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From the President's Desk

Carol R. Pohly, M.Ed., LPCC

Greetings! and welcome to another year in the counseling profession and as a member of the Ohio Counseling Association. I am excited to begin my presidency of OCA at this important time in the history of our profession, and I am honored to be working with some very skilled leaders in our organization. I want to thank Anita Jackson for her excellent leadership as our president last year. I also

want to thank Joe Saunders, our executive director, and Cynthia Snyder, our government relations consultant, for their continued superb work. Congratulations, also, to Richard Hazler, who is our new president-elect. Our Executive Board this year is comprised of many experienced and dedicated people. I am looking forward to working with all of them as we serve you, the members of OCA.

We are in the midst of a time of great change and growth in the field of counseling. When I look back to where counseling stood as a profession in 1972, when I earned my master's degree, I am amazed at how far we have come. We have attained professional licensure, including a clinical level of practice. We have increased the extent and depth of our training and have added professional training standards through CACREP. We have become recognized as independent service providers by managed care companies. In addition, we have broadened our service base to include a variety of settings such as schools, universities, community mental health centers, chemical dependency treatment programs, private practice, hospitals, retirement homes, and others.

Much of this has been made possible because of the hard work and dedication of men and women serving in our professional organization who have lobbied for our legislative needs and united us through communicating via the organization. We owe a debt of gratitude to all those who have served before us who have laid the groundwork for our current progress and continued growth.

Today, we have even more challenges before us. Some of the legislative issues that exist include Medicare reimbursement for counselors, parity of insurance coverage for mental and physical illnesses, changes in licensure for school counselors who do not have teaching experience, and the quest for licensure by chemical dependency counselors and marriage and family therapists. We need to continue to make our views heard regarding these and other issues.

My goal for OCA this year is to continue with the OCA strategic plan, which is focused on promoting solidarity among counselors, renewing effective leaders, promoting diversity and related skills in the profession, promoting the recognition of

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counseling as a profession, keeping abreast of and promoting the use of technology, and documenting the OCA story connecting our past to our present and future. It is my plan that we will make advancements in each of these six areas by the end of this year.

I am especially interested in the goal of promoting solidarity among counselors. Having worked, in the process of my career, as both a school counselor and a mental health counselor in private practice, I am keenly aware of the importance of having counselors available in a variety of settings. For example, school counselors provide a unique approach to counseling for all children as well

as reaching many children whose families would never provide them the opportunity to get counseling outside of the school setting. Mental health counselors are able to work with people of all ages including working with entire families to facilitate structural family changes that enhance the growth of each family member. Counselors in hospital settings are often able to work with people in crisis and then direct them to further counseling services needed after release from the hospital. Countless other examples exist. Therefore, the differences among us as counselors are uniquely important to the contribution our profession makes as a whole to the clients we serve. Not only do we need to be united to accomplish our legislative goals, but we need to be united to best serve our clients' needs. For this reason, I believe increased communication among counselors is vitally important. OCA provides the opportunity for increased communication.

Let me digress for a moment to tell you a little bit about myself. I was born and raised in Cleveland, Ohio (Euclid, to be exact), but I have lived in Dayton, Ohio, since graduating from Otterbein College in 1969. I taught fifth grade in Dayton for two years, and then returned to graduate school full-time, where I earned my master's degree in guidance and counseling from Miami University in 1972. I worked as a school counselor for about 18 years while I did further training in transactional analysis, Gestalt therapy, structural and strategic marriage and family therapy, and addictions as well as completing the LPCC sequence of courses. I began working part-time in private practice in 1982 and moved to full-time private practice in 1990. I enjoy the arts, interior decorating, gardening, the outdoors

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(especially camping), traveling, and spending time with family and friends.

I hope to get to know more about each of you as the year progresses also. Please feel free to call, write, or email me or any of the Executive Board members to share your needs, concerns, and ideas with OCA or to volunteer to be on an OCA committee. I hope you will also plan to attend the All Ohio Counselors Conference in November at the beautiful new Easton Hilton Hotel in Columbus, Ohio. It promises to be an exciting event.

