending Assignment)

VII. NEW BUSINESS
- **A. Review and discussion of Superior Court Decision and Write of Mandate (SP0066-26) Nice v. GBAHE.**
  - **i. Letter to AAG L. Paul Sirmans (Received 10/18/26)**
  - **ii. Review and discussion of Staff Report**

iii. LMHC Intern Application and Credentials Review

- **a.** Withdraw the separate, non-overlapping 6,000-hour requirement from M. Nice's file and confirm in writing that the restriction was imposed in error.
- **b.** Formally confirm that qualifying post-graduate hours may be concurrently credited toward dual licenses (pursuant to 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 §§ 121302(b)(1)(B) and 121303(b)(1)(B)) provided statutory and supervisor requirements are met.
- **c.** Consider publishing clear, standardized guidance for future LMHC applicants regarding exam eligibility timing relative to post-graduate hours.

iv. LMFT Intern Application and Credentials Review

- **a.** Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming the validity of M. Nice's MFT-Intern license (LMFTI-002).
- **b.** Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
- **c.** If an adverse action is proposed, ensure review by unconflicted members and issue a written decision citing specific statutory provisions.
- **d.** Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

v. Approval to Sit for MFT Exam

- **a.** Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming formal Board approval for M. Nice to sit for the national MFT examination.
- **b.** Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
- **c.** Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

vi. Supervisor Eligibility and Hour Recognition

- **a.** Re-evaluate Dr. Julienne Shin's eligibility under P.L. 37-142 § 10407(d)(1) (3-year Guam licensure requirement).

b. Re-evaluate Joleen Baza's eligibility and address the business partnership conflict determination and re-evaluate crediting of qualifying hours accrued at Ohala' Adoptions and Perfect Place LLC.

vii. Monthly Hour Submission Guideline Review

a. Discuss and vote on the administrative preference vs. statutory mandate for monthly hour filings.

b. Vote to withdraw any hour denials or penalties applied to M. Nice's application based solely on missing monthly submission deadlines.

viii. Complaints: GBAHE-CO-25-04 and GBAHE-CO-25-05

a. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-04

b. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05

Vote to amend the 8/1/2025 minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).

ix. GBAHE Online Provider Directory

a. HPL Administrator to discuss the GBAHE Provider Directory policy regarding intern listings.

x. Employer Communication Clarification

a. Discuss the January 23, 2026 letter sent to the Dean of UOG CLASS regarding title usage ("Doctor in Psychology").

b. Vote on issuing an official clarification letter to UOG stating whether any formal complaint, disciplinary finding, or Board action exists on record.

xi. Review and approval of minutes

a. Update all affected past meeting minutes based on Board re-vote determinations.

a. 06/06/25
b. 08/01/25
c. 01/16/26

b. Vote to amend the **8/1/2025** minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).

c. Vote to amend the **6/6/2025** minutes to correctly reflect V. Harper as the seconding member on the motion to negate license for LMFT-002 (instead of N. Cepeda).

d. Update/revise meeting minutes if actions are changed.

B. Approval of Clinical Supervisor

i. Arriola, Lynette (LPC-150)
Proposed Supervisee(s): Kwon, Peter

C. Initial Applications

Physical Therapist

i. Okafor, Anthonia (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist

ii. Skaggs, Daniel (G. Cruz)

Veterinary Medicine

i. Creeden, Nicole (V. Harper)

D. Renewal Applications – *See attached renewal listing.*

VIII. NEXT BOARD MEETING

A. The next board meeting is tentatively scheduled for: **Friday, December 4, 2026** at **12:00 PM**.

IX. ADJOURNMENT: 2:21 PM

Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners

Department of Public Health and Social Services
Health Professional Licensing Office

GBAHE 2026 RENEWAL LISTING

Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine

1. Yu, Jong (R. Chong)

Audiologist

1. Koffend, Renee (M. Camacho)
2. Mister, Angela (M. Camacho)

Certified Respiratory Therapist

1. Lucas, Sheri (G. Cruz)
2. Ngiraklang, Geraldo (G. Cruz)

Chiropractic

1. Arthur, Steve (G. Miller)
2. Gates, Amy (G. Miller)
3. Miller, Gregory (V. Harper)

Dietitian/Nutritionist

1. Azucena, Sharon (C. San Nicolas)
2. Gersaniba, Maria Perpetua (C. San Nicolas)
3. Mary, Kristy Joy (C. San Nicolas)
4. San Nicolas, Catherine (G. Miller)

Licensed Mental Health Counselor Intern

1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Marriage and Family Therapist Intern

1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist

1. Abanilla, Nadia Lynn (R. Taitingfong)
2. Benson, Laura (R. Taitingfong)
3. Bradley, Jordan (R. Taitingfong)
4. Buan, Ma Louella (R. Taitingfong)
5. Cooney, Jessica (R. Taitingfong)
6. Gardner, Lindsay (R. Taitingfong)
7. Gaudio, Johanna (R. Taitingfong)
8. Gorniewicz, Ashley (R. Taitingfong)

9. Lee, Steven (R. Taitingfong)
10. Legaspi, Wendy (R. Taitingfong)
11. Legaspi, Richard (R. Taitingfong)
12. Mariano, Ligaya (R. Taitingfong)
13. Pesigan, Albert Johann (R. Taitingfong)
14. Powell, Aubrie (R. Taitingfong)
15. Summerville, Sarah (R. Taitingfong)
16. Tate, Jo Ann (R. Taitingfong)
17. Taitingfong, Rosalind (G. Miller)
18. Williams, Michelle (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist Assistant

1. Aylor, Joannah Grace (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist

1. Ada, Tasi Ann (R. Taitingfong)
2. Aquino, Megan Julyne (R. Taitingfong)
3. Badowski, Pawel (R. Taitingfong)
4. Black, Joel (R. Taitingfong)
5. Carlo, Romulo (R. Taitingfong)
6. Claros, Ryan Robert (R. Taitingfong)
7. Cunanan, Ma. Fara Diva (R. Taitingfong)
8. Datu, Arlene (R. Taitingfong)
9. Fekula, Natlie (R. Taitingfong)
10. Golez, Rolan (R. Taitingfong)
11. Guerrero, Johnathan (R. Taitingfong)
12. Lowe, Sofia (R. Taitingfong)
13. Mallari, Jehn Reiko (R. Taitingfong)
14. Mallari, Jonne Allen (R. Taitingfong)
15. Pajela, Richard Paul (R. Taitingfong)
16. Paragas, Alexandria (R. Taitingfong)
17. Park, Zane (R. Taitingfong)
18. Santos, Isaias (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist Assistant

