A Guide to Supervision

For

Licensed Master Social Workers

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Preface

The purpose of this publication, A Guide to Supervision for Licensed Master Social Workers, is to provide an understanding of concept of supervision and to provide clarity as to the content, processes, and forms required for the licensure of certified social workers in the State of Mississippi. The information in this publication is intended as a guide to facilitate the procedures associated with this professional development opportunity available to Licensed Master Social Workers (LMSWs). The Mississippi State Board of Examiners for Social Workers and Marriage & Family Therapists (MBOE) hopes that this publication will be used by licensed, registered, or perspective certified social work supervisors and their supervisees (licensed master social workers), as an aid in furthering the professional growth of competent practitioners in the field of social work in our State.

Supervision

Supervision is both an administrative and educational process involving a partnership between a supervisor and a supervisee. The specific purpose of supervision, as set forth in the <u>Rules and Regulations Regarding the Licensing of Social Workers and Marriage & Family Therapists</u> is as follows:

"Professional supervision for the LCSW candidate is intended to enhance professional development and competency, and equip the applicant for autonomous practice".

The aim of the relationship is to enhance and strengthen the supervisee's professional knowledge, skills, and abilities. The supervisee's daily execution and performance of his or her assigned duties, responsibilities and job tasks should be discussed with the selected Board approved supervisor in order to accomplish the aforementioned aim.

LMSW Supervision Process

The following steps should be followed by an LMSW interested in completing the requirements for supervision to attain Licensed Certified Social Worker (LCSW) designation:

- 1. A Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW) in good standing with the Mississippi Board of Examiners (MBOE) must submit an Application to Enter Into Contract for Supervision Toward Licensed Certified Social Worker Status, along with specified processing fee of \$80.00 (see Attachment A). This fee should be made payable to the MBOE.
- 2. The LMSW must engage the services of an MBOE approved licensed, certified social worker to complete Step 1. Should an LMSW not be able to secure the services of such a provider, the applicant is encouraged to contact the MBOE to obtain a list of eligible supervisors.
- 3. Should an LMSW wish to be supervised by a non-Board approved LCSW, the LCSW will have to complete the supervisory approval process prior to engaging in supervision (refer to page 6 Requirements for Supervisor).
- 4. Pending the securement of an LCSW supervisor with MBOE approval/registration, the applicant and supervisor should develop a Plan of Supervision for the supervisee. The Suggested Outline for the Plan of Supervision Form incorporates the acknowledgment by the supervisor to supervise the LMSW in accordance with the rules set forth by the MBOE (see Attachment A). It is recommended that the supervisee refer to the LMSW Plan of Supervision Narrative Explication for guidance in completing the Plan (see pages 10-13). The completed Plan should then be submitted to the Social Work Discipline Specific Committee (SWDSC) of the MBOE for approval. *Only after receipt of correspondence acknowledging that approval has been granted by the Board, can the supervisory process commence.* The SWDSC reserves the right to request explanations

- or plans of correction at any point. Additionally, the first evaluation form will be included with the approval letter.
- 5. For supervisors and supervisees who are not employed within the same agency, there must be a written plan approved by the Board to address how the LCSW Supervisor will insure that the face to face supervision is observed or carried out. Such face to face supervision must include on-site visits to the supervisees practice location at least once per six (6) month supervision period. Also, when a supervisee changes employment or employer during their supervision period, he or she must submit a revised plan of supervision to reflect that change under the "Agency Profile section" of the plan.

Supervision may include alternate means of supervision by audio or audiovisual electronic device provided there is direct, interactive, live exchange between the supervisor and supervisee or provided that communication is verbally or visually interactive between the supervisor and the supervisee. No more than one-fourth (1/4) of the required hours may be by alternate means to direct face-to-face contact for a total of twenty-five (25) hours;

