BOARD OF COUNSELING CREDENTIAL REVIEW COMMITTEE REPORT February 7, 2008

6 APPLICATIONS WERE REVIEWED

4 COURSEWORK APPEALS

1 Approved 2 Denied 1 More Information Requested

2 SUPERVISION APPEAL 2 Approved

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Educational Program Approval Requests – Two requests were submitted to the Board seeking approval for CSAC training programs they are developing. The Board does not approve educational programs but will refer them to the approved Continued Competency Providers listed in the regulations so that they can seek approval from them.

VCU "Patient Counseling" degree was submitted for Credential Review. It was the decision of the Committee that under 18VAC115-20-49-B the "Patient Counseling" degree does not have adequate content to prepare individuals to practice counseling and counseling treatment intervention. It was also noted that there were no counselors on faculty and that the main focus of the mission statement was on pastoral care and counseling.