1. Adajar, Christopher (R. Taitingfong)
2. Galang, Ruedel (R. Taitingfong)
3. Matias, Nino Jesus (R. Taitingfong)
4. Roque, Angelito (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist

1. Esguerra, (G. Cruz)
2. Lizama, Daleina (G. Cruz)
3. Nucum, Jimmy (G. Cruz)
4. Taylor, Nicole (G. Cruz)

Speech Language Pathologist

1. Chen, Amber (M. Camacho)
2. Clark, Kimberly (M. Camacho)
3. Gonzales, Camille (M. Camacho)
4. Heath, Stacy (M. Camacho)
5. Kurien, Anita (M. Camacho)
6. Lujan, Teresita (M. Camacho)
7. Santos, LeeAnn (M. Camacho)
8. Torchiano, Dorotea (M. Camacho)
9. Torres, Marybeth (M. Camacho)
10. Yasukawa, Shiina (M. Camacho)

Speech Language Pathologist Assistant

1. Lujan, Francis (M. Camacho)

Veterinary Medicine

1. Harper, Velma (G. Cruz)
2. Malakooti, Kevin (V. Harper)

Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners

Board Meeting Attendance Sheet

Health Professional Licensing Office Suite 209
194 Hernan Cortez Ave. Terlaje Professional Building. Hagatna. Guam 96910-5052

ATTENDANCE SHEET

Date of Meeting	**Friday, November 6, 2026**		X	Regular Meeting		Special Meeting
Meeting Call to Order:		Time of Adjournment:		X	Quorum		No Quorum

BOARD MEMBER	POSITION	SIGNATURE
Nadine Cepeda	***Vice Chairperson*** LPC/MFT/LMHC Member	
Dr. Velma Harper	***Secretary*** Veterinarian Member	
Rosalind Taitingfong	***Treasurer*** Occupational Therapist Member	Virtually present
Dr. Richard Chong	Acupuncturist Member	ABSENT
Dr. Gregory Miller	Chiropractic Member	Virtually present
Catherine San Nicolas	Clinical Dietitian/Nutritionist Member	
Dr. Julienne Duenas	Physical Therapist Member	
Gregory Cruz	Respiratory Therapist Member	
May Camacho	Speech Language Pathologist Member	
VACANT	Audiologist Member	*VACANT*
VACANT	Clinical Psychologist Member	*VACANT*
VACANT	LMHC Member	*VACANT*

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OTHERS PRESENT

NAME	AGENCY	SIGNATURE
Breanna Sablan	DPHSS/HPLO	[illegible]
Kaysie Aguilar	DPHSS/HPLO	[illegible]
Cecilia Fejeran	DPHSS/HPLO	[illegible]
Chelsea Carbullido	DPHSS/HPLO	Chelsea Carbullido
Victor Nice	self	V. Nice
Millie Nice	self	M. Nice
JEFF COOK	Cunliffe & Cook	[illegible]
Joleen Baza	Public	virtually present
Lynette Arriola	Public	virtually present
Alan Butler	Public	virtually present

Guam Board of Allied Health Examiners
Regular Board Meeting
Friday, October 9, 2026, at 12:00 PM
194 Hernan Cortez Ave., Terlaje Professional Building Suite 209
Hagatna, Guam 96910
Join Zoom Meeting:
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89899391904?pwd=ELMCFoTgsa88lFchGHyRYAgDnZQCYG.1
Meeting ID: 898 9939 1904
Passcode: 240779
MINUTES

Item		Discussion		Responsible Party	Reporting Timeframe	Status
I	**Call to Order**	Meeting Chaired by N. Cepeda		Vice-Chair	1210	Call to Order
	Proof of Publication	09/02/2026 and 09/07/2026 Guam PDN and the Government of Guam Public Portal		Vice-Chair		Confirmed
	Roll Call	**GBAHE Members** *Present:* ☒Nadine Cepeda, LPC, LMHC, LMFT, Vice-Chair ☒Rosalind S. Taitingfong, Occupational Therapist, Treasurer ☒Catherine San Nicolas, Clinical Dietitian ☒Dr. Julienne Duenas, Physical Therapist ☒Gregory J. Cruz, Respiratory Therapist *Virtually Present:* ☒Dr. Gregory Miller, Chiropractic *Absent:* ☒ Dr. Velma R. Harper, Veterinarian, Secretary ☒ May Camacho, Speech Language Pathologist	**Other Attendees** *Present at HPLO:* Breanna Sablan, DPHSS/HPLO Kaysie Aguilar, DPHSS/HPLO Chelsea Carbullido, DPHSS/HPLO Sibyl Crisostomo, Public *Virtually Present:* Millie Nice, Public Jojo Santo Tomas, Guam Pacific Daily News Jean Macalinao, Public	Vice-Chair		Quorum Established
	Election of Board Officers	D. Chong noted that the Board typically conducts its annual election of officers in January of each year. However, B. Sablan reported due to the unexpected vacancy created by the former Chair's departure requires immediate action to designate a Chairperson to ensure continuity of Board operations. Acting Chair Cepeda (currently serving in her capacity as Vice Chair) called for nominations and sought clarification regarding the protocol for officer succession through the remainder of the calendar year. Board members discussed whether the Vice Chair automatically assumes the role of Chair or if a formal vote is required to elect a new Chairperson or affirm an Acting Chair. B. Sablan clarified that while the Vice Chair naturally steps into leadership during a vacancy, the Board has the option to: Elect a new permanent Chair and subsequently elect a new Vice Chair; or Agree to have the current		GBAHE	1213	Noted