- Evaluations are to be completed by the supervisor during consultative sessions with the 6. LMSW supervisee (see Attachment B). The supervisory process requires a minimum of one hour per week of face-to-face supervision for a minimum period of twenty-four (24) months. This equates to a total of one hundred (100) hours of required supervision. The period of supervision may not exceed thirty-six (36) months. Within 60 days prior to the end of the 36 month supervision time period, the supervisor or supervisee must notify the Board in writing of any extenuating circumstances (i.e. Major Medical Issues, Loss of Employment, Family Crisis, etc), anticipated by the supervisor and/or supervisee that would require an extension of the supervisory period. Any request for an extension of the supervision period must be accompanied by supporting evidence of the extenuating circumstances. An extension will be limited to six months beyond the thirty-six (36) month maximum. Retroactive requests for extensions will be considered on a case-bycase basis. Supervisees may receive up to four (4) hours supervision credit for developing the supervisor plan collaboratively with their prospective supervisors. During the supervision period, you must complete a minimum of one thousand (1,000) hours of face to face client contact. This will be documented on the Verification of Face to Face Client Contact Form and submitted with your termination of supervision materials. Pending SWDSC receipt and approval conformation, evaluations are to be submitted on the following scheduled basis:
 - a. First evaluation is to be submitted in six (6) months.
 - b. Second evaluation is to be submitted in twelve (12) months.
 - c. Third evaluation is to be submitted in eighteen (18) months. The confirmation letter from the SWDSC approving receipt of this evaluation should include the following:
 - i. the final evaluation form

- ii. the Termination of Supervision Form (see Attachment C)
- iii. the required form for the *three* requested Professional References (see Attachment D)
- iv. an application for LCSW designation (see Attachment E)
- v. VERIFICATION OF FACE TO FACE CLIENT CONTACT FORM (see Attachment H)
- d. Fourth evaluation is to be submitted in twenty-four (24) months, accompanied by the Termination of Supervision Form, verification of face to face client contact form, the three required reference letters, and the application for LCSW licensure status.

Supervisors should be reminded that an explanation will be requested by the SWDSC if some supervisee scores all 10's, especially on the first evaluation. Supervisory comments are mandatory and are to be noted in the designated place for each evaluative tool submitted. The SWDSC reserves the right to request explanations or plans for correction at any point.

- 7. Upon arrival, the MBOE will send the LMSW applicant a letter to take the clinical exam. The supervisee and supervisor together are encouraged to review the Clinical Examination Content Outline in the ASWB Candidate Handbook before they apply to take the ASWB exam. Applicants for the LCSW exam can take this exam every ninety (90) days. After four (4) failed exam attempts, the candidate may appeal to the Board to be able to continue to take the exam and the Board may recommend remedial techniques to assist with continuing competency.
- 8. Upon receipt of the passing score and pending Board approval, the applicant will receive his or her LCSW license.

Requirements for Supervisors

To assist the LMSW in the process of identifying a potential supervisor that will contribute to the overall learning and purview of the licensee, a selected supervisor must have the following qualifications and meet the indicated requirements:

- 1. A supervisor must have LCSW status and maintain that license in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi.
- 2. An eligible approved supervisor must have a minimum of two years of verifiable practice at the LCSW level.
- 3. Approved supervisors should maintain copies of supervisee's evaluations and documentation pertaining to the supervisor/supervisee relationship for a period of three calendar years.

- 4. A potential supervisor's credentials must be approved by the SWDSC and he or she is considered registered to be eligible to provide supervision. This process requires that an application (see Attachment F) and a one-time \$55.00 fee be made payable to MBOE.
- 5. It will be considered unethical for an LCSW without clinical expertise to engage in the supervision of an LMSW candidate seeking to become a clinician.
- 6. No plan of supervision will be approved if the contracted supervisor is supervising more than seven (7) licensed master social workers pursuing LCSW status. Individual supervision shall mean a maximum of two (2) supervisees meeting with one (1) supervisor. Group supervision shall mean a maximum of seven (7) supervisees meeting with one (1) supervisor
- 7. Supervision must occur within an agency, institution, or group practice setting. An LMSW practicing independently outside of an agency, institution, or group practice setting will be practicing outside Board regulations. The LMSW candidate will not be considered a candidate for LCSW supervision and will face disciplinary action.

How to Change Supervisors

Since extenuating circumstances do arise and it may become necessary for a candidate to change supervisors, the following steps should be followed to ensure continuity:

- 1. The LMSW candidate should confer with the terminating supervisor to make sure that an Evaluation Form and a Termination of Supervision Form have been completed. The Termination of Supervision Form should specify the number of hours of supervision completed, the period of supervision, and the reason for the dissolution of the supervisor/supervisee relationship.
- 2. The aforementioned documents must be forwarded to the SWDSC for review within thirty (30) days of the termination.
- 3. The SWDSC will then review the submitted documents to determine whether the period of supervision and the number of hours supervised are verifiable to date.
- 4. When the applicant receives correspondence from the SWDSC acknowledging the termination of a supervisor, if supervision is to be continued with another supervisor, a new application, a supervisory contract with needed revisions must be submitted for SWDSC review.

