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Behavior Analysis Peer Review Committee

The Behavior Analysis Peer Review Committee (BAPRC) is a committee of six to eight individuals who hold a doctorate from a graduate program specializing in the field of behavior analysis and who have extensive experience in developmental disabilities. The purpose of the committee is to provide expertise in the field of applied behavior analysis (ABA) to the Division of Developmental Disabilities in addressing the needs of the individuals served in an advisory role. This committee provides the following services as requested by the division: advocates best practice standards in the field of applied behavior analysis, insures that behavioral supports services embody the ethical standards of this field, offers technical assistance to regions or provider agencies, conducts on site visits of provider agencies, conducts staff training, and advises the Division of Developmental Disabilities concerning matters of policy, systems, and procedures.

Descriptions of the members of the 2013 BAPRC are listed below.

Chair

Jim Johnston, Ph.D., BCBA

Dr. Johnston received his doctorate from the University of Florida in 1970 and is professor emeritus of psychology at Auburn University. He has conducted both laboratory and field research with both human and non-human species on a variety of topics, ranging from rumination to canine olfaction, including serving as Director of Behavioral Research for the Institute for Biological Detection Systems. His present activities focus on longstanding interests in the area of developmental disabilities. He founded and served as director of the Department of Psychology's Master's Program in Applied Behavior Analysis in Developmental Disabilities and has for some years was involved with the Alabama Department of Mental health and Mental Retardation in facilitating the statewide delivery of sound habilitative services, following similar involvement in Florida's mental retardation system while on the faculty of the University of Florida from 1975-1985. He has served as editor of *The Behavior Analyst* and on the editorial boards of the *Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior* and the *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*, among others. He has also served as president of the Association for Behavior Analysis, as well as for the Florida, Alabama, and Southeastern affiliate chapters of the Association, and served for many years as the president of the Behavior Analysis Certification Board. He was the founding president of the Association of Professional Behavior Analysts. In addition to authoring numerous journal and technical publications, he has co-authored a text in research methods for studying behavior, now in its third edition, and has special interests in applied behavior analysis and in conceptual issues in the study of behavior.

Members

Coby Lund, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Lund has been working with children and adults with developmental disabilities in the southeastern U.S. for 15 years. Dr. Lund earned his BA degree from the University of Nebraska, MS degree from Southern Illinois University, and PhD from Florida State University. In the early 90's, both Dr. Lund and his wife began working with abused and neglected children in Illinois. During graduate school, they began working primarily with children with disabilities, specializing in autistic spectrum disorders since 1995. In 2000, they created Integrated Behavioral Solutions, Inc., which provides Applied Behavior Analysis services to children with autism throughout the southeast, both in school systems and in homes. In 2007, they began a special needs ministry for children with autism at Christian Church Buckhead that includes 6 bachelor's level therapists and 3 Board Certified Behavior Analysts. In 2008, with Ann and Tom Lane, they opened the Keystone Center for Children with Autism, a non-profit school for children on the spectrum. They are also regularly invited to conduct workshops in the Southeast and Midwest to teach educators, therapists, and families how to use empirically validated interventions to address the language, social, cognitive, and behavioral needs of children on the spectrum.

Mary Riordan, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Riordan received her undergraduate degree from Eastern Michigan University and then went on to do graduate work at Western Michigan University where she studied under Brian Iwata. She worked for 2 years at the Kennedy Institute at Johns Hopkins Medical School, where she conducted pioneering research on behavioral treatment of pediatric feeding problems. In 1980 she moved to Florida to complete her doctorate at FSU under Jon Bailey. While endeavoring to finish that degree, she began her 29-year association with Behavior Management Consultants, Inc. in Tallahassee Florida. She currently consults in Florida, Georgia, and Kentucky. Her work with individuals, facilities, and organizations focuses on performance management, staff training, analysis and treatment of severe inappropriate behaviors, teaching functional skills, developmental disabilities, developing behavioral systems, and regulatory compliance. Dr. Riordan is the immediate past president of the Florida Association of Behavior Analysis and the chair of the legislative and public policy committee.

Dennis Reid, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Reid received his Ph.D. from Florida State University in 1975. He has over 35 years experience as a manager and behavioral clinician, and has consulted with human service agencies in the majority of states of the United States as well as Canada and New Zealand. He has published over 130 refereed journal articles focusing on applied behavior analysis and developmental disabilities. He has served on numerous editorial boards and as Associate Editor for the Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis, Behavior Analysis in Practice, and Journal of Organizational Behavior Management. In 2007 he was awarded Fellowship status in the Association for Behavior Analysis International and in 2006 received the American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Annual Research Award. He is the founder and current director of the Carolina Behavior Analysis and Support Center in Morganton, North Carolina. His company provides behavior analysis services for schools, residential centers, and community living arrangements providing supports for individuals with intellectual disabilities

and has employed adults with severe disabilities in a supported work capacity for the last 15 years.

