

PYSCHIATRIC SECURITY REVIEW BOARD HEARING MINUTES for: January 23, 2026

CVH, Page Hall, Rm. 217, Middletown, CT

Vanessa Cardella, LCSW, Executive Director

| ACQUITTEE | HEARING PURPOSE (H)/ BOARD CONFERENCE (BC) | HEARING OUTCOME (H) / BOARD CONFERENCE (BC) | BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT = ✓ (R) = recused |
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| Rahab King | Mandatory Review (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-585) AND Application for Discharge filed by William O'Connor received on December 8, 2025 (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-593) AND Application for Modification of Conditional Release, filed by CMHA (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-591) received January 13, 2026 | Remains on Conditional Release. Board recommended court deny application for discharge. Board approved Modification of Conditional Release to allow self-administering of medications. | (✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, PhD, ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. () VACANT (✓) Ryan Flanagan, MD () Wakana Hirota, LCSW |
| Jeffrey Bisset | Mandatory Review (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-585) AND Application for Temporary Leave, filed by Whiting Forensic Hospital (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-587) received December 22, 2025 | Board approved application for Temporary Leave (TL). | (✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, PhD, ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. () VACANT (✓) Ryan Flanagan, MD () Wakana Hirota, LCSW |
| Barrington Lindo | Mandatory Review (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-585) AND Petition for Continued Commitment filed by Susan W. Hatfield received on December 3, 2025 (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-593) | Remains confined to Dutcher Service. Board recommends 5 years of continued commitment to Court. | (✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, PhD, ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. () VACANT (✓) Ryan Flanagan, MD () Wakana Hirota, LCSW |
| Alec Chattin | Application for Modification of Conditional Release, filed by WCMHN-Waterbury (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-591) received December 3, 2025 STIPULATED | Board approves Modification of Conditional Release for a reduced requirement to meet with Ability Beyond for employment services from weekly to as needed. | (✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, PhD, ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. () VACANT (✓) Ryan Flanagan, MD () Wakana Hirota, LCSW |
| Kai Ming Wu (aka Ling Xin Wu) | Applications for Modification of Conditional Release (2), filed by GB-CMHC (Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-591) received December 29, 2025 STIPULATED | Board approves Modifications of Conditional Release to 1) increase his number of working hours from 20 to 30 per week and 2) to reduce the requirement to meet with Goodwill employment services from weekly to monthly and as clinically indicated. | (✓) Michael Pepper, Esq. (✓) Mark Kirschner, PhD, ABPP (✓) Cheryl Abrams, M.S. () VACANT (✓) Ryan Flanagan, MD () Wakana Hirota, LCSW |