Suggestions to Enhance the Supervisory Experience

The National Association of Social Workers' (NASW) Code of Ethics should be referenced in guiding the conduct of both parties throughout the duration of this professional development

relationship. The review of the following sections of the <u>NASW Code of Ethics</u> is critical in the establishment of the supervisory relationship:

Section III: The Social Worker's Ethical Responsibility to Colleagues

Section IV: The Social Worker's Ethical Responsibility to Employers and Employing

Organization

Section V: The Social Worker's Ethical Responsibility to the Social Work Profession

It is important to understand that the rules of confidentiality do apply to this relationship. The boundaries governing the content of the consultative sessions between the supervisor and supervisee should be firmly established at the beginning of the partnership. It is imperative that confidentiality is thoroughly discussed and understood by both parties involved; then, the ensuring premises should then be made part of the supervisory contract.

Supervisors and supervisees should be clear as to the roles and responsibilities of both parties with a mutual acceptance of these shared responsibilities. Specifics related to fulfilling these responsibilities (i.e., scheduling of conferences, prior preparation, use of conferences) should be agreed upon at the beginning of the supervisory relationship.

Both parties, with the supervisor carrying the major responsibility, should assess the supervisee's learning needs and patterns, capabilities, and any learning challenges. A recognition of the needs and reactions of both parties related to authority and dependency should be included in the process. The rationale for an educational assessment is to provide guidance to: 1) determine the goals of supervision; 2) for the supervisor to share knowledge and experience; and 3) to incorporate measures appropriate to the supervisee's needs and abilities. This assessment should be fluid and responsive to changes in the supervisee's job performance.

A climate of mutual respect and trust must be developed for both to share relevant thoughts, experiences and emotional reactions. The supervisory relationship should permit freedom to challenge, differ, experiment, and make and share mistakes. The supervisor should present a responsible and reliable professional model and simultaneously guard against any tendency to mold the supervisee into his or her image or to encourage compliant submission to suggestions.

The supervisor is also responsible for stimulating critical self-evaluative thought by the supervisee. Conceptual thinking should also encourage the transfer of learning from new or unexpected occurrences. Ultimately, substantiated evaluation of a supervisee's performance should be conducted on an ongoing basis.

Obligations

As cited in the 1993-94 Report of the National Council on the Practice of Clinical Social Work to the National Association of Social Workers addressing the role of supervisors in clinical practice, the obligatory considerations of a professional development supervisor to a supervisee include the following:

Supervisors' Obligations

- ❖ Provide documentation of supervisory qualifications to supervisee or auspice governing the supervisory context.
- ❖ Provide oversight and guidance in addressing concerns of the supervisee with regard to client.
- ❖ Evaluate the supervisee's role and conceptual understanding in the treatment process and his or her use of a theoretical base and social work principles.
- Conduct supervision as a process distinct from personal therapy or didactic instruction.
- ❖ Provide supervision in the agreed upon format (as documented in the submitted LMSW Plan for Supervision).
- ❖ Maintain documentation of supervision (see Attachment G).
- Provide periodic evaluation of supervisee.
- ❖ Provide documentation for supervisee to meet the requirements of supervision.
- ❖ Identify practices posing a danger to the health and welfare of the supervisees' clients or to the public.
- ❖ Identify supervisee's inability to practice with skill and safety due to illness (i.e., excessive use of alcohol, drugs, narcotics, chemicals or any other substance, or as a result of any mental or physical condition).

Supervisees' Obligations

- ❖ Participate in the supervisory process to the best of one's ability.
- ❖ Participate in the development of the learning plan to include formulating goals, learning needs, and citing professional strengths and challenges.
- Prepare for sessions.
- ❖ Seek critical professional feedback and evaluation from the supervisor.
- ❖ Seek knowledge regarding additional resources and collegial contacts.
- ❖ Maintain documentation throughout the course of the supervisory experience in possibly log format indicating the date, length of the supervisory sessions, synopsis of material discussed at each session.