Janet Lund, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Janet Lund received her Ph.D. from Florida State University in 1999. She has worked in the field of developmental disabilities for 19 years. Dr. Janet Lund has worked in school settings, residential facilities, and home settings. Dr. Lund specializes in skill acquisition programming, intensive language intervention, and behavioral reduction programs for individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities. Along with her husband, Dr. Coby Lund, she started Integrated Behavioral Solutions, Inc. in Atlanta Georgia, which is a consulting organization providing services to children and adults with developmental disabilities with an emphasis in the area of autism services. She also works in the field of Organizational Behavior Management with Aubrey Daniels International where she utilizes the science of Applied Behavior Analysis to consult with organizations to improve staff performance. Dr. Lund is also a founding member and current board member for Keystone Center for Children with Autism, a non-profit school for students with autism.

Martin Ivancic, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr Ivancic received degrees from Case Western Reserve University, Western Michigan University, and Florida State University studying with Drs. Jon Bailey, Brian Iwata, and Dennis Reid in addition to completing an internship at the John F. Kennedy Institute of Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, MD. He has worked in the field of developmental disabilities and head injury for 36 years including work as a therapist, programmer, program director, director of staff development, behavioral consultant, psychologist, and senior psychologist. He is a Licensed Psychologist and Board Certified Behavior Analyst. Currently, he is a Senior Psychologist at the J. Iverson Riddle Developmental Center, Morganton, NC. He has published 19 research articles or chapters including work on skill training, staff management, reinforcer assessment, and happiness. He has participated with students and co-workers in over 200 data presentations addressing the clinical issues of his consumers emphasizing life-quality for people with profound, multiple handicaps. He is a member and past president of the North Carolina Association for Behavior Analysis (NCABA) and a member of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International (ABAI).

David A. Wilder, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Wilder received his Ph.D. in behavior analysis from the University of Nevada in 1998 under the supervision of Dr. James E. Carr. He then completed a Postdoctoral Fellowship in the Department of Pediatrics and the Department of Behavioral Psychology at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine / Kennedy Krieger Institute in Baltimore, MD under the supervision of Dr. Wayne Fisher. After his post-doc, Dr. Wilder was an Assistant Professor of Psychology at the University of the Pacific in Stockton, CA and served on the Board of Directors of the California Association for Behavior Analysis. From 2003 to 2009, Dr. Wilder was an Associate Professor at the Florida Institute of Technology (Florida Tech) in Melbourne, FL; he is now Full Professor and Chair of the Behavior Analysis programs at Florida Tech. Dr. Wilder currently serves as an Associate Editor for the *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis (JABA)* and is a past Associate Editor for the *Journal of Organizational Behavior Management (JOBM)*. He also serves on the editorial boards of *Education and Treatment of Children* and *Behavioral*

Interventions and has published over 50 articles in peer-reviewed journals. He is also a former President of the Florida Association for Behavior Analysis. Dr. Wilder provides services to children and adults who exhibit behavior problems. He has consulted at schools, private homes, group homes, and day treatment centers.

Kim Lucker-Greene, Ph.D., BCBA-D

Dr. Lucker-Greene is currently the Director of Clinical Services for Northeast Florida and Senior Consultant *for Behavior Management Consultants, Inc.*, whom she has been with since 1993.

Dr. Lucker-Greene is a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA-D) with over 20 years experience designing behavioral & learning programs for a variety of populations, including persons with emotional/behavioral disorders, autism and other developmental disabilities. She received her graduate training in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) at Florida State University, where she was awarded her Ph.D. in 2000. Dr. Lucker-Greene has created and presented a series of workshops on teaching language and behavioral assessment & intervention for the past 12 years. She has been a consultant to school districts, private families and state agencies in the state since 1993 and has built a team of 14 highly skilled behavioral consultants to provide services in the North Florida area. Dr. Lucker-Greene has served as an adjunct faculty member at University of North Florida in Jacksonville. She is a newly elected member of the Executive Committee of the FL Association for Behavior Analysis (FABA) and the Treasurer for the First Coast Chapter of the Florida Association for Behavior Analysis. Beginning in January of next year, Dr. Lucker-Greene will move into her new role as Founder and President of Behavioral Solutions Consulting, Inc., a consulting company providing behavioral support services and training to school districts, state and private agencies and private families.