

**Juvenile Sex Offender Treatment Program Certification Advisory Board  
(JSO Board)**

Meeting Date: March 16, 2016

Present: Dr. Tyfanni Dent, Bridget Ansberg, Justin Burton, Stephanie Weeks, Vincent Roadcap

Absent/Excused: Vanessa Tower, Christine McAlpine, Beth Endres, Detective Lynn Meeks.

Staff: Karla Stallworth, DYS

Guest: None

10:40 AM- Meeting called to order

The Board reviewed and approved February minutes.

The following programs were reviewed for recertification and approved:

**Hopewell-** Compliant for Assessment, Treatment

**Cornell Abraxas** – Compliant for Assessment, Treatment, and Transition

**MST-PSB Family and Community Service-** Compliant\_Pending receipt on confirmation on what situation determines the need for an assessment. Information was received immediately after they were notified. Therefore, they are **compliant** for Assessment and Treatment.

**Board Discussion:**

The board inquired DYS funding a position to audit certified programs. This information was shared with the bureau chief.

**OAC Updates:**

OAC 5139-69-01 No further changes were recommended due to the final approval of the BY-LAWS

OAC 5139-69-02 revisions and recommendations were finalized.

OAC 5139-69-03 With the exception of specific language needed from DYS Clinical staff, all recommendations were finalized. Vanessa Tower will continue to provide updates until the information is obtained. All recommendations for revisions will be presented to DYS legal department at one time.

Dr. Dent provided information about the Juvenile Sex Offender Resource Guide. Their mission is geared towards legislation to assist with sentencing guidelines.

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The Ohio Alliance to End Sexual Violence will roll out information regarding their mission at the Advocacy Conference on 5/5/2016.

Next Meeting: 4/20/2016 10:30am-2:30pm

**Meeting location: 4200 Surface Rd., Columbus, OH 43228 (Willow Room)**

Meetings are open to the public. For information regarding the meeting please contact:

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