Reminder

In an effort to adhere to the precepts in the NASW Code of Ethics and to refrain from the appearance of impropriety and guard against possible conflicts of interests, it is recommended that a supervisor not supervise anyone with whom he or she has a romantic, domestic, or familiar relationship. This includes parents, spouses, former spouses, siblings, children, or anyone sharing the same household.

Disclaimer

In conclusion, the Mississippi State Board of Examiners for Social Workers and Marriage & Family Therapists does not recommend, endorse, prescribe, or promote the establishment of compensation agreements for supervision. As researched by NASW, there seems to be no

standard fee schedule for supervision; however, if fees are charged, it is usually based on an hourly rate. Such contracts should indicate whether the charges applied are for each session or is for a flat rate payable to specific intervals (i.e., monthly, quarterly, annually).

Mandated Outline Content for the LMSW Plan of Supervision

LMSWs should review the content of the attached narrative outline in order to fully address each item adequately. The respective Plan of Supervision developed by the supervisee in consultation with the supervisor, should guide the course of discussion, consultation, and study. In addition, upon the completion of supervision, the content of the document can be used by the LMSW in the pursuit of additional professional educational experiences (i.e., on resumes, job interviews, employment applications, for promotions, etc.).

The suggested outline for the LMSW Plan of Supervision should address, in detail, the following topics, as related to the potential supervisee's area of practice and interests.

<u>Orientation</u> <u>Pro</u>	fessional Development	<u>Practice Context</u>
Purpose of Supervision Goals for Supervision	Knowledge Skills	Application of Theory Commitment to Learning
Agency Profile:	Values	and Service
History	Administration	Priorities in Practice
Services	Policy	Responsibilities to Clients to
Mission	Research	Agency and Community
Organization		
Fiscal Base		
Accountability		

Orientation

Purpose of Supervision

Discuss the purpose of entering this plan of supervision and contract with your LCSW supervisor. There is the obvious purpose of obtaining your LCSW status, however, it is also important to speak to the learning aspects of the supervisory experience as well.

Goals for Supervision

Discuss how you will work together with your supervisor to successfully complete your two year period of supervision, how you will work together to show and evaluate learning progress, and how this period of supervision and study will prepare you to work at the more advanced level of LCSW.

Agency Profile: In this section you will need to describe your agency and/or

organization in detail. Please cover the following at a minimum.

History Provide a brief historical description of your agency, including

when it was started, how it was started, and how it has developed

and progressed over the years.

Services Describe specifically the services provided by your agency and the

population it serves.

Mission What is the mission of your agency, what is it attempting to

accomplish in the delivery of its services in terms of outcomes

with the population it serves.

Organization Discuss the organizational structure of the agency, providing a

description of the board, if applicable, or other oversight authority, key personnel involved in administration and service delivery, and any other information that might provide insight into the

organization. Provide an organizational chart of your agency.

Fiscal Base How is your agency funded? Describe the funding sources.

Accountability To whom or what is your agency accountable in terms of effective

service delivery and integrity in the use of funds.

Professional Development

Knowledge What areas of knowledge do you hope to expand during

supervision in order to become a more effective practitioner, i.e., individual and family functioning, diagnostic categories, dynamics of human behavior, various service delivery systems such as child welfare, health and mental health, knowledge of community

systems, etc.

Skills What skills do you plan to work on and improve during

supervision. Be specific with your description, i.e., assessment and diagnosis, interviewing, verbal and written communication,

teaching, etc.

Values How will social work ethics be a part of your practice during

supervision. How will you protect and preserve a clients right to privacy and confidentiality, right to be self-determining, etc. One suggestion is that you use the *NASW Code of Ethics* as a guide in developing this area. You should cover any possible liability issues that might arise, keeping in mind that both you as the

supervisee and your LCSW supervisor have responsibility for the consequences of your work.

Administration

How will you interact with the administration of your agency during supervision? Will resource development, supervision, and program management responsibilities be a part of your plan?

Policy

Will your supervisory plan affect the policy of your agency? What would you like to learn about policy and policy development during this time? Are policies, regulations, and laws a barrier to effective practice and will you address any of these areas and, if so, how?

Fiscal

What will you learn about the budgeting processes associated with your agency or the business side of private practice? Will you have the opportunity to learn about how budgets are developed each year, either in a government agency or individual private practice?