Item		Discussion	Responsible Party	Reporting Timeframe	Status
		Vice Chair serve as Acting Chair through the end of the calendar year (until the scheduled January elections), while establishing a clear line of succession (Secretary/Treasurer) in the event of her absence. The Acting Chair expressed willingness to continue serving as Acting Chair through December 31, provided that a defined line of succession is in place to ensure seamless operational support. *Motion to Approve: J. Duenas; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			
II	**Adoption of Agenda**	*Motion to Approve: R. Taitingfong; 2nd: C. San Nicolas*	GBAHE	1216	Unanimously Adopted Agenda
III	**Approval of Minutes**	**Draft Minutes Dated: September 4, 2026** *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: R. Chong*	GBAHE	1219	Unanimously Approved Minutes
IV	**Treasurer's Report**	R. Taitingfong reported on the final financial reconciliation for FY 2026 (ending September 30, 2026) and the initial appropriations for FY 2027. The Board was allotted $3,000 for travel, which remained unused with an ending balance of $3,000. Contractual services were fully expended from the allotted $10,000, leaving a zero balance. Out of the $450 allocated for supplies, $295 was spent, leaving a remaining balance of $155. The $250 allocation for equipment was unused and retained in full. For miscellaneous and stipend payments, $5,286 was expended from the $8,000 allocation, leaving an ending balance of $2,714. Revenue collections listed in the report remain subject to final confirmation by the Department of Administration (DOA). R. Taitingfong examined the second report detailing the FY 2027 appropriations, which totals $32,000 comprising $20,000 allocated for contractual services and $12,000 for miscellaneous expenses, with no funds appropriated for travel, supplies, or equipment. During the presentation, board members noted historical revenue trends—such as the $35,650 collected in FY 2024 and $34,634 in FY 2026—and raised questions regarding how excess generated revenues are utilized, specifically regarding funding for dedicated board investigators and legal counsel. B. Sablan clarified that annual board appropriations are established directly by the Guam Legislature rather than the department, and special fund revenues are managed comprehensively across all health professional licensing boards. Staff explained that board revenue totals alone do not cover full-time individual personnel salaries or shared central overhead, which includes $81,600 in annual facility rent, office operations, Xerox leases, postage, board stipends, national membership dues, and newsprint public notices. Furthermore, B. Sablan reported that the FY 2027 Budget Act officially authorizes the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) to procure legal services and board investigators. HPLO has established a formal Board Investigator position, actively prepared the GG-1 recruitment packet, and initiated plans for a professional services contract for legal counsel, both of	R. Taitingfong	1223	Noted

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		which will be implemented as shared operational costs across all boards.			
V	**Administrator's Report**	B. Sablan presented five Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for Board review and prospective formal adoption: HPLO-SOP-11: Protocol and Handling of Disciplinary Cases, HPLO-SOP-12: Complaint Investigation Process, HPLO-SOP-13: Complaints and Investigation Process, HPLO-SOP-13.1: Complaint Process Flowchart, and HPLO-SOP-24: Review of Clinical Hours. B. Sablan emphasized that these SOPs serve as internal administrative guidelines rather than statutory law. They are designed to establish clear protocols, maintain process continuity, ensure fair and thorough vetting prior to Board review, streamline clinical hour evaluations, and ensure complainants receive timely procedural updates. B. Sablan also noted that these living documents have evolved over time and are open to Board amendments, additions, or revisions. Board members reviewed the current 60-to-90-day investigative timeframe outlined in SOP-11 (Section 16). The Board highlighted that rigid end-to-end deadlines are difficult to maintain due to external delays beyond HPLO control, such as respondent license delays, scheduling interview conflicts, or complainant unavailability. J. Duenas suggested amending the SOPs to incorporate phased timelines. Under this proposal, completing a specific phase (e.g., initial intake and action) would reset or pause the 60-to-90-day clock while awaiting external responses, provided the delay is documented with a clear action plan. B. Sablan welcomed the suggestion, acknowledging that licensee non-responsiveness is a frequent roadblock and agreeing to draft updated language with modular stage-by-stage timelines. The Board expressed strong support for SOP-24, noting that establishing a clear policy for clinical hour evaluations will significantly streamline administrative reviews, reduce repetitive inquiry backlogs, and serve as a reliable reference tool for applicants and staff. Board members will complete their review of SOPs 11, 12, 13, 13.1, and 24 and submit feedback prior to the next meeting.	B. Sablan	1230	Tabled for formal consideration and adoption at the upcoming November Board meeting
VI	**GBAHE Complaints**	**A. GBAHE-CO-22-03 MFT Received 02/21/22** N. Cepeda noted that this complaint requires re-assignment to a new Board investigator following leadership/membership changes.	Vice-Chair	1232	Ongoing, Pending re-assignment
		B. GBAHE-CO-24-03 SLP Received 08/06/24 N. Cepeda reported on the findings of the investigation. A facility administrator filed a complaint alleging that a licensed Speech-Language Pathologist (SLP) exceeded professional boundaries and misrepresented herself as acting on behalf of the Board when entering an office space at a hospital. N. Cepeda clarified that the licensee was attempting to assist an individual seeking clinical hours and was not authorized or instructed by the Board. It was established that the complainant is no longer practicing in Guam. Consequently, the Board no longer holds jurisdiction over the individual, rendering the matter moot. The investigator recommended closing the complaint with no disciplinary action or reprimand.	N. Cepeda		Closed

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		Motion to Close due to lack of jurisdiction.: C. San Nicolas; 2nd: G. Miller.			
		C. GBAHE-CO-25-09 LPC Received 04/29/25 N. Cepeda noted that this complaint requires re-assignment to a new Board investigator following leadership/membership changes. Records reflect that a formal Letter of Concern was previously issued regarding this matter on August 19, 2021.	Vice-Chair		Ongoing, Pending re-assignment
VII	**New Business**	**A. Approval of Clinical Supervisor**	GBAHE	1243	Unanimously Approved
		i. Licensed Mental Health Counselor/Marriage and Family Therapist			
		a) Camacho, Lavina (LPC/MFT) *Motion to Approve: Dr. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Proposed Supervisee(s):			
		• Barcinas, T'Anah			
		B. Initial Applications			
		Audiology			
		a) Melton, Robert (M. Camacho) *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Clinical Psychology			
		a) Hartwell-Tindle, Lisa (N. Cepeda) *Motion to Approve: N. Cepeda; 2nd: R. Taitingfong.*			Approved for Temporary License
		Licensed Professional Counselor			
		a) Canda, Marissa (N. Cepeda) **b) Uncangco-Meno, (N. Cepeda)** *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Licensed Professional Counselor Intern			
		a) Barcinas, T'anah (N. Cepeda) *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Physical Therapist			
		a) Andrist, Kelsey (R. Taitingfong) **b) Troy, Lillian (R. Taitingfong)** *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Physical Therapist Assistant			
		a) Duenas, Samuel (R. Taitingfong) *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Speech Language Pathologist			
		a) Chaney, Laura (M. Camacho) *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		Veterinary Medicine			

