

APA Designation Committee for Postdoctoral Education and Training Programs in
Psychopharmacology for Prescriptive Authority

**Virtual Meeting Minutes
Open Session
Friday, September 24, 2021**

Present: Julie R. Price, PsyD, MSCP (Chair); Gerardo Rodriguez-Menendez, PhD, ABPP, MSCP (Vice-Chair); Ronald T. Brown, PhD; Richard Gaynor, MD; Elizabeth A. Lonning, PsyD, MSCP; Robert C. Rinaldi, PhD, MA

Absent: None

APA Staff Present: Deborah C. Baker, JD; Catherine Grus, PhD

APA Staff Absent: Sue Orsillo, PhD; Allison Gillens, MPS

3:30PM (ET): Julie R. Price, PsyD, MSCP (Chair) convened the open session.

Agenda Item 07: APA Convention 2021/2022

The RxP Designation Committee discussed their overall thoughts regarding how their programming went for APA Convention 2021 and whether they wish to submit another proposal for APA Convention 2022. For next year's convention potential programming topics included focusing on psychology in general and its relation to quality assurance of psychopharmacology training programs.

Action: Drs. Rodriguez-Menendez and Brown have volunteered to work together on brainstorming a proposal. Dr. Price has also volunteered to assist the two.

Agenda Item 08: Update on RxP Legislative Efforts

Deborah Baker, JD, Director of Legal & Regulatory Policy at APA, provided committee members with an overview of current RxP legislative and regulatory efforts around the country.

Agenda Item 09: Application Submission Deadline for 2022

The Committee considered the submission deadline for applications and interim reports for 2022. Interim reports are due from Fairleigh Dickinson University, Idaho State University, and the Chicago School of Professional Psychology in 2022.

Action: The Committee approved Friday, May 6, 2022 as the deadline for receipt of any applications and interim reports.

Agenda Item 10: Next Meeting Date

The RxP Designation Committee was asked to set the date for its annual 2022 meeting.

Action: The Committee selected September 16, 2022 as their annual meeting date and September 23, 2022 as an additional meeting date if needed.

End of open session minutes