Research

Will you be making research a part of your plan? If so, in what way will it be conducted and what will be the overall focus and purpose? Will clients be protected? Remember that record keeping, reporting, and data collection and aggregation are forms of research.

Practice Content

Application of Theory

What theories will you be applying during supervision. You should be specific about these and identify them by name, i.e., general systems theory, reality based theories, psychotherapy, etc., How will you apply these theories and in what settings, i.e., with individuals and families, groups, institutions, agency administration, etc.

Priorities in Practice

What will be your priorities for practice during supervision? On what area will you concentrate? Be specific in your description.

Responsibilities to the Clients, to the Agency and the Community

How will you balance and maintain your responsibilities to your clients, the agency and the community as you focus on the learning process? Can you assure that service will continue and that the best interests of these entities will continue to be served?

Commitment to Learning

and Service

As you enter this plan of supervision, will you have a continuous commitment to learning and service. Will your purpose be to learn and grow as a professional in order to better serve your current client population as well as others you may serve in the future?

ATTACHMENTS

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Application to Enter into Contract for Supervision toward Licensed Certified Social Worker Status

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I. Personal Information LMSW	License NoSS N	lo
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II. Education Information		
Degree Conferred	Date Degree	Conferred
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III. Employment Information		
Current EmployerAddress		
II. Prospective LCSW Supervisor	LCSW No Appro	ved Supervisor's No
Name as appears on LCSW license _ Name if different from above Current Home Address		
III. Declaration of Applicant: "I und a license as a Licensed Certified Soci Social Work Code of Ethics and withi States. I further agree to keep my LM	al Worker. I declare that I am win the boundaries of the laws of t	lling to practice within the spirit of the the State of Mississippi of the United
Signed	Date	

Instructions: Mail the completed form to the Social Work Discipline Specific Committee at the above address, accompanied by a \$80.00 processing fee. Money orders should be made payable to the Board of Examiners.

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MANDATED OUTLINE FOR PLAN OF SUPERVISION

Attach a written, detailed plan of supervision, including, but not limited to, the following:

Practice Context:

Application of Theory

Professional Development:

Knowledge

Orientation:

Purpose of supervision

Goals for supervision	Skills	Commitment to learning
Agency Profile:	Values	and service
History	Administration	Priorities in Practice
Services Mission	Policy Research	Responsibilities to Clients
Mission Organization	Research	to agency, and community
Fiscal Base		
Accountability		
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Signed:	Date	:
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for a period of three years		y to the supervisee, and a copy maintained in my files by either party, I will promptly complete the Board of Examiners.
within the Social Work Co	ode of Ethics and within the bour	ing, at the LCSW level, and am willing to practice ndaries of the laws of the State of Mississippi and the good standing throughout the process of this
Signed		Approved Supervisor's No
Date		
Instructions: Return to the and processing fee.	ne applicant for submission to th	e Board of Examiners, along with his/her application

Evaluation	#	1	2	3	4	(circle your answer)

	Supervisee:	License#	
Supervisor:		Approved Supervisor#	
		Date Completed:	



LCSW SUPERVISION EVALUATION FORM

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Each area of performance should be rated by circling the number that most accurately describes the performance of the supervisee. In the evaluation form, the word "client" is a generic term representing individuals, groups, agencies, and/or communities

(This source of evaluation is used by permission of the Louisiana State Board of Certified Social Work Examiners.)

