

**State Medical Board of Ohio**  
**Formal Action Report – January 2016**  
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Please find below a summary of actions taken or initiated by the State Medical Board of Ohio in January 2016 and an update of Board matters pending or decided in courts as of January 13, 2016.

**PRE-HEARING SUSPENSIONS**

**HALEY, Daniel Thomas, D.P.M. (#36.002711)**—Reynoldsburg, OH

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), Ohio Revised Code, podiatric medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor is in violation of Section 4731.22(B)(12), (B)(19), (B)(20) and (B)(43), Ohio Revised Code, and that his continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 1/13/16. (*See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.*)

**TATRO, Michael Todd, M.D. (#35.081291)**—Lower Salem, OH

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), Ohio Revised Code, medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor is in violation of Section 4731.22(B)(9) and (B)(26), Ohio Revised Code, and that his continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 1/13/16. (*See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.*)

**CITATIONS/PROPOSED DENIALS**

**ABBASSI, Alex, M.D. (#35.031467)**—Westlake Village, CA

Based on prior action by the Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs in which the doctor voluntarily surrendered his license to practice medicine in California based on his acknowledgement that he cannot safely practice medicine due to concerns with his cognitive functioning. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**ADAMS, Stephanie Nicole, M.T. (#33.018238)**—Spencerville, OH

Based on allegations that massage therapist practiced massage therapy for more than four years after her license expired, which constitutes a felony. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**HALEY, Daniel Thomas, D.P.M. (#36.002711)**—Reynoldsburg, OH

Based on allegations that doctor engaged in sexual misconduct with six specified patients, that the doctor is unable to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental or physical illness, that the doctor utilized a controlled substance for himself and that the doctor prescribed a controlled substance to a family member, and that the doctor failed to comply with standards and procedures for review of the Ohio Automated RX Reporting System. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**HELLESEN, Emily Koch, M.T. (#33.019705)**—Shaker, Heights, OH

Based on allegations that massage therapist practiced massage therapy for more than two years after her license expired, which constitutes a felony. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**INGRAM, Gregory Allen, M.D. (#35.098552)**—Ravenna, OH

Based on the doctor's plea of guilty to 48 felony counts that he repeatedly, unlawfully, intentionally and knowingly dispensed and distributed mixtures and substances containing oxycodone, Roxicet, hydrocodone and Tramadol. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**TATRO, Michael Todd, M.D. (#35.081291)**—Lower Salem, OH

Based on allegations that doctor is impaired in his ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**TATRO, Michael Todd, M.D. (#35.081291)**—Lower Salem, OH

Based on the doctor's plea of guilty to one count of Obstructing Official Business in the Marietta Municipal Court, a misdemeanor of moral turpitude. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

**ULEE, Michelle Kathleen M.T. (33.019043)**—Loveland, OH

Based on allegations that massage therapist failed to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the Board. Notice of opportunity for hearing mailed 1/14/16.

## **DISMISSAL OF CITATION/PROPOSED DENIALS**

**TUTT-ROBINSON**, Heather R., M.T. (#33.010801)—Dayton, Ohio

By Order and Entry dated 1/13/16, allegations contained in 12/15/15 non-disciplinary Notice of Opportunity for Hearing dismissed as moot. Effective 1/13/16.

## **FINAL ORDERS**

**CHALIFOUX**, Roland Fernand, Jr., D.O. (D.O. Applicant) – McMechen, West Virginia

Application to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery denied. Based on prior action against the doctor's license by the Texas Medical Board which revoked the doctor's license based on findings that he failed to practice medicine in an acceptable professional manner in regard to three patients. Also based on prior action against the doctor's license by the Michigan Department of Community Health, Bureau of Health Professions. Order effective 1/14/16. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**GRANT**, Gregory Stuart, D.O. (#34.008218)—Milan, OH

Medical license subject to a stayed 30-day suspension and probationary terms, conditions and limitations for at least two years. Based on the finding that the doctor prescribed Methadone to ten specified patients to treat addiction despite not being legally authorized to so prescribe or to operate as a Methadone clinic, which constitutes violations of federal and state drug laws. Order effective January 28, 2016.

**MANSOUR**, Waleed Nasr, M.D. (#35.078230)—Youngstown, OH

Dismissal of September 12, 2013 Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for Hearing granted by vote of the Board. Order effective January 14, 2016.