I look forward to working with you in the months ahead. Have a great year!

Thanks from Anita

Anita P. Jackson, Ph.D., LPCC

I have enjoyed serving as president of the Ohio Counseling Association and want to express my deep gratitude to each of you for your membership, your belief in our mission, and/or involvement on the Executive Council. I've had the honor to work with many fine leaders who serve the profession. Although this year has been challenging, many of you have done so much to make it a productive year. I certainly have learned a lot. So often, I've heard persons in leadership positions state that it is at the end of their term when they finally put things together and figure out what they could have been doing all year. Well, I share that perspective. However, with such added insight, I trust that I will be able to serve effectively and actively as past president during this coming year, assisting and supporting our new president, Carol Pohly. She has many exciting objectives and implementations strategies for the

upcoming year. Please offer your assistance, too, as we move forward on the many challenges still facing the profession.

A number of legislative issues were before the counseling profession this year, and a great deal of time was spent addressing them. As with any issue, there are multiple ways of viewing it and thinking about what is best. Although points of disagreement are bound to occur, I believe much effort was placed in building understanding and collaborative relationships between associations and OCA, as well as interprofessionally as we worked on the various issues. I trust that OCA will continue to build collaborative relationships throughout Ohio as we progress forward with our mission to serve counseling professionals and their constituents.

I am looking forward to a less busy year, but one that is personally and spiritually productive and fulfilling. The summer days certainly have been hot and enjoyable, and my mind is turning to the beautiful world outdoors, so I would just like to end with several passages to think about and possible employment in our daily lives.

Things that will destroy us:

Politics without Principles;
Pleasure without Conscience;
Wealth without Work;
Knowledge without Character;
Business without Morality;
Science without Humanity;
Worship without Sacrifice.

--Mahatma Gandhi

Kindness is to use one's will to guard one's speech and conduct so as not to injure anyone.

--Omaha Tribe oral tradition

And whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant.

--Matthew 20:27

The greatest achievement of the human spirit is to live up to one's opportunities and make the most of one's resources.

--Vauvenargues

There is nothing that makes persons rich and strong but that which they carry inside of them.

--John Milton

Where is the Life we have lost in living?

Where is the wisdom we have lost in knowledge?

Where is the knowledge we have lost in information?

The cycles of Heaven in twenty centuries

Bring us farther from God and nearer to the Dust.

--T. S. Eliot

There is an essential harmony in all existence, and the life of everything shares in it.

--Howard Thurman

**What Advancements
Should OCA Have
Accomplished by the Year
2006?**

Richard Hazler
OCA President Elect

It is pretty risky business looking five years down the road, especially when we are all working feverishly to keep our heads above water on a daily basis. And furthermore, who knows what will happen tomorrow that will push us to drastically alter plans and efforts for the future? On the other hand, if we don't look ahead towards our potential futures, how can we make choices about taking reasonable actions to move forward? Without some future planning the actions we take are likely to keep us stuck where we are, and others will be the deciders of our future.

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The seemingly conflicting ideas mentioned above certainly fit me personally as well as the clients, students, colleagues, friends, and family I interact with each day. They also fit organizations like ACA, OCA, our divisions, and local chapters. We have so little time and so much to do that we can be overwhelmed with today, never mind looking to the future. But a vision of our future is critical to providing direction for our daily actions. This has been reinforced in me after several years on the ACA Strategic Planning Committee and last year as Committee Chair combined with past experiences as a state and national office holder. I have become more aware than ever of the need for organizations to give continual attention to future directions in order to effectively use limited financial and human resources in ways that get us to where we want to be. These experiences have pushed me to use my year as OCA president elect helping our association, chapters, and divisions to more consciously and regularly look forward 5 years so that we can choose current actions that match our vision of the future.

