

State Medical Board of Ohio
Formal Action Report – February 9, 2022

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Please find below a summary of actions taken or initiated by the State Medical Board of Ohio and an update of Board matters pending or decided in courts as of February 9, 2022.

CITATIONS/PROPOSED DENIALS

BINKLEY, Lisa L., M.T. Applicant - Columbus, Ohio

Based on the submission of an application for restoration of a massage therapy license, and on allegations that when the massage therapist continued to practice massage therapy despite her license having expired, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: the commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Practicing Medicine Without a License or Certificate. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

DJORDJEVIC, Borko, M.D., (#35.100288) - Igalo, Montenegro

Based on the submission of an August 2016 restoration application that resulted in the issuance of an 11/8/17 Board Order conditionally approving the application; and on the submission of an additional October 2018 renewal application that resulted in the issuance of a 10/16/19 Board Order again conditionally approving the application; and on the submission of a November 2021 restoration application; and also based on allegations that a prior action by the Medical Board of California, which issued a 9/7/07 Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order; and on a prior action by the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, which issued a 6/13/2008 Consent Order of Suspension; and on a prior action by the New York State Board of Professional Medical Conduct, which issued an 8/21/2009 Consent Agreement and Order, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: Any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

GROCHOWSKI, Arkadiusz K., M.D., (#35.078958) - Bartlett, Illinois

Based on allegations that a prior action by the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation, which issued a 9/20/20 Consent Order which suspended the doctor's license for

thirty days, and imposed indefinite probation for at least two years, a practice monitor, CME requirements, and a fifteen thousand dollar (\$15,000.00) fine, constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

HUTTON, Beverly, M.T. Applicant - Cedarville, Ohio

Based on the applicant's submission of an application to practice massage therapy, and on allegations that when the massage therapist disclosed having stolen jewelry, a debit card, and four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) from an elderly client while working as a home health aide, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: the commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Theft. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

JONES, Jamal, M.T., (#33.023074) - Columbus, Ohio

Based on allegations that when: the massage therapist failed to disclose previous criminal convictions to the Board in his 9/29/18 and 6/30/21 renewal applications, to wit: a plea of guilty in the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, to Receiving Stolen Property, a fourth degree felony; and a plea of guilty in the Franklin County Municipal Court, to OVI; a plea of guilty in the Fairfield County Court of Common Pleas, to Carrying a Concealed Weapon, a fourth degree felony, with associated parole violations, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction for, a felony; and making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the board. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

MCSPADDEN, Michael S., M.T., (#33.013036) - Dayton, Ohio

Based on allegations that when the massage therapist: sent inappropriate texts to a patient; and inappropriately touched that patient during a massage without consent by digital penetration of her vagina during which he exposed his erect penis and placed it in her hand and mouth, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Sexual Battery, and/or Rape; and constitute violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: engaging in sexual misconduct with a patient, which also constitutes a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

SNYDER-SANDY, Cecily, M.T. Applicant - Akron, Ohio

Based on the submission of an application to practice massage therapy, and on allegations that when the applicant failed to return complete answers to the Board's First Set of Interrogatories, and failed to appear during a Board investigatory deposition, those acts and/or omissions, as alleged, constitute: failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board under division (F) of this section, including failure to comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories, except that failure to cooperate with an investigation shall not constitute grounds for discipline under this section if a court of competent jurisdiction has issued an order that either quashes a subpoena or permits the individual to withhold the testimony or evidence in issue. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

SPIRTOS, Gary N., M.D., (#35.057972) - Cleveland, Ohio

Based on a prior 10/14/20 Board Order that indefinitely suspended the doctor's license, and on allegations that a prior action by the Arizona Medical Board, which issued a 7/8/21 Order revoking the doctors license, constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

TAPPEL, Edward F., Jr., D.O., (#34.004984) - Hilliard, Ohio

Based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of one specified patient, when the doctor: failed to offer a chaperone to a patient while inspecting the patient's genitals; failed to wear gloves during the examination; inappropriately touched the patient during the examination; and then failed to produce requested patient records in response to a Board issued subpoena, those acts and/or omissions as alleged, constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's prohibitions regarding sexual misconduct with a patient. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATIONS

ROLLINS, Sonya, R.C.P. Applicant – Arlington, Texas

Proposed denial of application to practice as a respiratory care professional, based on allegations that the applicant has not passed an examination acceptable to the Board, to wit: both portions of the of the registered respiratory therapist (R.R.T.) examination, administered by the National

Board for Respiratory Care, or its successor organization. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 2/10/22.