**MANSOUR**, Waleed Nasr, M.D. (#35.078230)—Youngstown, OH

Medical license permanently revoked. Based on the doctor's convictions of two counts of Possession of Drugs, misdemeanors committed in the course of practice. Order effective January 14, 2016.

**MINOTTI**, Armand Louis, D.O. (#34.003677)—Poland, OH

Medical license suspended for a period of fifteen days and subject to probationary terms, conditions and limitations for at least two years. Order effective January 28, 2016. Suspension effective February 28, 2016 through March 13, 2016.

## **VOLUNTARY SURRENDERS/RETIREMENTS/WITHDRAWALS**

**FUDGE**, Ana Carmela, M.T. (#33.008664)—Middletown, OH

Permanent revocation of license to practice massage therapy authorized by massage therapist in lieu of further investigation regarding possible violations of Section 4731.22(B)(26), Ohio Revised Code. Effective 1/13/16.

**HAMILTON**, Robert III, M.D. (#35.046920)—Canton, OH

Permanent voluntary retirement of medical license authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 47331.22(B)(19), Ohio Revised Code. Effective 1/13/16.

## **CONSENT AGREEMENTS**

**COLLEY**, David Mark, II, M.T. (#33.022520)—Youngstown, OH

Massage therapy license suspended for at least 60 days with interim monitoring conditions, probationary terms and conditions for reinstatement established including requirement that massage therapist enter into a subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions and limitations as determined by the Board. Based on the massage therapist's admission that he relapsed on alcohol and that he is impaired in his ability to practice massage therapy because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Agreement effective 1/13/16.

**ERICKSON**, Mary Jo-Ellen, M.D. (#35.073493)—Washington Township, OH

Medical license reinstated subject to probationary terms and conditions for at least five years. Based on doctor having completed all requirements for reinstatement of license pursuant to the terms of a December 2014 consent agreement. Agreement effective 1/13/16.

**GROSS**, Elizabeth J., P.A. (#50.002874RX)—Columbus, OH

License to practice as a physician assistant suspended for at least 90 days with interim monitoring conditions, probationary terms and conditions for reinstatement established including requirement that physician assistant enter into a subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions and limitations as determined by the Board. Based on the physician assistant's admission that she relapsed on alcohol and marijuana and that she is impaired in her ability to practice as a physician assistant because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Agreement effective 1/13/16.

**MIMA**, James Patrick, P.A. (#50.001830RX)—Akron, OH

License to practice as a physician assistant suspended for at least 90 days with interim monitoring conditions, probationary terms and conditions for reinstatement established including requirement that physician assistant enter into a subsequent consent agreement

incorporating probationary terms, conditions and limitations as determined by the Board. Based on the finding by the Court of Common Pleas of Summit County, Ohio that physician assistant is eligible for intervention in lieu of conviction for one felony count of Theft of Drugs, a fourth degree felony. Agreement effective 1/13/16.

### **PROBATIONARY REQUESTS AND MODIFICATIONS**

**BEISTEL**, Andrew John, D.O. (#34.009942)—Canfield, OH

Doctor's request for approval of new monitoring physician granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**BRUNO**, Patrick Lewis, M.D. (#35.096568)—Burton, Ohio

Doctor's request for approval of a modified practice plan and for approval of a new monitoring physician granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**GILMAN**, Denise Ida, D.O. (#34.009908)—Coraopolis, PA

Doctor's request for approval of a physician/patient boundary course granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**HOFF**, Elise Regine, MD (#35.082376)--Valley View, OH

Doctor's request for approval of a new practice plan, and requests for approval of monitoring physician and treating psychologist granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16. Frequency and number of charts to be reviewed by monitor established.

**JOHNSON**, Peter Carl, M.D. (#35.066160)—Graytown, OH

Doctor's request for approval of an intensive treatment facility granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**MUDD**, Mary Elizabeth, M.D. (#35.051008)—Westerville, OH

Doctor's request for approval of an office-based liposuction course granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**SIGNS**, Denise J., M.D. (#35.049278)—Wooster, OH

Doctor's request for discontinuance of the requirement to keep drug logs granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**ST. ONGE, Rick D., M.D. (#35.066328)**—Columbus, OH

Doctor's request for reduction in psychotherapy sessions to one time per month granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16.

**WEINER, Mark Aaron, D.O. (#34.005502)**—Holland, MI

Doctor's request for approval of modified practice plan and approval of additional monitoring physician granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16. Frequency and number of charts to be reviewed by monitor established.