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Item		Discussion	Responsible Party	Reporting Timeframe	Status
		a) Grothe, April (V. Harper) *Motion to Approve: G. Miller; 2nd: C. San Nicolas.*			Unanimously Approved
		C. Renewal Applications			
		Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine a) Chong, Richard (G. Cruz) **Certified Respiratory Therapist** a) Aquino, Erwin (G. Cruz) b) Ascura, Chad (G. Cruz) c) Choi, Avee Geline (G. Cruz) d) Martinez, Faye Marie (G. Cruz) **Clinical Psychologist** a) Bertagnoli, Andrew (N. Cepeda) b) Butler, Alan (N. Cepeda) c) Shieh, Bevelry (N. Cepeda) **Dietitian/Nutritionist** a) Cantos, Sharlaine (C. San Nicolas) b) McNinch, JoLan (C. San Nicolas) c) Miller-Nabas, Shanna (C. San Nicolas) d) Peralta, Kristine Bea (C. San Nicolas) e) Rada, Richelle (C. San Nicolas) f) Wong, Godfrey (C. San Nicolas) **Licensed Mental Health Counselor** a) Angliot, Cathe (N. Cepeda) **Licensed Professional Counselor** a) Bruno, Marlon (N. Cepeda) b) De Luna, Mc Jason (N. Cepeda) c) Payne, John (N. Cepeda) d) Santiago, Lisa (N. Cepeda) **Licensed Professional Counselor Intern** a) Mesa Jr., John (N. Cepeda) **Marriage and Family Therapist** a) Underwood, Mark (N. Cepeda)			Recommended for Renewal

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		Occupational Therapist a) Kennedy, Nikita (R. Taitingfong) b) Killough, Laura (R. Taitingfong) c) Konradi, Tara (R. Taitingfong) d) Lopez, Erica (R. Taitingfong) e) Maxwell, Kimberly (R. Taitingfong) **Physical Therapist** a) Lueke, Cheryll Ann (R. Taitingfong) b) Ng, Marina (R. Taitingfong) c) O'Connor, Shannon (R. Taitingfong) d) Sabeti, Edward (R. Taitingfong) e) Topacio, Joame (R. Taitingfong) **Registered Respiratory Therapist** a) Alvardao, Brenda (G. Cruz) b) Arizmendi Jr., Ricardo (G. Cruz) c) Bancolita, Arglyn (G. Cruz) d) Blas, Brian (G. Cruz) e) Cruz, Adam (G. Cruz) f) Manzon, Cleopatra (G. Cruz) g) Patdu, Maria Karen (G. Cruz) h) Sales, Robert (G. Cruz) **Speech Language Pathologist** a) Camacho, Clare (M. Camacho) b) Crisostomo, Sibyl (M. Camacho) c) O'Neill, Jessica (M. Camacho) d) Sapida, Dianne Marie (M. Camacho) *Motion to Approve: J. Duenas; 2nd: R. Chong.*			
VIII	**Next Board Meeting**	Next Board Meeting tentatively scheduled for: **Friday, November 6, 2026, at 12:00 PM.**	GBAHE	1249	Set Date
IX	**Adjournment**	*Motion to Adjourn: G. Miller;2nd: C. San Nicolas.*	GBAHE	1250	Adjourned

Minutes Drafted by: FLAME TREE Freedom Center, Inc. Date Submitted:

Submitted by the GBAHE Secretary: Chelsea Carbullido Date: 11/9/2026

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Approved by the GBAHE with or without changes: Date:

Certified by or Attested by the Chairperson:  Date: 11/06/2026

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event held on the African continent. GNOC extends its congratulations to the organizing committee, the host country, each athlete and its appreciation to their families, coaches, schools, national federations and supporters back home. As the delegation begins with this memorable chapter, GNOC invites the people of Guam to cheer on Team Guam with pride.

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GUAM SPORTS NETWORK

Alonzo Acosta prepares to join the podium at the Pacific Mini Games on July 4, 2025.

Aromin

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high school, however, she had to learn how to handle the pressure of competition and trust herself after making mistakes. "I used to let one bad play affect the next, but I learned that volleyball is a game of mistakes and what matters most is how you respond," she said.

That change in mindset helped Aromin work toward one of her biggest goals since freshman year, which was reaching the championship court. The Yigo resident spent hours practicing in the court, getting stronger at the gym, and finding ways to improve her game. By her junior year, Aromin had made noticeable changes in her game, improving her skills, volleyball IQ, and physicality on the court.

Academy head coach Manny Guarin has seen that growth firsthand, highlighting Aromin's competitiveness and drive to improve as qualities that set her apart.

"What sets Lea apart is her natural leadership, competitive fire, relentless desire to improve, and exceptional work ethic. She has that rare combination of a killer instinct on the court and genuine humility off it," Guarin said. "Despite all her individual accolades, she remains grounded, always putting her team first and never losing her hunger to get better."

Her progress has also shown in her accomplishments on the court, earning her recognition both locally and overseas.

Aromin's notable achievements include:

- 2024-2025 Volleyball Champion
- 2025 16U Liberation Champion
- 2025 UOG League MVP
- 2025 Second Best Outside Hitter, Smart Spike Challenge Cup in the Philippines
- 2026-2027 Volleyball Champion
- 2026 Volleyball Preseason MVP

With her high school volleyball career coming to a close, Aromin hopes to continue playing at the collegiate level. She knows the next step will bring tougher competition and higher expectations, but she is ready to keep learning and see how far the sport can take her.