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Quality of Social Work Performance in relation to other professionals and/or agencies: Benea arespect and productive Benea arespect and productive client-oriented outcomes from interactions with other professionals and/or agencies are allowing subjectivity artifer ancod/affect to interfere with work and professional performance.	ABLE TO OBSERVE	Frequent substantiated complaints about quality of services or behavior which has negative impact on client systems, social work profession, professional/personal reputation, other professionals and agencies.	Has occasional problems which conflict with professional or agency standards resulting in negative consequences.	Quality of work performance remains at an arceptable level when problems interfere with work performance inflates corrective action.	Work performance and relationships with other productive outcomes.	Demonstrates exemplary work performance and relationships which are frequently substantiated in formal and informal contacts with other clients/agencles/professionals.
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Ability to prepare for and use experivision: recognizes and accepts role of learner; reflects on and generalizes learning from one experience to another; profitably uses supervisor feedback.	NOT ABLE TO OBSERVE	Accepts supervision only when forced, afflude remains negative.	Uses scheduled supervisory conferences, but is retuciant to seek field; Non-sportaneous towards supervision.	Prepares for scheduled conferences and inflates conferences. Performance Indicates use of supervisory interchange.	is consistently prepared for supervision, work indicates maximum use of supervision.	Creative. Able to present thoughtful, detailed analysis of options to superivisor. Realistic in accepting limitations in resources.
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Commitment to Social Work profession, its values and ethics.	NOT ABLE TO OBSERVE	Makes derogatory comments about the profession, does not adtree to basic social work values, violates ethical standards.	Sometimes positive in attitudes towards profession. Usually is guided in professional practice by social work value base. Usually obes not violate professional ethical standards.	Supports social work as a profession. Consistent in acherence to social work values and ethical standards.	Member of professional organizations. Positive in comments and actions concerning the profession. Consistent in adherence to professional values and ethical standards.	Leader in professional organizations; works to enhance the professional images of social work. Strict adherence to and promotion of professional values and ethical standards.
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Self discipline: Ability to structure time and resources; effective ordinarisation of personal characteristics and feelings to obtain maximum benefit of resources for client. Examples: follows through on referrals and work assignments; adheres to time contribuents; prompt, organized and concise in record keeping.	NOT ABLE TO OBSERVE	Subject of frequent complaints regarding quality of service and/or negative consequences for client.	Some complaints and/or less than- expected cut-come caused by kimited ability to use personal resources.	Acceptable use of self to incorporate feedback to achieve expected outcome. Acceptable use of self in achieving expected outcome, ability to incorporate feedback to achieve expected outcome.	Ability to use self in promoting positive outcomes for the client in most instances.	Consistently effective in use of self to achieve positive outcome even in adverse situations.
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Self Evakation: Ability to objectively identify and assess own behaviors, feelings, beliefs, to impact upon service delivery.	NOT ABLE TO OBSERVE	Does not demonstrate ability to evaluate self and rarely acknowledges the need to evaluate.	Limited awareness of own behaviors, feelings, and beliefs which impact upon professional performance.	Acceptable level of self-awareness and flexibility.	Consistently demonstrates self- awareness in assessing professional performance.	Demonstrates organing self-evaluation and adeptation of self to promote positive outcome.
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lease make additional comments:(required)	
	
Date and Location of Onsite Visit:	
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	Signature of Supervisor / Date
	This evaluation has been discussed with me and I have received a copy of it.

Mail Evaluation To:

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Full legal name of Supervisee	Supervisor
Address	LCSW Supervisor No
-	Date Completed
Work telephone number	Attachment C

Termination of Supervision

Geı	General Instructions to supervisors completing this	form:			
A.	A. Please complete all items.				
B.	3. The Board assumes that you, in recommen	nding this ca	ndidate, will be wi	lling to substantiate to the	
	Board your recommendation, should this	Board desire	to contact you at a	later date.	
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2.	Supervisee's duties and responsibilities:				
3. -	. Reason for termination of supervision:				
4.	Extent of knowledge of supervisee's profe		ethical behaviors: Thorough		
	Please check the appropriate box if supervisee has completed 100 hours of supervisee I highly recommend	vision at one		`	
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6.	. Please submit a completed evaluation form	n along with	this Termination of	of Supervision.	

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Supervisors Information

Name and title of Supervisor:		
(please print)	
Employment address:		
(Company)		
(Street address)		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)
Work Telephone number:		
Number of applicants I am supervising at this time:		
Signature of supervisor:	Date:	
Signature of supervisor: Comments:		
Comments		

After completion, mail to:

Board of Examiners P. O. Box 4508 Jackson, MS 39296-4508

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CONFIDENTIAL PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE FOR LCSW CANDIDATE FOR LICENSURE

Notice to Applicant: Applicant for LCSW must submit with the final evaluation forms, three (3) complete professional references from appropriate professionals. **One (1) must be completed by a LCSW. THE LCSW SUPERVISOR WHO HAS BEEN IN A CONTRACT WITH THE APPLICANT BELOW CANNOT OR MUST NOT COMPLETE THIS FORM.**

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Yes

applicant?

