

HENSLEY, WHILE EMPLOYED WITH PORTAGE PATH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, AKRON, OH, DURING THE TIME PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY FEBRUARY 1 UP TO MARCH 5, 2010, COMMUNICATED WITH, AND ADDED AS A "FRIEND" CURRENT CLIENTS OF THE AGENCY ON A SOCIAL NETWORKING SITE THAT WAS NOT SECURE AND WAS A PUBLIC SITE. INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE COMMUNICATION COULD HAVE JEOPARDIZED THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CURRENT CLIENTS. THIS INAPPROPRIATE CONDUCT CONSTITUTES A VIOLATION OF OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 4757.36(C)(1) AND ORC SECTION 4757-5-03(A)(2) AND 4757-5-03(A)(4)(B) AND SECTION 4757-5-02(D)(1). Ms. Hensley completed the terms of the consent agreement as of 1/7/2011.

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CONSENT AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

2010 JUN 16 A 11:38
SUSAN D. HENSLEY

AND THE

STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR, SOCIAL WORKER AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD

This CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into by and between SUSAN D. HENSLEY, hereinafter, "HENSLEY," and the STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR, SOCIAL WORKER AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD, hereinafter "BOARD," the state agency charged with enforcing Chapter 4757 of the Ohio Revised Code and all rules promulgated therein.

HENSLEY hereby acknowledges that she has read and understands this CONSENT AGREEMENT and has voluntarily entered into it without threat or promise by the BOARD or any of its members, employees or agents.

HENSLEY is fully aware of her rights, including her right to be advised by counsel and her right to a hearing pursuant to Chapter 119 of the Ohio Revised Code on the issues which are the subject of this CONSENT AGREEMENT.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT contains the entire agreement between the parties, there being no other agreement of any kind, verbal or otherwise, which varies the terms of this CONSENT AGREEMENT.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into on the basis of the following stipulation, admission and understanding:

1. HENSLEY is a licensed independent social worker (I.0010014) licensed in the State of Ohio, and is subject to the laws and rules of Ohio regulating the practice of social work as outlined in Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4757 and Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 4757. HENSLEY received her independent social work license May 21, 2004.
2. HENSLEY, while employed with Portage Path Behavioral Health, Akron Ohio, during the time period of approximately February 1 up until March 5, 2010, communicated with, and added as a "friend", current clients of the agency on a social networking site that was not secure and was a public site. Information contained in the communication could have jeopardized the confidentiality of current clients. This inappropriate conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code Section 4757.36(C) (1) and Ohio Administrative Code Section 4757-5-03(A)(2) and 4757-5-03 (A)(4)(b) and Section 4757-5-02(D)(1).
3. HENSLEY ADMITS the allegation referenced in paragraph 2 above.

Wherefore, in consideration of the foregoing and mutual promises hereinafter set forth, and in lieu of any other formal disciplinary proceedings, **HENSLEY** knowingly and voluntarily agrees with the **BOARD** to the following terms and conditions:

1. **HENSLEY** is required to complete six (6) additional hours in social work ethics, at her expense. The additional hours must be pre-approved by the **BOARD**. **HENSLEY** must contact the **BOARD'S** investigative unit to seek pre-approval. The additional hours must be completed by December 31, 2010. These six (6) additional hours may not be used for the renewal of her independent social work license.
2. **HENSLEY** is prohibited from communicating with current clients on any social networking site.

It is hereby agreed by and between both parties that this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** hereby settles all issues concerning this matter.

By her signature on this **CONSENT AGREEMENT**, **HENSLEY** acknowledges that in the event the **BOARD**, in its discretion, does not approve this **CONSENT AGREEMENT**, this settlement offer is withdrawn and shall be of no evidentiary value and shall not be relied upon or introduced in any disciplinary action or appeal by either party. **HENSLEY** agrees that should the **BOARD** reject this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** and if this case proceeds to hearing, she will assert no claim that the **BOARD** was prejudiced by its review and discussion of this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** or of any information relating thereto. Should the licensee fail to comply with any provisions of this consent agreement, the Board in its discretion, may initiate further disciplinary action pursuant to OAC 4757-11-01C (21).

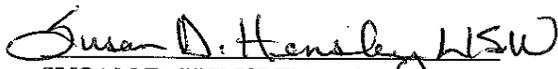
HENSLEY hereby releases the members of the **BOARD**, its officers and employees, jointly and severally, from any and all liability arising from the matter within.

This **CONSENT AGREEMENT** shall be considered a public record as that term is used in Section 149.43 of the Ohio Revised Code. Pursuant to 42 USC Section 132a-73(b), 5 USC Section 552a, 45 CFR part 61 and Ohio Revised Code Section 2301.373(E), the **BOARD** may be required to provide **HENSLEY'S** social security number to requesting governmental agencies.

The **BOARD** shall incorporate this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** into a formal journal entry at its July 16, 2010 meeting.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT shall take effect upon the date of the last signature below:

THE OHIO COUNSELOR,
SOCIAL WORKER AND MARRIAGE AND
FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD


SUSAN D. HENSLEY, LISW

6/12/2010
Date


Susan Norris Huss, Ph.D., PC
Chair, Counselor, Social Worker and Marriage and
Family Therapist Board

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Date

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Date