Beyond the court, Aromin plans to study kinesiology and pursue a career in physical therapy. She says that as an athlete, she has seen how important recovery, injury prevention, and physical health are, and she hopes to help others regain their strength and return to the activities they love. She also enjoys going to the beach, attending Mass with her family, and spending time with friends when she isn't on the court playing or practicing. Her eye is on a potential college in the Pacific Northwest.

Through all her wins and losses, Aromin has also relied on her faith and the support of her parents, Stephanie and Ray. She gives thanks to God for providing strength during difficult moments and to her parents for believing in her and making sacrifices to help her reach her goals. "I wouldn't be the player or person I am today without Him and my parents by my side," she said.

The Academy program that Aromin once watched from the sidelines has become a place where she has made her own memories and grown as a player. As she looks toward the next level of competition, she carries with her the experiences and lessons that have shaped her time as a Cougar.

GUAM BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
Tuesday, November 3, 2026
at 11:00 AM
194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Terlaje Professional Bldg. Suite 209, Hagatna, Guam 96910-5052

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MEETING AGENDA

I. **CALL TO ORDER**
  A. Confirmation of Public Notice
II. **DETERMINATION OF QUOROM**
III. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
IV. **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
  A. Review and approval of minutes dated October 1, 2026
V. **HPL ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**
  A. **HPLO-SOP-11**
  B. **HPLO-SOP-12**
  C. **HPLO-SOP-13**
  D. **HPLO-SOP-13.1**
VI. **CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT**
  A. Finance & Budget
  B. Statutes, Rules, and Forms
VII. **OLD BUSINESS**
  A. **Complaint: GBSW CO-2026-001**
  B. **Complaint: GBSW-CO-2026-002**
VIII. **NEW BUSINESS**
  A. Consideration of Application for Initial Licensure
  B. Consideration of Application for Renewal of Licensure
IX. **NEXT BOARD MEETING**
  A. The Guam Board of Social Work next regularly scheduled board meeting is tentative for **Thursday, December 3, 2026** at **11:00 AM.**
X. **ADJOURNMENT**

To view the names of the applicants being considered go to https://guamsocialwork.org
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GUAM BOARD OF ALLIED HEALTH EXAMINERS
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
Friday, November 6, 2026
at 12:00 PM
194 Hernan Cortez Ave., Terlaje Professional Building Suite 209, Hagatna, Guam 96910

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MEETING AGENDA

I. **CALL TO ORDER**
  A. Roll Call
  B. Proof of Publications
II. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
III. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
  A. Review and approval of minutes dated October 9, 2026
IV. **TREASURER'S REPORT**
V. **ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**
  A. HPLO-SOP-11
  B. HPLO-SOP-12
  C. HPLO-SOP-13
  D. HPLO-SOP-13.1
  E. HPLO-SOP-24
VI. **GBAHE COMPLAINTS**
  A. GBAHE-CO-22-03 Received 02/21/22
  B. GBAHE-CO-25-09 Received 04/29/25
VII. **NEW BUSINESS**
  A. **Review and discussion of Superior Court Decision and Writ of Mandate (SP0066-26) Nice v. GBAHE.**
    i. Letter to AAG L. Paul Sirmans (Received 10/18/26)
    ii. Review and discussion of Staff Report
    iii. LMHC Intern Application and Credentials Review
    iv. LMFT Intern Application and Credentials Review
    v. Approval to Sit for MFT Exam
    vi. Supervisor Eligibility and Hour Recognition
    vii. Monthly Hour Submission Guideline Review
    viii. Complaints: GBAHE-CO-25-04 and GBAHE-CO-25-05
    ix. GBAHE Online Provider Directory
    x. Employer Communication Clarification
    xi. Review and approval of minutes
  B. **Approval of Clinical Supervisor**
  C. **Initial Applications**
  D. **Renewal Applications**
VIII. **NEXT BOARD MEETING**
  A. The next board meeting is tentatively scheduled for **Friday, December 4, 2026** at **12:00 PM.**
IX. **ADJOURNMENT**

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E. HPLO-SOP-24

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A. GBAHE-CO-22-03 MFT Received 02/21/22 (Pending Assignment)
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VII. NEW BUSINESS
A. Review and discussion of Superior Court Decision and Write of Mandate (SP0066-26) Nice v. GBAHE.
i. Letter to AAG L. Paul Sirmans (Received 10/18/26)

ii. Review and discussion of Staff Report

iii. LMHC Intern Application and Credentials Review
a. Withdraw the separate, non-overlapping 6,000-hour requirement from M. Nice's file and confirm in writing that the restriction was imposed in error.
b. Formally confirm that qualifying post-graduate hours may be concurrently credited toward dual licenses (pursuant to 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 §§ 121302(b)(1)(B) and 121303(b)(1)(B)) provided statutory and supervisor

121302(b)(1)(B) and 121303(b)(1)(B)) provided statutory and supervisor requirements are met.
c. Consider publishing clear, standardized guidance for future LMHC applicants regarding exam eligibility timing relative to post-graduate hours.

iv. LMFT Intern Application and Credentials Review
a. Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming the validity of M. Nice's MFT-Intern license (LMFTI-002).
b. Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
c. If an adverse action is proposed, ensure review by unconflicted members and issue a written decision citing specific statutory provisions.
d. Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

v. Approval to Sit for MFT Exam
a. Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming formal Board approval for M. Nice to sit for the national MFT examination.
b. Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
c. Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

vi. Supervisor Eligibility and Hour Recognition
a. Re-evaluate Dr. Julienne Shin’s eligibility under P.L. 37-142 § 10407(d)(1) (3-year Guam licensure requirement).
b. Re-evaluate Joleen Baza’s eligibility and address the business partnership conflict determination and re-evaluate crediting of qualifying hours accrued at Ohala’ Adoptions and Perfect Place LLC.

vii. Monthly Hour Submission Guideline Review
a. Discuss and vote on the administrative preference vs. statutory mandate for monthly hour filings.
b. Vote to withdraw any hour denials or penalties applied to M. Nice's application based solely on missing monthly submission deadlines.