The starting place is to ask members and leaders alike to begin the discussion of our future. This year's OCA president, Carol Pohly, is supportive of more strategic planning for OCA and has agreed to put discussion of our future on the OCA Executive Council meeting agendas. **NOW WE NEED YOUR INPUT FOR THOSE MEETINGS!**

Please take a little thoughtful time to consider your views on the following question:

What are the major advancements OCA should have achieved by the

end of the year 2006 if it had lived up to its potential as 'the' state organization for counselors in Ohio?

Let me know your thoughts, and I will summarize them for the OCA Executive Council discussions. Send your responses to Richard Hazler, 201 McCracken Hall, Ohio University, Athens, OH 45701 or email me at hazler@ohio.edu.

Legislative Update

Cynthia Snyder, J.D.

The Ohio General Assembly has recessed for the summer and is not expected to return for committees and voting sessions until September. Session and committees are scheduled sporadically throughout the fall and early winter. Among the issues being followed by the Ohio Counseling Association and its government relations committee are the following.

Senate Bill 9 (Spada, R-Parma Heights) The original version of this bill would have created a new crime of "sexual exploitation of a mental health client or patient" for circumstances in which a mental health professional engages in sexual relations with a current client. Due to opposition from the Ohio Counseling Association (OCA) and others, this legislation was significantly changed from its "As Introduced" version. A substitute bill was passed by the Senate in June.

Under the revised version of the bill, existing crimes of sexual battery and sexual imposition are expanded to include situations where a mental health professional engages in sexual activity with a patient and has represented to the patient that the sexual activity is necessary for mental health

treatment purposes. In addition, changes are made to provisions in current law to stipulate that consent is not a defense to a civil charge of assault or battery stemming from a situation where a mental health professional has engaged in sexual activity with a patient, unless the mental health professional proves by a preponderance of evidence that the patient was not emotionally dependent upon the therapist at the time the sexual activity occurred. The mental health professional would also have to prove that he/she did not falsely represent that the sexual activity was necessary for medical or mental health purposes.

The Ohio Counseling Association opposed the original version of Senate Bill 9 because it imposed criminal liability on a certain category of professionals with a potential for exploitative relationships, but ignored others who were similarly situated. OCA testimony and lobbying on this bill was successful in delaying action on the proposal until concerns were addressed. The bill in its current form is far more acceptable and was approved by the Senate with no dissenting votes. The measure now proceeds to the House for consideration.

House Bill 33 (Olman, R-Maumee)

This legislation requires equality of coverage for mental illness and addiction treatment under group health insurance contracts issued in Ohio. It is under consideration in the House Insurance Committee where it has had two hearings. As required by law, the Legislative Service Commission hired an independent firm to conduct an actuarial study of the legislation and its impact on health insurance in Ohio. This report was released in late May, and forecasts a potential increase in insurance

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premiums of only 1 to 1.5 percent. Proponents of the bill, including OCA, consider this to be an important and persuasive development in an uphill legislative campaign. The bill remains in the House Insurance Committee, but the sponsor, Representative Lynn Olman (R-Maumee), an insurance agent himself, has requested additional hearings when the legislature returns in September. The business community and insurance industry remain opposed to the legislation regardless of the negligible cost increases associated with equal coverage of behavioral health services.

Licensure of CCDCs

Representatives of OCA met with representatives of a coalition that is promoting legislation to provide for state licensure of CCDCs I, II, and III. This coalition is seeking to create an independent state board to license and regulate only CCDCs. The legislation under discussion would also set forth the education and training requirements for each level of licensure, and would establish a statutory scope of practice for each category of license holder. Currently, there exists in administrative rule a scope of practice that has been problematic for OCA. It is hoped that many of our concerns can be addressed when legislation is introduced. To date, no proposal in bill form has been released. This is likely to become an active issue in the fall and in 2002.

