

**Three-Year Progress Report for New Doctoral Program  
to Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board**

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INSTITUTION: Prairie View A & M University

DOCTORAL PROGRAM: Clinical Adolescent Psychology

DATE APPROVED BY TEXAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD: July - 2004

DATE FIRST STUDENTS ENROLLED: August 2004

1. Doctoral program student information

a.

Year *	New Students		Total Students		Persistence Percent (Students continuing in program)	
	FT	PT	FT	PT	FT	PT
2004	5	0	5	0	5	0
2005	7	0	12	0	100	0
2006	5	0 (2)*	14**	0 (2)*	82.3% **	0(2)*

\* During the spring of 07, because of personal reasons, two students took less than 9 credit hours, thus technically they were part time.

\*\* (3 students are on leave of absence)

\*Start with 1<sup>st</sup> program year FT=full-time PT=part-time

b. Percent of current full-time students financially supported and average dollar amount of assistance

Percent supported: 100% of full-time students students were fully funded.

Average dollar amount: 22,000

c. Ethnicity and gender of current students

Ethnicity

African American 11 or 64.7%

White, non-Hispanic	3 or 17.6%
Caribbean/West Indian	3 or 17.6%

Gender	
Male	3
Female	14

2. Doctoral program student performance

a. Number of publications

Six, with two publications in press

b. Number of awards received

Two

c. Number of students advanced to candidacy

Two (both students have been accepted to APA approved pre-doctoral internships)

d. Number of presentations at national and regional conferences

Twenty-five

e. Membership in Professional organizations

All students are members of one or more of the following:

The American Psychological Association  
Texas Psychological Association  
Southwestern Psychological Association  
Association of Black Psychologists  
Houston Association of Black Psychologists  
Psy Chi

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3. Doctoral faculty information

a. Current program faculty FTE

2.98 FTE

b. List names and provide vitae for faculty added since time of Coordinating Board approval

Louis P. Anderson, Ph.D (1 FTE)  
Shawanda Anderson, Ph.D. (1 FTE)  
Dianne Bailey, Ph.D. (.33 FTE)  
Sharon Brown, Ph.D. (.33 FTE)  
Paula Moore, Ph.D. (1 FTE)  
Solomon Osho, Ph.D. (.33 FTE)  
Lynn Rhem, Ph.D., ABPP (.33 FTE)  
George Wawrykow, Ph.D. (.33 FTE)

Appointments to begin in September 2007

Michele Marion, Ph.D. (1 FTE) (see vitae)  
Sharon Morgan, Ph.D. (1 FTE) (see vitae)

c. Departures since time of Coordinating Board approval

Lawrence French, Ph.D. (departed 2005)  
\*Shawanda Anderson, Ph.D. (reassigned in 2006)  
\*Paula Moore, Ph.D. (reassigned in 2006)

\*Reassignment necessary because the faculty did not fulfill the contractual agreement to take and pass the licensing examination.

d. Total number of publications in refereed journals since Coordinating Board approval (by faculty member)

Louis P. Anderson, Ph.D. (2)  
Shawanda Anderson, Ph.D. (2)  
Sharon Brown, Ph.D. (1)

Paula Moore, Ph.D. (1)  
Lynn Rhem, Ph.D., ABPP (13)  
Jon Sorensen, Ph.D. (8)

- e. Total number of grants/contracts received and amounts since Coordinating Board approval (by faculty member)

Newly hired faculty (Morgan and Marion) received grants prior to joining the faculty. (See vitae)

4. Program commitments (e.g., faculty additions, equipment purchases) made in response to consultant recommendations and/or in proposal. Report on status of each program commitment.

Faculty additions: Appointments of two new faculty will begin in September 2007.

Initiated recruitment of faculty for the 2007-2008 academic year.

Equipment purchases: State of the art technology purchased, library books purchased, equipment for the Clinic ordered

5. Program targets

- a. Have enrollment targets been met?

Yes. See tables in 1a for a listing of the students in our degree program.

