

**State Medical Board of Ohio**  
**Formal Action Report – May 8, 2019**

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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 May 8, 2019.

**CITATIONS/PROPOSED DENIALS**

**ALDERSON, Julie Mae, D.O., Applicant - Cleveland Heights, Ohio**

Based on the doctor's submission of an application to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery; also based on a psychiatric assessment that diagnosed the doctor with conditions including Bipolar Disorder, and Unspecified Personality Disorder, and a diagnosis of Substance Use Disorder. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, individually and or collectively, constitute: an inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness, including, but not limited to, physical deterioration that adversely affects cognitive, motor, or perceptive skills; and an 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. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/9/2019.

**BJARKE, Chris, M.D., (#35.132483) - Renton, Washington**

Based on a prior action by the California Medical Board, Department of Consumer Affairs, which issued a January 22, 2019 Decision and Order, that accepted a Stipulation for a Probationary License, that granted the doctor a license on a probationary basis for three years, established a practice monitor, and prohibited the doctor from solo practice. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, 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. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/9/2019.

**GALINDO, Eugenio G., M.D., (#35.061238) - McAllen, Texas**

Based on a prior action by the Disciplinary Panel of the Texas Medical Board, which issued a March 20, 2019 Order of Temporary Restriction, that restricted the doctor's license by

prohibiting the doctor from examining or treating female patients. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, 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. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/9/2019.

**GRUSD**, Ronald Selwyn, M.D., (#35.040650) - Los Angeles, California

Based on the doctor's conviction in the United State District Court, Southern District of California to thirty-nine felonies, including Health Care Fraud, Conspiracy to Commit Honest Services Mail Fraud, Honest Services Mail Fraud, Honest Services Wire Fraud, and violations of the Travel Act, and also based on the prior actions by the Texas Medical Board, which issued a December 14, 2018 Order, and the Medical board of California, which issued a December 21, 2019 Notice of Automatic Suspension of License, both of which suspended the doctor's license based on the aforementioned felony convictions. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, 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; and 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 5/9/2019.

**SHAMBLIN**, David Carol, M.D., Applicant - Coolville, Ohio

Based on the doctor's submission of an application to practice medicine and surgery; and also based on two prior actions by the West Virginia Board of Medicine, which issued a November 28, 2018 Final Decision and Order, that revoked the doctor's license for three years, and fined him \$3,000.00; and a September 11, 1989 Order, that reprimanded and placed the doctor on probation for three years, required him to take prescribing and medical recordkeeping education courses, volunteer at a drug rehabilitation center, and fined him \$10,000.00. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, 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. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/9/2019.

**SHIPMAN**, Lauren Elizabeth, M.D., (#35.135355) - Little Rock, Arkansas

Based on a prior action by the Arkansas Medical Board, which issued a January 14, 2019 Emergency Order of Suspension and Notice for Hearing, that suspended the doctor's license. The doctor's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, 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. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/9/2019.

**STRUNK**, Ashley Rae, M.T., (#33.021428) - Fairfield, Ohio

Based on the massage therapist alleged failure to respond to Board investigators, or Board interrogatories. The massage therapist's acts, conduct, and or omissions as alleged, individually and or collectively, constitute a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, 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 5/9/2019.

### **NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATIONS**

**BADII**, Roozbeh, M.D., (#35.127228) – San Diego, California (Non-Disciplinary)

Based on the doctor's submission of an application for a certificate to recommend medical use of marijuana; also based on the doctor's 2/8/2017 Consent Agreement which was based in whole or part on the doctor's inappropriate prescribing, personally furnishing, dispensing, diverting, administering, supplying or selling a controlled substance or other dangerous drug. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/10/2019.

**GREYNOLDS**, Taun T., M.T., (Applicant) – Cincinnati, Ohio (Non -Disciplinary)

Based on the massage therapist's submission of an application to practice massage therapy in Ohio; also based on the applicant not currently holding a diploma or certificate from a school, college, or institution in good standing as determined by the Board or in another state or jurisdiction that meets the Board's required course of instruction; nor holding a current license, registration or certificate of good standing in another state for at least the preceding five years. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/10/2019.

**NAJM**, Hani Kamal, M.D., (Applicant) – Moreland Hills, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Based on the doctor's submission of an application for a license to practice medicine and surgery; and on the doctor's failure to take and pass a licensing examination acceptable to the Board. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/10/2019.

**RANSOME**, Jada Monique, M.T., (#33.015003) – Youngstown, Ohio (Non -Disciplinary)

Based on the massage therapist's submission of an application for restoration of a license to practice massage therapy; also based on the massage therapist not having been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/10/2019.