viii. Complaints: GBAHE-CO-25-04 and GBAHE-CO-25-05
a. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-04
b. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05
Vote to amend the 8/1/2025 minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).

ix. GBAHE Online Provider Directory

a. HPL Administrator to discuss the GBAHE Provider Directory policy regarding intern listings.

x. Employer Communication Clarification
a. Discuss the January 23, 2026 letter sent to the Dean of UOG CLASS regarding title usage ("Doctor in Psychology").
b. Vote on issuing an official clarification letter to UOG stating whether any formal complaint, disciplinary finding, or Board action exists on record.

xi. Review and approval of minutes
a. Update all affected past meeting minutes based on Board re-vote determinations.
    a. 06/06/25
    b. 08/01/25
    c. 01/16/26
b. Vote to amend the 8/1/2025 minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).
c. Vote to amend the 6/6/2025 minutes to correctly reflect V. Harper as the seconding member on the motion to negate license for LMFT-002 (instead of N. Cepeda).
d. Update/revise meeting minutes if actions are changed.

B. Approval of Clinical Supervisor
i. Arriola, Lynette (LPC-150)
Proposed Supervisee(s): Kwon, Peter

C. Initial Applications
Physical Therapist
i. Okafor, Anthonia (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist
ii. Skaggs, Daniel (G. Cruz)

Veterinary Medicine
i. Creeden, Nicole (V. Harper)

D. Renewal Applications – *See attached renewal listing.*

VIII. NEXT BOARD MEETING
A. The next board meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for: **Friday, December 4, 2026 at 12:00 PM**.

IX. ADJOURNMENT: _____

GBAHE 2026 RENEWAL LISTING

Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine
1. Yu, Jong (R. Chong)

Audiologist
1. Koffend, Renee (M. Camacho)
2. Mister, Angela (M. Camacho)

Certified Respiratory Therapist
1. Lucas, Sheri (G. Cruz)
2. Ngiraklang, Geraldo (G. Cruz)

Chiropractic
1. Arthur, Steve (G. Miller)
2. Gates, Amy (G. Miller)
3. Miller, Gregory (V. Harper)

Dietitian/Nutritionist
1. Azucena, Sharon (C. San Nicolas)
2. Gersaniba, Maria Perpetua (C. San Nicolas)
3. Mary, Kristy Joy (C. San Nicolas)
4. San Nicolas, Catherine (G. Miller)

Licensed Mental Health Counselor Intern
1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Marriage and Family Therapist Intern
1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist
1. Abanilla, Nadia Lynn (R. Taitingfong)
2. Benson, Laura (R. Taitingfong)
3. Bradley, Jordan (R. Taitingfong)
4. Buan, Ma Louella (R. Taitingfong)
5. Cooney, Jessica (R. Taitingfong)
6. Gardner, Lindsay (R. Taitingfong)
7. Gaudio, Johanna (R. Taitingfong)
8. Gorniewicz, Ashley (R. Taitingfong)
9. Lee, Steven (R. Taitingfong)
10. Legaspi, Wendy (R. Taitingfong)
11. Legaspi, Richard (R. Taitingfong)
12. Mariano, Ligaya (R. Taitingfong)
13. Pesigan, Albert Johann (R. Taitingfong)
14. Powell, Aubrie (R. Taitingfong)
15. [illegible] (R. Taitingfong)

15. Summerville, Sarah (R. Taitingfong)
16. Tate, Jo Ann (R. Taitingfong)
17. Taitingfong, Rosalind (G. Miller)
18. Williams, Michelle (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist Assistant
1. Aylor, Joannah Grace (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist
1. Ada, Tasi Ann (R. Taitingfong)
2. Aquino, Megan Julyne (R. Taitingfong)
3. Badowski, Pawel (R. Taitingfong)
4. Black, Joel (R. Taitingfong)
5. Carlo, Romulo (R. Taitingfong)
6. Claros, Ryan Robert (R. Taitingfong)
7. Cunanan, Ma. Fara Diva (R. Taitingfong)
8. Datu, Arlene (R. Taitingfong)
9. Fekula, Natlie (R. Taitingfong)
10. Golez, Rolan (R. Taitingfong)
11. Guerrero, Johnathan (R. Taitingfong)
12. Lowe, Sofia (R. Taitingfong)
13. Mallari, Jehn Reiko (R. Taitingfong)
14. Mallari, Jonne Allen (R. Taitingfong)
15. Pajela, Richard Paul (R. Taitingfong)
16. Paragas, Alexandria (R. Taitingfong)
17. Park, Zane (R. Taitingfong)
18. Santos, Isaias (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist Assistant
1. Adajar, Christopher (R. Taitingfong)
2. Galang, Ruedel (R. Taitingfong)
3. Matias, Nino Jesus (R. Taitingfong)
4. Roque, Angelito (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist
1. Esguerra, (G. Cruz)
2. Lizama, Daleina (G. Cruz)
3. Nucum, Jimmy (G. Cruz)
4. Taylor, Nicole (G. Cruz)

Speech Language Pathologist
1. Chen, Amber (M. Camacho)
2. Clark, Kimberly (M. Camacho)
3. Gonzales, Camille (M. Camacho)
4. Heath, Stacy (M. Camacho)

5. Kurien, Anita (M. Camacho)
6. Lujan, Teresita (M. Camacho)
7. Santos, LeeAnn (M. Camacho)
8. Torchiano, Dorotea (M. Camacho)
9. Torres, Marybeth (M. Camacho)
10. Yasukawa, Shiina (M. Camacho)

Speech Language Pathologist Assistant
1. Lujan, Francis (M. Camacho)

Veterinary Medicine
1. Harper, Velma (G. Cruz)
2. Malakooti, Kevin (V. Harper)

Ninja

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respective 11U divisions.

"I feel great, this is my second 1st place I've won this year! I feel a little nervous going to Chicago (World Championships), but this time I'm ready, I've been training really hard, and I know I will make it to finals this year," Espina said.

Surrat's brother, Athan, also earned gold in the 13U male division with Isabella Ohrvall winning the female division.

Local Ninja superstar, Malakai Graniel, who was a 2026 UNAA world championship finalist, took the 15U male division with 10 points. New Ninja competitor, Serena Taitano, earned the win in the female Masters division.

