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PROFESSIONAL SELF-REGULATION

ABA AUSTRALIA HAS BEEN WORKING TO DEVELOP A MODEL OF PROFESSIONAL SELF-REGULATION FOR BEHAVIOUR ANALYSTS. BELOW YOU WILL SEE A TIMELINE OF THE WORK COMPLETED.

2019

FEBRUARY

Board of Directors voted and approved to start regulation of behaviour analysts

APRIL

Meeting with BACB to discuss regulation in Australia

Board of Directors created draft plan to implement national regulation

OCTOBER

Regulation committee Meeting

MARCH

Meeting with stakeholders

SEPTEMBER

Regulation committee formed



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JANUARY

Met with BACB to discuss on-going option for certification in Australia

JUNE

Position Paper on Professional Self-Regulation
Recruitment for workgroups
Met with APBA

JULY

Business plan created
Complaints process drafted

SEPTEMBER

Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice planning began

DECEMBER

Met with the BACB

MARCH

Board of Directors reviewed different regulation models
Call for volunteers

JUNE - DECEMBER

Research on self-regulation

AUGUST

Stakeholder engagement planning
Began a stakeholder registry
Finalised stakeholder engagement plan

OCTOBER

Regulation levels research began



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2021

FEBRUARY

Met with ABAI
International Task Force

APRIL

Code of ethics drafted
Standards of practice
drafted
Professional competency
list drafted

MAY

Regulation levels finalised
Preliminary stakeholder
analysis

AUGUST

Strategic plan published
Stakeholder survey
Website redesign began

OCTOBER - DECEMBER

Final round of edits for code
of ethics and standards of
practice
Website resources develop
and shared

MARCH - JUNE

Strategic plan development

APRIL - JUNE

Round 1 of edits: code of
ethics, standards of practice
and professional
competency list

JUNE

Draft amendments to the
constitution to allow for
professional self-regulation
Met with APBA

SEPTEMBER

Special general meeting to
vote in constitution
amendments
Professional develop
requirements drafted