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Hello House Committee members,

While the OBLPCT's oversight of counselors and therapists is super-important, I always thought it was an unfair lasting consequence that well after a licensee addressed their transgressions and fully met the Board's requirements and were fully reinstated/legit in the Board's eyes, that their transgression would last online forever.

There should be some fair/reasonable time period after which the wrongdoing and it's successful outcome/resolution are removed from the Board's website. The exceptions might be those folks who've had their licenses permanently revoked (or similar).... maybe there's a need to have those folks listed, in case a consumer/potential client runs across them still trying to practice?

I leave it to Board members and staff to think through the logistical details. Thanks so much, Victor Chang