**SMITH**, Randy Michael, D.O., (34.013221) – Miamisburg, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Based on the doctor's submission of an application for a certificate to recommend medical use of marijuana; also based on the doctor's 4/10/2019 Consent Agreement which suspended and imposed restrictions and limitations on the doctor's license that came into effect during considering of the doctor's pending application. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/10/2019.

**ZIZZO**, Steven, M.D. (Telemedicine Applicant) – Ontario, Canada (Non-Disciplinary)

Based on: the doctor's submission of an application to practice telemedicine; and on the doctor's failure to provide evidence that his principal place of practice is located in a state that requires license holders to complete at least fifty hours of continuing medical education every two years; and that the doctor does not hold certification from the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing mailed 5/13/2019.

## **FINAL ORDERS**

**DELISMA**, Kansky Jean, M.D., Applicant - Miami, Florida

Application for a license to practice medicine and surgery is denied. Based on the doctor's April 8, 2018 application to practice medicine and surgery; a plea of guilty in the United States District Court, Southern District of Florida, to one felony count of Receipt of Kickbacks in Connection with a Federal Health Care Program; a prior action by the State of Florida Board of Medicine, which issued a December 19, 2016 Final Order wherein the doctor's license was suspended and publicly reprimanded; and a prior action by the Medical Licensing Board of Indiana, which, on January 25, 2018, denied the doctor's application for a license to practice medicine; and a August 31, 2016 decision by the Federal Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Inspector General, that excluded the doctor from all federal health care programs, including Medicare and Medicaid for five years; that those acts, individually or collectively constitute: the obtaining of, or attempting to obtain, money or anything of value by fraudulent misrepresentations in the course of practice; and 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; and the termination or suspension from participation in the Medicare or Medicaid programs by the department of health and human services or other responsible agency. Order effective 5/23/2019

**HAGINS, Tod, M.D., (#35.070995) - Weirton, West Virginia**

License to practice medicine and surgery permanently revoked, and subject to an eighteen thousand dollar (\$18,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's plea of guilty and finding of guilt in the United States District Court, Northern District of West Virginia to one count of Conspiracy to Distribute a Controlled Substance Outside the Bounds of Professional Medical Practice, which constitutes 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 5/9/2019.

**HANF, Thomas Robert, M.D., (#35.068943) - Somerset, Ohio**

License to practice medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, fined three thousand five-hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), and subject to conditions for reinstatement and probationary terms, conditions and limitations for at least two years. Based on the finding that when the doctor performed procedures beyond his approved clinical privileges, recorded inaccurate and misleading documentation in medical records, and provided substandard medical care that led to the doctor's medical privileges at the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to be summarily suspended and revoked, those acts individually or collectively constitute a revocation, suspension, restriction, reduction, or termination of clinical privileges by the United States department of defense or department of Veterans Affairs or the termination or suspension of a certificate of registration to prescribe drugs by the drug enforcement administrations of the United States department of justice. Order effective 5/9/2019.

**LOCKE, Susan Sherlock, M.D., (#35.054961) - Shaker Heights, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application for restoration of license to practice medicine and surgery approved, provided that the doctor takes and passes the Special Purpose Examination (SPEX), or specialty board recertification in General Psychiatry with the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology Certifying Board, within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Order effective 5/9/2019. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**MILLER, Anna Joy, M.T., (#33.016539) - Bowling Green, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination (MBLEx) within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Order effective 5/9/2019. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**MITCHELL, Jamie Michelle, M.T., (#33.011499) - Carroll, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination (MBLEx) within six months of the mailing of the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Order effective 5/9/2019. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**SAKKAL**, Saad Al, M.D., (#35.048933) - Mason, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, and subject to conditions for reinstatement or restoration. Based on a prior action by the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure, which issued an August 16, 2018 Emergency Order of Restriction restricting the doctor's license by prohibiting prescribing, dispensing, or otherwise professionally utilizing controlled substances until the resolution of an indictment filed in the U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio, containing thirty-two counts of Illegal Distribution of Controlled Substances outside the usual course of medical practice, and seven counts of Use of Registration Issued to Another Person, which constitutes 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 5/9/2019.

**YOHANNES**, Demas Amaha , R.C.P., Applicant - Columbus, Ohio

Application for a license to practice respiratory care denied. Based on the finding that when the respiratory care professional failed to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the Board, and failed to respond to Board interrogatories, his acts, individually and/or collectively, constitute a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, 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, and investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories. Order effective 5/9/2019.