American Ninja Warrior athlete and "Guahan Ninja Warrior," Deren Perez, posted an impressive 11 points and won gold in the male Masters division.

Amateur division athletes Kristin Surratt and John Reyes took gold in the female and male Amateur divisions.

American Ninja Warrior athlete, Rai "King Rai" Flores, provided the performance of the night, earning 14 of 15 points for gold in the Intermediate division.

The next Sindalu Siha Ninja Games will be Jan. 16 to 17 at the Tamuning gym, the public is invited to attend, and event will include food trucks, raffles, a bounce house, and fun ac-



COURTESY OF GUAM NINJA ASSOCIATION/GUAM MODERN PENTATHLON ASSOCIATION

The 9U female division at the Sindalu Siha Ninja Gym Mini-Games held on Oct. 24, 2026.

Games

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- 3rd place — Yap
- 4th place — Kosrae
- MVP — Jefferson Simina (Chuuk)

Women

- 1st place — Yap
- 2nd place — Chuuk
- 3rd place — Pohnpei
- 4th place — Kosrae
- MVP — Soya Dorian Thourithog (Yap)

Track & field highlights

Kids 60m (Girls)

- 1st place — Inas Ignacio
- 2nd place — Molyia Ignacio
- 3rd place — Marka (all Chuuk)

Kids 60m (Boys):

- 1st place — Justin
- 2nd place — JD Louis
- 3rd place — Unrecorded (all Chuuk)

100m (Women)

- 1st place — Kaila Ignacio (Chuuk)
- 2nd place — Isa Ignacio (Chuuk)
- 3rd place — Fliraleen Ponapart (Pohnpei)

100m (Men)



COURTESY OF JOHN HOWARD

2nd Annual KAMORALE FSM Goodwill Games men's basketball MVPs Anthony Kusto and Jose Ignacio.

- 1st place — Aiden Tarius Ignacio (Chuuk)
- 2nd place — Terrence (Chuuk)
- 3rd place — Floriano Ponapart II (Pohnpei)

200m (Women)

- 1st place — Kaila Ignacio (Chuuk)
- 2nd place — Fliraleen Ponapart (Pohnpei)
- 3rd place — Unrecorded (Chuuk)

200m (Men)

- 1st place — Terrence (Chuuk)
- 2nd place — Floriano Ponapart II (Pohnpei)
- 3rd place — RJ Ignacio (Chuuk)

Tug-of-war champions

- High school and middle school division: Team Yap
- Elementary school division: Team Pohnpei

Paddling (Coed)

- 1st place — Kosrae
- 2nd place — Pohnpei
- 3rd place — Yap
- 4th place — Chuuk

Softball

Men's Open

- 1st place — Guam
- 2nd place — Palau
- 3rd place — Kosrae

Women's Open

- 1st place — Guam
- 2nd place — Pohnpei
- 3rd place — Yap

Men's Masters

- 1st place — Guam
- 2nd place — Palau
- 3rd place — Pohnpei

The Foneni Achocho Sensu Athletic Organization congratulates all the athletes, coaches, and teams that participated in the games.

Department of Public Health & Social Services

GUAM BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS

Health Professional Licensing Office

194 Hernan Cortez Avenue, Terlaje Professional Bldg. Ste 209, Hagatna, Guam 96910

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  A. Roll Call
  B. Proof of Publications
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III. **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
  A. Review and approval of minutes dated October 15, 2026
IV. **TREASURER'S REPORT**
V. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
  A. Rules and Regulations (Proposed)
VI. **NURSING EDUCATION**
VII. **EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT**
  A. NCSBN Leadership and Regulation Conference
VIII. **NEW BUSINESS**
  A. Approval to Sit for CNA Examination
  B. Initial License Applications
IX. **NEXT BOARD MEETING**
  A. Next meeting is tentatively scheduled for **Thursday, December 10, 2026** at **3:00PM**.
X. **ADJOURNMENT**

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GUAM BOARD OF ALLIED HEALTH EXAMINERS
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Friday, November 6, 2026
at 12:00 PM
194 Hernan Cortez Ave., Terlaje Professional Building Suite 209, Hagatna, Guam 96910

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  B. HPLO-SOP-12
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  E. HPLO-SOP-24
VI. **GBAHE COMPLAINTS**
  A. GBAHE-CO-22-03 Received 02/21/22
  B. GBAHE-CO-25-09 Received 04/29/25
VII. **NEW BUSINESS**
  A. **Review and discussion of Superior Court Decision and Writ of Mandate (SP0066-26) Nice v. GBAHE.**
    i. Letter to AAG L. Paul Sirmans (Received 10/18/26)
    ii. Review and discussion of Staff Report
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    iv. LMFT Intern Application and Credentials Review
    v. Approval to Sit for MFT Exam
    vi. Supervisor Eligibility and Hour Recognition
    vii. Monthly Hour Submission Guideline Review
    viii. Complaints: GBAHE-CO-25-04 and GBAHE-CO-25-05
    ix. GBAHE Online Provider Directory
    x. Employer Communication Clarification
    xi. Review and approval of minutes
  B. **Approval of Clinical Supervisor**
  C. **Initial Applications**
  D. **Renewal Applications**
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ii. Review and discussion of Staff Report

iii. LMHC Intern Application and Credentials Review
a. Withdraw the separate, non-overlapping 6,000-hour requirement from M. Nice's file and confirm in writing that the restriction was imposed in error.
b. Formally confirm that qualifying post-graduate hours may be concurrently credited toward dual licenses (pursuant to 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 §§ 121302(b)(1)(B) and 121303(b)(1)(B)) provided statutory and supervisor

121302(b)(1)(B) and 121303(b)(1)(B)) provided statutory and supervisor requirements are met.
c. Consider publishing clear, standardized guidance for future LMHC applicants regarding exam eligibility timing relative to post-graduate hours.