### **PROBATION TERMINATED**

**MACE, Adam Geoffrey, M.D. (#57.018732)**—Cleveland Heights, OH

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the June 13, 2012 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16. Effective immediately.

### **LICENSE RESTORED**

**SIDDIQUI, Siraj Ahmed, M.D. (#35.065056)**—Mansfield, OH

Doctor's request for restoration of license granted by vote of the Board on 1/13/16, subject to probationary terms and conditions established by the April 11, 2012 Board Order. Effective immediately.

### **NON-DISCIPLINARY ORDERS**

**BROWN, Janerall Dawan, M.T. (#33.017021)**—Youngstown, OH

Massage therapist's application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy granted, pending passage of the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination. Based on massage therapist having not practiced in at least two years prior to application for restoration of license. Order effective 1/13/16. (Journal Entry – No hearing requested.)

**GRAWE, Katherine Roxanne, M.D./ROXY Plastic Surgery (#35.094502)**—Dublin, OH

Application for Physician Assistant Specialized Services Plan requesting permission for a physician assistant to administer cosmetic laser treatments at ROXY Plastic Surgery is denied. Order effective 1/13/16. (Journal Entry – No hearing requested.)

**SAAM, Angela Kaye, M.T. (#33.017427)**—Bradner, OH

Massage therapist's application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy granted, pending passage of the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination. Based on massage

therapist having not practiced in at least two years prior to application for restoration of license. Order effective 1/13/16. (Journal Entry – No hearing requested).

### **INTERIM AGREEMENT NOT TO PRACTICE**

**SCHWARTZ**, Steven B., M.D. (# 35.093861)—Sinking Spring, Pennsylvania

Doctor agreed not to practice medicine and surgery in Ohio until the allegations contained in the August 12, 2015 Notice of Opportunity for Hearing have been examined by the Board and the Board has issued a Final Order. Effective January 13, 2016.

### **COURT ACTIONS**

**BASEDOW**, William K., DO (#34.005686)--Ironton, Ohio

By Decision and Entry dated 1/5/16, Franklin County Court of Common Pleas affirmed the Board's 6/10/15 Order that suspended and permanently limited the doctor's license to practice medicine and surgery.

**CULL**, Kimberly Jo, MD (applicant)--Powell , OH

Notice of appeal of Board's 12/9/15 Order permanently denying the doctor's application for license to practice medicine and surgery filed by the doctor with the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas on 12/23/15.

**DALLAS**, Anthony Vernon, Jr., M.D. (#35.097060) – Hendersonville, Tennessee

By Decision and Entry dated 12/10/15, Franklin County Court of Common Pleas denied doctor's motion for stay of the Board's 10/28/15 Order suspending the doctor's license to practice medicine and surgery.

**FLYNN**, Freeda J., M.D. (#35.066409)--St. Clairsville, Ohio

By Decision and Entry filed 1/8/16, Franklin County Court of Common Pleas affirmed the Board's 5/13/15 Order which subjected the doctor's license to practice medicine and surgery to probationary terms, conditions and limitations.

**KATZ**, Jose, M.D. (#35-050993) – Closter, New Jersey

By Decision and Entry dated 12/23/15, Franklin County Court of Common Pleas dismissed the appeal of the 9/10/14 Order permanently revoking the doctor's license to practice medicine and surgery.

**POLISETTY**, Sudhir Sitaram, M.D. (#35.098455) – Lexington, Kentucky

By Journal Entry dated 12/17/15, Court of Appeals of Ohio, Tenth Appellate District dismissed doctor's appeal of the Board's 11/6/14 Order permanently revoking his license to practice medicine and surgery.

Please note that revocation and suspension Orders are not always effective immediately. If you have questions about effective dates or conditions governing a doctor's practice before a Board Order takes effect, please contact the office.

Ohio law permits appeal of a Board Order to the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas. Due to this possibility and the potential for a stay that might delay the imposition of a Board action, you may wish to contact us periodically to verify a given practitioner's licensure status.

Most current citation letters, Board Orders, consent agreements and voluntary surrenders or retirements are available on the Medical Board's website under "Licensee Profile and Status." If you have questions or need additional details about Citations, Board Orders, Consent Agreements, or Court Actions, please contact the Case Control Office. If you have questions regarding a probationary modification or a probationary request, please contact the Compliance Office. Our offices may be reached at (614) 466-3934.