Licensure of Marriage and Family Therapists

Also seeking independent licensure are marriage and family therapists. Although legislation creating an independent license for these practitioners has yet to be introduced, it is expected in late summer or early fall. OCA has not yet been contacted by the group

promoting this issue but fully expects to be engaged in active review of such a proposal. Legislation to license marriage and family therapists has been considered by the Ohio General Assembly in previous years and has not received significant legislative support. The details of the current proposal remain to be seen and will be presented to OCA's government relations committee and board when available.

School Counselor Grants Available

The Ohio School Counselor Association is offering grants to support innovative school guidance projects. Last year we awarded funding for five projects on anger management, character development, and assistance to a program promoting parents and students working together. Grants can vary from \$200 to \$1000. You must be a member of OSCA to receive a grant.

Grant applications will be available at the All Ohio Counselors Conference in November or by contacting Helen Gilbert, 1234 Hugo St., Maumee, OH 43537 419-893-2985 or HLNCHR@aol.com. Deadline to submit grant applications will be February 28, 2002.

Government Relations

Jean Underfer-Babalys, M.Ed.,
LPCC

Welcome to the world of politics! Yikes! I know, I did not like the idea of politics; after all, I am a counselor, not a politician. However, as a counselor I have come to realize that being aware and active in politics is a necessity for my profession and my personal and family life as well.

Certainly on a state level there are many issues of which we as counselors need to be aware and take action, such as: watching the wording of the Senate Bill 9 and insuring that the mental health field is represented fairly and objectively; striving for equal treatment for mental health and addictions disorders as House Bill 33 is advocating; and to monitor the licensure activities for chemical dependency counselors and marriage and family therapists.

Not only do we have to watch our own yard, but our neighborhood as well. On the federal government scene (our neighborhood), counselors need to watch and be aware of the funding of the Elementary School Counselors Demonstration Act (Ohio receives more than \$700,000), the Medicare Modernization Act (which would include LPCCs as providers and reduce the beneficiaries co-pay from 50% to 20%) and the much touted Patient Bill of Rights. Upcoming this year yet is mental health parity on a federal level.

The government relations committee is requesting that each chapter and division provide to the committee a representative so that OCA can represent counselors on a significant and prominent basis. All of these issues impact your family's income whether you are a counselor, counselor educator, or school counselor. So, OCA is asking you to step up and get involved.

All Ohio Counselors Conference - Nov. 7-9, 2001

Make plans now to attend the annual All Ohio Counselors Conference November 7-9 at Hilton Columbus at Easton Town Center. A new location, spacious areas,

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motivating speakers, knowledgeable workshop presenters, and YOU, promise to make this a memorable event. And there is plenty of FREE parking. The theme for this year's conference is "Professional Counselors: Strengthening the Human Spirit".

Chapter and Division News

Southeast Ohio Counseling Association

The Southeast Ohio Counseling Association (SEOCA) is celebrating another successful year and anticipating even more success and growth in this upcoming year. SEOCA is committed to the professional development of counselors, counselor trainees, and counselor educators in the state of Ohio, especially the southeastern region. To support this commitment, SEOCA coordinated and sponsored, in conjunction with the Ohio Counseling Association, Ohio Association of Multicultural Counseling and Development, and Central Ohio Counseling Association, our second annual conference entitled "Clinical Supervision: Responding to New Demands" on May 19, 2001. The conference provided an opportunity for presenters and participants to exchange ideas and to build upon prior knowledge and understanding of critical issues in clinical supervision. The success of the conference stems largely from the competence and eloquence of the presenters, namely Tom Davis, Scott Hall, Rose Quinones Del Valle, Gail Blackshear, and Randi Cohen. The leadership of the past executive board, guided by President Cher Igelman, Secretary Tracy Leinbaugh, and Treasurer Tim Stambaugh, has worked to shape SEOCA into a vibrant, professionally-oriented chapter that

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is looking to engage more of its membership and to offer more member services. If interested in becoming active in this emerging chapter, please contact Nicole R. Hill, president, via email at nh240291@ohiou.edu.