Initial License Application

(Use for Social Work Licensure/ Student Approval to Take ASWB Examination)
(Please type or print in ink)

Date: _		_ (Please use legal na	me that is ide	entified or	ı your Drive	r's license	or Social S	Security Card)
Name:								
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	Name of College or U	niversity:						
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7.	Have you ever been licensed as a social worker in this state? If yes, what was your license number:				Yes	
8.	Have you ever been licensed or registered as a social worl If yes, complete the Reciprocity Information/ Endorsement of current or previous licensure.	No e(s)		Yes		
9.	Have you ever had a professional license revoked, suspening any way? If yes, has the decree changed? Attach a full of	No		Yes		
10.	Has any court ever declared you mentally incompetent? If attach an full explanation.	No		Yes		
11.	Have you ever been arrested, or charged, or sentenced for Offense. Received deferred judgement for the commissio moral turpitude in the United States or foreign country? If	n of a felony, or any crime inv	olving		Yes	
12.	Have you knowingly failed to renew a license during inve	stigation or disciplinary action	n? No		Yes	
13.	I understand that licensure as a social worker requires the following information to be completed and submitted to the Board for review:: Form 266, Form 267- verification of education, successful FBI background results and passing score on the applicable No Yes ASWB examination.					
14.	I understand that my application for licensure as a LS abandoned if the ASWB exam has not been attempted date on which the application was filed. An application abandoned if the ASWB exam has not been attempted wit on which the Board approved the termination of supervisi application shall be treated as a new application.	within six (6) months from t for LCSW shall be considered hin six months from the date	he		Yes	
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	You Facing Forward		MS Board of Examiners for SW/MFT Post Office Box 4508			

(Application cannot be processed without photo. Photocopies will not be accepted. The photo must be an original of you facing forward.)

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Application for Certification as a LCSW Supervisor

Please Type or Print			
I. Personal Information	LCSW License NO	SS No	
License expiration date:	 		
Name as appears on your L	.CSW license		
Name if different from above		Date of Birth	
Current Mailing Address			
Current Employer		Tel. ()_	
Address			
II. Board Approved LCSW	Supervisor Training		
Completion of a Board appr supervision training must be trainers must be an approve Certificate as documentation	e approved by the Board in ed LCSW supervisor. Pleas	order to be considered	for this purpose. Supervision
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APPROVE	FOR BOARD I	USE ONLY ROVED DATE:	
	ASSIGNED SUPERVISOR ID	No	

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Verification of Post Clinical Practice in Social Work

(If applicant has had more than one employer, please submit a completed form for each employer.)

To be completed by applicant seeking LCSW Supervisor status: Name_____ License # _____ Address City State Zip Phone Street Place of Employment _____ Address City Zip State Street Phone Department_____ Position/Title_____ Dates practiced to TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYER I the undersigned do affirm that the applicant listed above has practiced as a clinical level (Seal) social worker at this setting during the time frame described above. Subscribed and sworn to me this Print or type Employer's Name Employer's Signature ____ day of _____, 20___. Date (Notary Public)

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STEPS TO BECOMING A LCSW SUPERVISOR

- 1. Hold a current (not- expired), LCSW license in good standing (no disciplinary actions).
- 2. Completion of a Board approved supervision course for a minimum of sixteen hours (16) hours and submit your Certificate of Supervision Training Certificate with your application. All supervision training meet be approved by the Board in order to be considered for this purpose. LCSW Supervisors must receive two (2) hours of continuing education in supervision during each biennial renewal period. No supervision continuing education is required for the first renewal period.
- 3. Submit notarized statements from current and previous employers verifying two years post clinical practice in social work at the LCSW level.
- 4. Submit application and processing fee of \$55, made payable to BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

RULES REGARDING SUPERVISION

- 1. Supervision must be provided by an LCSW holding Board certification.
- 2. Supervisor must maintain his/her license as a LCSW in accordance with licensure laws of the State of Mississippi.
- 3. It shall be considered unethical for an LCSW without clinical expertise to supervise a LMSW candidate seeking to become a clinician.
- 4. No plan of supervision will be approved if the contracted supervisor is supervising more than seven (7) master social workers that are in pursuit of the LCSW.
- 5. Individual supervision shall mean a maximum of two (2) supervisees meeting with one supervisor and group supervision shall mean a maximum of seven (7) supervisees with one supervisor.
- 6. The Supervision period must be for a minimum of twenty-four (24) months and may not exceed thirty-six (36) months. Each six (6) month evaluation period begins the date of the approval letter the Social Work Discipline Specific Committee (SWDSC) mails to the licensee. You will also receive a copy of that letter.

