

These minutes have not been approved by the Board.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Board of Behavior Analysts

April 17, 2025

1. ROLL CALL

The meeting of the Board of Behavior Analysts was called to order by Victoria Bock, Chair, at 9:04 a.m., in the Goldenrod Room, Nebraska State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska. In accordance with § 84-1411 of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, copies of the agenda were 1) emailed to the Board members and other interested parties, 2) posted on the DHHS web site at <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx>, and 3) posted on the bulletin board in the Nebraska State Office Building Lobby on 1/7/2025.

The following members answered roll call:

Members Present (5):

Victoria Bock, Chair, Member
Lori Nickels, Member
Kyle Dawson, Vice-Chair, Member
Mandi Reinders, Secretary, Member
Steven Taylor, Member

Members Absent (0):

Staff and Others Present (5):

Sean Loving, Program Manager, Licensure Unit
Katherine Amyot, DHHS Dept Legal
Jessica Dean, Health Licensing Coordinator
Milissa Johnson Wiles, Assistant Attorney General
A quorum was present, and the meeting convened.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOTION: Reinders moved, seconded by Taylor, to approve the agenda. A voice vote was taken. Voting aye: Bock, Dawson, Nickels, Reinders, Taylor (5). Voting nay: none (0). Absent: (0). Motion carried

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (1.16.25)

MOTION: Dawson moved, seconded by Bock, to approve the minutes. A voice vote was taken. Voting aye: Bock, Dawson, Nickels, Reinders, Taylor (5). Voting nay: none (0). Absent: (0). Motion carried

4. Public Comments:

No public comments.

5. Updates/Reports

a. Legislation - Loving mentioned not any movement on legislation right now.

Loving discussed receiving a lot of calls and emails about Behavior Technicians. Bock discussed what the Behavior Technician job duties are and the history on why it is not a license type.

Bock spoke on Nebraska Medicaid changes and a Legislation Bill.

Dawson spoke about the possibility of a registry for Behavior Technician and the options for a registry/licensing option.

b. Statistics

Taylor spoke about the regulations and if they are approved.

6. ADJOURNMENT

Loving announced the next meeting is scheduled for July 17, 2025, and declared the meeting adjourned at 10:02 am.

Summarized by:
Sean Loving, Program Manager