Following are the enrollments by year:

1. For 2004 - enrollment was 5
2. For 2005 - enrollment was 7
3. For 2006 - enrollment was 5
4. For 2007 - it is expected that enrollment will be 8

The following is recommendation #3 made by the external reviewers for the enrollment and hiring of faculty for the program reported to the Coordinating Board.

"We strongly recommend the gradual development of the program, both in terms of faculty hires and student

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admissions. We recommend that the number of admitted students should be proportional to the number of hired psychology faculty. Currently there are two clinical psychology faculty in the program and one social psychologist. We recommend admitting no more than five students in the first class. The plan will allow the program to be highly selective during its initial years of development when the number of highly qualified applicants may be limited. As program visibility increases the pool of highly qualified applicants is likely to increase as well and more students could be admitted. We believe that it is essential that the program consider applicants' potential for conducting independent research, a criterion for completing a dissertation, in their admission decisions."

Currently 14 students are enrolled. The expectation is to admit 8 students in our 2007 class. Faculty will become more involved in recruitment efforts and will assist in increasing the program's visibility.

Based on the reviewers' comments which placed a caution limitation on the enrollment, we can state that it has been met.

b. Have enrollment targets changed?

No, based on the recommendation made by the reviewers.

c. Have cost estimates changed?

No.

6. Doctoral program research—new (funded internally or externally) research initiated with doctoral student involvement).

Drs. Shawanda Anderson and Paula Moore were awarded an internally funded mini-grant in the amount of \$20,000.

7. Institutional plans for future program evaluation.

Each year a report will be generated to show productivity in the following areas:

1. Student enrollment and progress through the program
2. Faculty productivity
3. Grants and contracts
4. Operation of the clinic

Three to five year program reviews will be conducted.

8. Other information related to program progress (please add any other pertinent information).

Full time Director of Clinical Training (Dr. Morgan) was hired. Appointment to begin in September 2007.

Director of Clinic (Dr. Marion) was hired. Appointment to begin in September of 07.

The training clinic will begin operation during the 2007-2008 academic year. Our plan is for the clinic to partner and provide services to students attending elementary and high-schools within the Prairie View community.

Symposium series, which this year featured Dr. Ron Levant, Past President of the American Psychological Association (APA) and James Lewis of Yale Child Study Center, will continue for the 2007-2008 academic year. Informal collaborations were formed with the Department of Psychology at Texas A&M University. Texas A&M University faculty volunteered to assist in the development of the training clinic and to give colloquiums.

A joint research symposium with the University of Maryland is planned for 2008 academic year.

The following practicum sites were developed at:

Texas Children's Hospital (Houston)  
Baylor College of Medicine  
Ben Taub Hospital  
Rusk State Hospital  
Communities in Schools  
Giddings State Hospital  
Children's Assessment Center (Specialization in Childhood Trauma)

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University of Texas Health Science Center Department of  
Psychiatry and Behavioral sciences  
Touchstone Neurorecovery Center  
Harris County Juvenile Probation Department's Juvenile  
Board and Advisory Council  
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Advisory committee formed. Members include:

Lynn Rhem, Ph.D. ABPP. Since 1995, Dr. Rhem chaired the committee that develops the national licensing examination (EPPP) for psychologists.

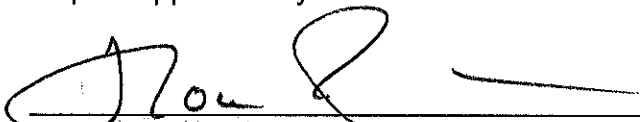
Pauline Clansy, Ed.D Head of the Texas State Board of Licensed Psychologists.


James Lewis, Ph.D. Yale Child Study Center

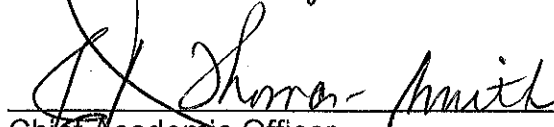
We are collaborating with Dr. Laretta Byars, Vice President for Institutional Relations and Public Service, in applying for the APA's continuing education certification for Prairie View A & M University.

We are collaborating with University College and with Enrollment Services in an effort to increase the retention rates of students enrolled at Prairie View.

Report approved by:

  
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