FINAL ORDERS

BROGAN, Zachary K., R.C.P., (#RCP.11564) - Florence, Indiana (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice as a respiratory care professional conditionally approved, conditioned upon passage of the Clinical Simulation Examination (CSE) within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of a license to practice respiratory care, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of respiratory care for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

FRANKE, Jacob J., R.C.P. Applicant - Angola, Indiana (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for a license to practice respiratory care denied. Based upon the submission of an application to practice respiratory care, and on the finding that the applicant has not successfully completed an examination acceptable to the Board. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

HUDSON, Mary M., R.C.P., (#RCP.10825) - Mentor, Ohio

License to practice as a respiratory care professional permanently revoked, and subject to a four thousand dollar (\$4,000.00) fine. Based on the finding that an 8/2/19 police report from the Mentor Police Department, Mentor Ohio, which contained allegations that the respiratory care professional suffered a suspected heroin overdose; and on a 2/17/21 police report from the Mentor Police Department, which contained allegations that the respiratory care professional again suffered a heroin overdose; and on the respiratory care professional's 8/5/20 conviction in the Mentor Municipal Court of one count of Child Endangerment; and on the respiratory care professional's 5/17/21 plea of guilty in the Mentor Municipal Court to Child Endangerment, all of which, individually and/or collective constitute: Impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice; and a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction for, a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

KELLER, Joseph A., M.D. Applicant - Grove City, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for a license to practice medicine and surgery denied. Based on the submission of an application to practice allopathic medicine and surgery, and on the finding that the applicant has not successfully completed at least twenty-four months of graduate medical education through the second-year level of graduate medication or its equivalent as determined by the Board. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

KINNEY, Janine, M.T. Applicant - Dayton, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for a license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

MCGILL, Justin R., M.T. Applicant - Vaughnsville, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for a license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

MCKENZIE, Caleb D, M.T., (#33.022337) - West Carrollton, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

MONTGOMERY, Joshua L., M.T., (#33.023425) – Bellbrook, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

MORTON, Elizabeth L., M.T., (#33.017257) - Dayton, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 2/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

RUSSELL, Jennifer N., R.C.P., (#RCP.10978) - Youngstown, Ohio

License to practice respiratory care indefinitely suspended, but not less than sixty (60) days, and subject to conditions for reinstatement. Based on the finding that the respiratory care professional's conviction in the Columbiana County Court of Common Pleas, Columbiana County, Ohio, to five third-degree felony counts of Aggravated Vehicular Assault, individually and/or collectively, constitute a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction for, a felony. Order effective 2/10/22.

STEVENS, Craig A., M.D., (#35.060263) - Apex, North Carolina

License to practice medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, and subject to conditions for reinstatement. Based on the finding that when the doctor entered into an Interim Non-Practice Agreement with the North Carolina Medical Board, which was based on the doctor having been arrested and charged with four counts of sexual exploitation of a minor and two counts of taking indecent liberties with children, those acts and/or omissions individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Order effective 2/10/22.

CONSENT AGREEMENTS

GIBSON, Benjamin R., M.D., (#35.097558) - Zanesville, Ohio

Doctor's license to practice medicine and surgery reinstated, effective 2/10/22, and subject to general probationary requirements for at least five years. Based on doctor having completed all requirements for reinstatement of license pursuant to the terms of a 12/8/21 consent agreement. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

LUNDERMAN, Jack C., Jr., M.D., (#35.052430) - Centerville, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to probationary requirements until submission of satisfactory documentation of the successful completion of medical education courses. Based on the doctor's admission that when: he engaged in a sexual relationship with a patient; and also submitted two different billing codes to the patient's insurance company, those acts and/or omissions, constitute: a violation of any provision of a code of ethics of the American medical association, the American osteopathic association, the American podiatric medical association, or any other national professional organizations that the board specifies by rule. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