--Nicole R. Hill

North Central Ohio Counseling Association

NCOCA has had an exciting year offering both student and professionals the opportunity for networking, education, and collaboration. Membership as well as active involvement in chairing and facilitating committee work has continued to increase as NCOCA reaches out to the counseling community.

During the past year NCOCA has been proud to sponsor three workshops addressing important issues affecting counselors today. On December 4, 2001, a panel discussion comprised of Elliot Ingersoll, Paula Britton, Liz Welfel, and Beth Farnsworth tackled the issue of "What Do Counselor Licensure Laws Mean to You?" The discussion investigated topics such as ethics in supervision, employment opportunities, and the credentialing process for a counselor supervisor. On February 24, 2001, Carolyn Helmuth presented "Be Your Own Boss: Setting Up Your Private Practice" which provided participants with useful information and an opportunity to ask questions and explore options regarding the often intimidating of private practice. Lastly, "Chemical Dependency Counselors in Ohio: Counselor Characteristics and Clinical Issues" was presented by Cynthia Osborn on May 9, 2001.

NCOCA held its most recent board meeting on August 14th at the

Beachwood Public Library on the corner of Shaker Blvd. and Richmond Rd.

NCOCA is off to a new year with some exciting goals. The past couple of years, since I have been a member of NCOCA, I have noticed all the excellent work our board and committee chairs and members have been doing. But more help is needed. Members who have come to our workshops, and counseling students, have expressed wanting to do things for NCOCA. Therefore, this year's main goal is to "reach out" to students, past members, present members, and to help all counselors. Another goal is to increase membership and attendance at our workshops thus improving networking with each other, finding out about jobs, new ideas, supervision issues, etc.

Already we have a list of names from students and members who can volunteer a little or a lot of time. It doesn't matter how much time. The important thing is to take on only what you know you can handle. If someone feels overwhelmed, then we "reach out" and bring a volunteer in to help. Already we have a very energetic Susan Vesely as editor of our newsletter the NCOCA NETWORK. The newsletter is one of our more demanding responsibilities with collecting articles, proofreading, setting up the pages, printing, and mailing it out.

I feel very positive about this year especially since we are off to a strong beginning with the "reach out" goal. I also feel positive about being the new president of NCOCA. It was scary at first, but the executive committee board and committee chairs and members are the ones who I "reach out" to in order to be an effective president. I can't do it without their various

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experience and creative talents they bring to NCOCA. I am looking forward to a very productive year.

--Pat Schafer

Northwest Ohio Counseling Association

Greetings from the vast area of Northwest Ohio! This past year (2000-2001) successfully kicked off the millennium with a luncheon and a speaker in the fall, a breakfast and a speaker in the winter, and an all day workshop in the spring. All three events were well attended by our members and guests. NWOCA thanks all individuals who participated in these events and made them a success.

With 2001-2002 underway, NWOCA started with a leadership training workshop in August. For four hours, I cracked the whip, and NWOCA contributed to OCA's strategic planning by setting up our own strategic plan for the next three years. Afterwards, rest and relaxation was in store for the board members, as they enjoyed summer fun at my home.

Activity is the key word from the northwest sector of Ohio. This year NWOCA will endeavor to not only have our three speaker events but regular business meetings. The first meeting will be held in September or early October (members watch for our newsletter in September). Watch out Northwest Ohio--the counselors are definitely agents of change.

--Jean Underfer-Babalis

Miami Valley Counseling Association

The MVCA convened their planning meeting July 12. The goals for the year 2001-2002 are (a) to increase membership, (b) to provide affordable training to meet

CEU requirements for licensure, (c) to inform members of current legislation that impacts the counseling profession, and (d) to be advocates for the counseling profession.

The board welcomed four new members: Alice Chess, Ellen Miller, Lynne Pierce-French, and John Swank. The ongoing members of the board include: Phyllis Henderson, Co-president, Holly Welther, Past Co-president, Amy Eiler, Past Co-president, Patricia Polanski, President-elect, Kriss Haren, Secretary, Linda Fischbach, Treasurer, Eileen Self, Membership Chair, Bruce Duke, Legislative Chair, Susan Spacht, Scholarship Chair, Roger Fortman, Publicity Chair, Mike Hochwalt, Ethics Chair, Carol Pohly, Tom Reuth, Carol Smerz, and Doris Wilkinson, members at-large.