iv. LMFT Intern Application and Credentials Review
a. Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming the validity of M. Nice's MFT-Intern license (LMFTI-002).
b. Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
c. If an adverse action is proposed, ensure review by unconflicted members and issue a written decision citing specific statutory provisions.
d. Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

v. Approval to Sit for MFT Exam
a. Vote on vacating the June 6, 2025 board meeting rescission and confirming formal Board approval for M. Nice to sit for the national MFT examination.
b. Review outstanding coursework requirement (Career and Lifestyle Development under 10 GCA Chapter 12 Article 13 § 121303 (b)(1)(A).
c. Consider publishing and standardizing governing MFT exam eligibility criteria for all applicants.

vi. Supervisor Eligibility and Hour Recognition
a. Re-evaluate Dr. Julienne Shin’s eligibility under P.L. 37-142 § 10407(d)(1) (3-year Guam licensure requirement).
b. Re-evaluate Joleen Baza’s eligibility and address the business partnership conflict determination and re-evaluate crediting of qualifying hours accrued at Ohala’ Adoptions and Perfect Place LLC.

vii. Monthly Hour Submission Guideline Review
a. Discuss and vote on the administrative preference vs. statutory mandate for monthly hour filings.
b. Vote to withdraw any hour denials or penalties applied to M. Nice's application based solely on missing monthly submission deadlines.

viii. Complaints: GBAHE-CO-25-04 and GBAHE-CO-25-05
a. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-04
b. Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05
Vote to amend the 8/1/2025 minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).

ix. GBAHE Online Provider Directory

a. HPL Administrator to discuss the GBAHE Provider Directory policy regarding intern listings.

x. Employer Communication Clarification

a. Discuss the January 23, 2026 letter sent to the Dean of UOG CLASS regarding title usage ("Doctor in Psychology").
b. Vote on issuing an official clarification letter to UOG stating whether any formal complaint, disciplinary finding, or Board action exists on record.

xi. Review and approval of minutes

a. Update all affected past meeting minutes based on Board re-vote determinations.

a. 06/06/25
b. 08/01/25
c. 01/16/26

b. Vote to amend the 8/1/2025 minutes to correctly reflect R. Taitingfong as the seconding member on the motion to close Complaint No. GBAHE-CO-25-05 (instead of N. Cepeda).
c. Vote to amend the 6/6/2025 minutes to correctly reflect V. Harper as the seconding member on the motion to negate license for LMFT-002 (instead of N. Cepeda).
d. Update/revise meeting minutes if actions are changed.

B. Approval of Clinical Supervisor

i. Arriola, Lynette (LPC-150)
Proposed Supervisee(s): Kwon, Peter

C. Initial Applications

Physical Therapist
i. Okafor, Anthonia (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist

ii. Skaggs, Daniel (G. Cruz)

Veterinary Medicine

i. Creeden, Nicole (V. Harper)

D. Renewal Applications – *See attached renewal listing.*

VIII. NEXT BOARD MEETING

A. The next board meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for: **Friday, December 4, 2026 at 12:00 PM**.

IX. ADJOURNMENT: _____

GBAHE 2026 RENEWAL LISTING

Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine
1. Yu, Jong (R. Chong)

Audiologist
1. Koffend, Renee (M. Camacho)
2. Mister, Angela (M. Camacho)

Certified Respiratory Therapist
1. Lucas, Sheri (G. Cruz)
2. Ngiraklang, Geraldo (G. Cruz)

Chiropractic
1. Arthur, Steve (G. Miller)
2. Gates, Amy (G. Miller)
3. Miller, Gregory (V. Harper)

Dietitian/Nutritionist
1. Azucena, Sharon (C. San Nicolas)
2. Gersaniba, Maria Perpetua (C. San Nicolas)
3. Mary, Kristy Joy (C. San Nicolas)
4. San Nicolas, Catherine (G. Miller)

Licensed Mental Health Counselor Intern
1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Marriage and Family Therapist Intern
1. Nice, Millie (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist
1. Abanilla, Nadia Lynn (R. Taitingfong)
2. Benson, Laura (R. Taitingfong)
3. Bradley, Jordan (R. Taitingfong)
4. Buan, Ma Louella (R. Taitingfong)
5. Cooney, Jessica (R. Taitingfong)
6. Gardner, Lindsay (R. Taitingfong)
7. Gaudio, Johanna (R. Taitingfong)
8. Gorniewicz, Ashley (R. Taitingfong)
9. Lee, Steven (R. Taitingfong)
10. Legaspi, Wendy (R. Taitingfong)
11. Legaspi, Richard (R. Taitingfong)
12. Mariano, Ligaya (R. Taitingfong)
13. Pesigan, Albert Johann (R. Taitingfong)
14. Powell, Aubrie (R. Taitingfong)

15. Summerville, Sarah (R. Taitingfong)
16. Tate, Jo Ann (R. Taitingfong)
17. Taitingfong, Rosalind (G. Miller)
18. Williams, Michelle (R. Taitingfong)

Occupational Therapist Assistant

1. Aylor, Joannah Grace (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist

1. Ada, Tasi Ann (R. Taitingfong)
2. Aquino, Megan Julyne (R. Taitingfong)
3. Badowski, Pawel (R. Taitingfong)
4. Black, Joel (R. Taitingfong)
5. Carlo, Romulo (R. Taitingfong)
6. Claros, Ryan Robert (R. Taitingfong)
7. Cunanan, Ma. Fara Diva (R. Taitingfong)
8. Datu, Arlene (R. Taitingfong)
9. Fekula, Natlie (R. Taitingfong)
10. Golez, Rolan (R. Taitingfong)
11. Guerrero, Johnathan (R. Taitingfong)
12. Lowe, Sofia (R. Taitingfong)
13. Mallari, Jehn Reiko (R. Taitingfong)
14. Mallari, Jonne Allen (R. Taitingfong)
15. Pajela, Richard Paul (R. Taitingfong)
16. Paragas, Alexandria (R. Taitingfong)
17. Park, Zane (R. Taitingfong)
18. Santos, Isaias (R. Taitingfong)

Physical Therapist Assistant

1. Adajar, Christopher (R. Taitingfong)
2. Galang, Ruedel (R. Taitingfong)
3. Matias, Nino Jesus (R. Taitingfong)
4. Roque, Angelito (R. Taitingfong)

Registered Respiratory Therapist

1. Esguerra, (G. Cruz)
2. Lizama, Daleina (G. Cruz)
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