VOLUNTARY PERMANENT SURRENDERS, RETIREMENTS, REVOCATIONS, WITHDRAWALS

HOLLAND, Susan K., M.D., (#35.140646) - Cleveland, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice medicine and surgery, authorized by the doctor in lieu of further investigation pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(10), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

LARSON, Edwin R., M.D., (#35.041086) - Bradenton, Florida

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice medicine and surgery, authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(22), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

ROBINSON, John P., D.O., (#34.003721) - Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery, authorized by doctor in lieu of further investigation pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(26), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

TAYLOR, John, P.A., (#50.006002RX) -Broadview Heights, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice as a physician assistant, authorized by physician assistant in lieu of further formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4730.25(B)(12) and 4730.25(B)(8), Ohio Revised Code, and as set forth in the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing issued by the Board on 10/13/21. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

WOLF, Anthony J., M.D. Applicant - Ypsilanti, Michigan

Permanent withdrawal of application, authorized by doctor in lieu of further investigation regarding a possible violation of Section 4731.22(B)(22), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 2/9/22.

DISMISSALS

WHITE, Jennifer R., M.T. Applicant – Dayton, Ohio

The Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing issued on 9/8/21 is dismissed without prejudice, based on the applicant now meeting the requirements for licensure after having subsequently taken and passed the MBLEx on 12/9/2021. Dismissal effective 2/9/22.

PROBATIONARY REQUESTS AND MODIFICATIONS

ANIKEEV, Michael H., M.D., (#35.091515) - Canal Winchester, Ohio

Request for approval of a reduction in psychiatric treatment sessions from monthly to quarterly, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

BAHNER, Jennifer D., M.D., (#35.123019) - Novelty, Ohio

Request for approval of mental health provider, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

LEID, Adam N., D.O., (#58.030360) - Stevens, Pennsylvania

Request for approval of treating psychiatrist and physician to complete return to work assessments, and approval of weekly counseling sessions to complete aftercare requirement, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

MURPHY, James T., M.D., (#35.140909) – Egg Harbor, Wisconsin

Request for approval of medical records course, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

PAPACHRISTOU, Marios D., M.D., (#35.143985) - Warrendale, Pennsylvania

Request for approval of physician to complete return to work assessment, and approval of drug screen monitoring program, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

SILK, Jon B., Jr., M.D., (#35.098705) - Troy, Ohio

Request for approval to discontinue drug log requirement, and an approval of a reduction in recovery meeting attendance from three meetings per week, to two meetings per week, with a minimum of ten per month, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

WARREN, Jared A., D.O., (#58.031816) - Shaker Heights, Ohio

Request for approval to discontinue drug log and chart review requirements, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

WELDEN, Scott R., M.D., (#35.137180) - Covington, Kentucky

Request for approval of a reduction in drug testing frequency from a minimum of four per month to a minimum of two per month, and approval of a reduction in recovery meeting attendance from three meetings per week to two meetings per week with a minimum of ten meetings per month, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22.

RELEASE FROM PROBATION

DUNCAN, Philicia S., M.D., (#35.126932) - Columbus, Ohio

Request for release from the terms of the 1/11/17 Board Order, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22. Release effective immediately.

FEINER, Andrew P., M.D., (#57.027498) - Toledo, Ohio

Request for release from the terms of the 5/12/21 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22. Release effective immediately.

LAMPHEAR, James G., M.D., (#35.083441) - Augusta, Georgia

Request for release from the terms of the 2/8/17 Step II Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22. Release effective immediately.

MA, Muyuan, M.D., (#35.130288) - Parma Heights, Ohio

Request for release from the terms of the 6/13/18 Board Order, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22. Release effective 2/14/22.

WRIGHT, Virginia F., M.D., (#35.143639) - Canfield, Ohio

Request for release from the terms of the 10/13/21 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 2/9/22. Release effective immediately.

COURT ACTIONS

None.

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 "Lookup a License." If you have questions or need additional details about Citations, Board Orders, or Court Actions, please contact the Case Control Office. If you have questions regarding a Consent Agreements,

probationary modification or a probationary request, please contact the Compliance Office. Our offices may be reached at (614) 466-3934.