In addition to the goals stated above, three workshops were planned. The fall workshop will be a six-hour training session in supervision. Actual date and time of this workshop will be forthcoming.

--Mary Ann Jones

Ohio Mental Health Counselors Association

The leadership of OMHCA is anticipating much activity for the 2001-2001 year. Plans are underway for a conference on March 16, 2002, in Toledo entitled "Clinical Supervision: Foundations and Current Issues". As we are still confirming presenters, we can only relate that the topic areas include: Foundations of Clinical Supervision, Board Perspectives on Supervision Issues, Supervision and Clinical Burnout, and Supervision and Liability Issues. Brochures will be mailed in January 2002. In addition, we will be contacting the

Ohio Association of Marriage and Family Therapy to discuss potential collaboration on conferences in the future.

We plan a membership drive to attract new members and motivate existing members to increase their involvement in supporting our efforts for the recognition of and reimbursement for mental health counselors in Ohio. We are also considering the addition of regional members at large to the leadership of the organization.

Tom Fine, MA, LPCC, the president-elect of OMHCA, attended the American Mental Health Counselors Association national conference in Chicago, IL, on July 25-28, 2001. Tom found that across the nation, state organizations are actively involved in reaching out to professional counselors in their states both to involve them in legislative issues and provide them with support in the practice of professional counseling.

As websites become more important as a source of information and connection, state organizations have worked to develop their own websites to better serve their members. OMHCA is investigating the development of a website at this time. Web addresses for the Michigan, Massachusetts, and Oregon Mental Health Counselors Associations are listed below for your review.

<http://www.mmhca.org/>

<http://www.mamhca.org/>

<http://www.omhca.com/>

--Charles Campbell



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Ohio Association for the Spiritual, Ethical, and Religious Values in Counseling

OASERVIC has a new slate of officers: president, Angela Nicolosi; president-elect, Cher Igelman; secretary, appointee unconfirmed; newsletter editor, Nicole R. Hill, and treasurer, Tracy Leinbaugh. Projects for the 2001-2002 year are underway. The top priority is getting OASERVIC members in contact with one another. We request all members to let us know if we can put your e-mail address on the website (www.csuohio.edu/oaservic).

Contact Elliott Ingersoll, our past president and web master, at r.ingersoll@csuohio.edu or go to the website and post from there. If you do not e-mail but want to be listed, send that information to Angela Nicolosi, LPCC c/o Sawmill Family Counseling Services, 2690 Billingsley Road, Columbus, OH 43235.

I have already begun contacting past presidents of OASERVIC to begin documenting the history of the organization and to gain some perspective on the past before planning the future. Officers are planning to meet in September to get ready for AOCC and begin outlining the spring workshop, and members are welcome! The March, 2001 workshop on Yoga and Counseling was a hit, and we are striving to repeat our goal of renewing the spirits of Ohio's hard-working counselors.

--Angela Nicolosi

Ohio Association for Specialists in Group Work

The major goal of OASGW is to promote group work, training, education, research, standards, and service in the field. A special thanks goes to Jean Underfer-

Babalis, past president for her leadership. The executive board of OASGW is scheduled to have a luncheon meeting on September 7. The agenda will include goals, membership, and conference planning. Members will receive our fall newsletter in October and are invited to attend our general membership meeting on November 9 at the AOCC. Our 2001-2002 officers are:

Eileen Self, President
 Jean Underfer-Babalis, Past President
 Cecile Brennan, President Elect
 Louisa Foss, Treasurer
 Debbie Vernon, Secretary

We invite all OCA members to join OASGW! For more information about OASGW, please contact Eileen Self at eileen.self@wright.edu or (937) 775-3290.

--Eileen Self

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