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- 7. Upon completion of their supervision, you as a "Supervisor" having been under contract with the licensee cannot complete a "professional reference" on the same licensee. That would be considered as overkill. Too much information from the one individual.
- 8. For supervisors and supervisees who are not employed within the same agency, there must be a written plan approved by the Board to address how the LCSW Supervisor will insure that the face to face supervision is observed or carried out. Such face to face supervision must include on-site visits to the supervisees practice location at least once per six (6) month supervision period and recorded on the evaluation form.

Supervision may include alternate means of supervision by audio or audiovisual electronic device provided there is direct, interactive, live exchange between the supervisor and supervisee or provided that communication is verbally or visually interactive between the supervisor and the supervisee. No more than one-fourth (1/4) of the required hours may be by alternate means to direct face-to-face contact for a total of twenty-five (25) hours.

Attachment G

SUPERVISOR CONFERENCE VERIFICATION FORM

	QUARTER:
NAME:	LICENSE NUMBER: M

DATE	SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE	Applicant's Initials	Supervisor's Initials
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LCSW SUPERVISION FOR	
SUPERVISOR:	
START DATE:	

DATE	PRIMARY FOCUS	TIME	TOTAL TIME	INITIALS

VERIFICATION OF FACE TO FACE CLIENT CONTACT

Notice to Applicant: Please complete the first section of this form and send a copy to the director or supervisor of each practice site or agency in which you practiced social work following the receipt of the master's or doctoral degree in social work. You need documentation of at least a minimum of one-thousand (1000) hours of face to face client contact.

Applicant's Name				SS#	
Address					
Street	City	State	Zip	Phone	
Practice Site	or Agency_				
Address			State		
	Street	City	State	Zip	Phone
Position/Title	e				
Description of	of Responsib	ilities			
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Date	of Fractice.	N	Month/Year	10	Month/Year
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II. TO BE COMPLETED BY PRACTICE SITE DIRECTOR OR SUPERVISOR

Please review the applicant's described agency. If you have any additional decision on licensure for this application of the second agency.	onal informat	ion which would a	assist the Bo	ard in making a	
I attest that I served as (please indi experience described above and the applicant's clinical experience in s	at this descrip	otion is a true and		_	
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Name of Site		Phone	e		
Address	City	State	Zip		

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Please return this completed form directly to the following Board address:

LMSW SUPERVISION FLOWCHART

<u>Prepare</u>
Read the "A Guide to
Supervision for LMSW".

Step 8

After 24 months, the LMSW submits their final evaluation, termination of supervision, 3 completed professional references, verification of face to face client contact form and initial application form to the SWDSC for approval. Upon approval, the LMSW is sent a letter approving them to sit for the advance or clinical ASWB exam.

Step 1

Find a Board approved LCSW Supervisor. A list of approved supervisors is available online at www.swmft.ms.gov

Or you can find a non-approved LCSW and have them complete the application to become a board approved supervisor.

Supervisors must be approved before plan of supervision can be approved by the Social Work Discipline Specific Committee (SWDSC).

Step7

3rd evaluation is submitted to the SWDSC in six months for review. Upon approval the LMSW will receive approval confirmation, final evaluation form, termination of supervision form, reference request form, and initial application for LCSW designation and the LMSW will began the final 6 month evaluation period.

Step 2

The LMSW and Board approved LCSW supervisor work together to develop a "Plan of Supervision"

Step 3

LMSW must submit the Application to Enter Into Contract for Supervision and the Plan of Supervision to the SWDSC for approval.

<u>Step 6</u>

2nd evaluation is submitted to the SWDSC in six months for review. Upon approval the LMSW will receive approval confirmation and evaluation form and will began the next 6 month evaluation period.

<u>Step 4</u>

Upon approval by the SWDSC, the LMSW is sent an approval letter/start date and the 1st evaluation form. The LMSW is supervised one hour per week for a period of six (6) months.

<u>Step 5</u>

1st evaluation is submitted to the SWDSC in six months for review. Upon approval the LMSW will receive approval confirmation and evaluation form and will began the next 6 month evaluation period.