### **CONSENT AGREEMENTS**

**AMR**, Khaled Labib, M.D., (#35.087312) - Columbus, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery suspended for an indefinite period-of-time, and subject to general probationary terms, and conditions for reinstatement. Based on the doctor's admission that an indictment was filed in the Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County, Ohio, charging him with numerous felonies and prescribing violations. The doctor further admits that based on the advice of counsel, and his fifth amendment right against self-incrimination, he declines to provide the Board with certain factual information concerning the criminal matter pending against him, which information is currently being sought by the Board in the course of its investigation, and that his acts, individually and/or collectively, constitute a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, 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. Agreement effective 5/8/2019.

**HERBERT**, Michael J., R.C.P., (#RCP.1911) - Delaware, Ohio

License to practice respiratory care is indefinitely suspended, and subject to general probationary terms and conditions for reinstatement or restoration. Based on the respiratory care therapist's admission that a complaint was filed against him in the Franklin County Municipal Court, Franklin County, Ohio, charging the therapist with Endangering Children and Assault, both first degree misdemeanors, and that based on the advice of counsel, and his fifth amendment right against self-incrimination, he declines to provide the Board with certain factual information concerning the criminal matter pending against him, which information is currently being sought by the Board in the course of its investigation, and that his acts, individually and/or collectively, constitute a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, 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, and investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories. Agreement effective 5/8/2019.

### **VOLUNTARY PERMANENT SURRENDERS, RETIREMENTS, REVOCATIONS, WITHDRAWALS**

**BERKELEY**, Barbara Ellen, M.D. (#35.055316) - Chagrin Falls, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Withdrawal of doctor's pending application for a certificate to recommend medical use of marijuana, approved. Withdrawal effective 5/8/2019.

**BIBB**, Ronald, M.D., Applicant - Bardstown, Kentucky

Permanent withdrawal of application for medical licensure, authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(22), Ohio Revised Code, approved. Withdrawal effective 5/8/2019.

**HAYMAN**, Robert Frederick, D.P.M., (#36.001937) - Cincinnati, Ohio

Permanent revocation of license to practice podiatric medicine and surgery authorized by doctor in lieu of further investigation and/or formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(6), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 5/8/2019.

**NIKPARVARFARD**, Mehdi, M.D., (#35.088301) - Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania

Permanent revocation of license to practice medicine and surgery authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Sections 4731.22(B)(9), and 4731.22(B)(22), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 5/8/2019.

**PAUL**, Sheila Salome, M.D., (#34.006622) – Bentleyville, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Permanent withdrawal of doctor's pending application for a certificate to recommend medical use of marijuana, approved. Withdrawal effective 5/8/2019.

**SARTAIN, Madelyn Renee, D.O. (#34.003964) – Hilliard, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Permanent withdrawal of doctor's pending application for a certificate to recommend medical use of marijuana, approved. Withdrawal effective 5/8/2019.

**THOMAS (RUSSELL), Vanessa, M.D. (#35.123926) - Daphne, Alabama**

Permanent 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 5/8/2019.

### **PROBATIONARY REQUESTS AND MODIFICATIONS**

**BAULA, Marvin Mercado, M.D., (#35.099925) - Fairborn, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of monitoring physician, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Frequency and number of charts to be reviewed by monitor established as ten charts per week.

**BORISON, Daniel I., M.D., (#35.057425) - Beachwood, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of controlled substance prescribing course, and medical records course, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**CARVER, Joseph Claude, M.D., (#35.129943) - Dublin, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval to discontinue practice plan, monitoring, and chart review requirements, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**CIRINO, Rebecca Therese, D.O., (#34.007684) - Valley City, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of a time extension to complete required CME courses, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Extension for CME courses set as 7/1/2019.

**DUNLAP, Gary Allan, D.O. (#34.002045) - Dayton, Ohio**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 5/8/2013 Board Order, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Release effective 5/14/2019.

**ENGLISH, James Carey, M.D., (#35.048622) - Westerville, Ohio**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 5/11/2016 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Release effective 5/11/2019.

**GUPTA, Anshuli, M.D., (#35.126707) - Columbus, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of a reduction in personal appearances from once every three months, to once every six months, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

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

Doctor's request for approval to reduce drug and alcohol rehabilitation meeting attendance from three per week to two per week with a minimum of ten per month; and request to reduce personal appearances from once every three months, to once every six months, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**LAWRENCE, Susan Donna, D.O., (#34.005458) - Athens, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of psychiatric assessor and treating psychiatrist, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**MATHUR, Pradeep, M.D., (#35.059651) - Poland, Ohio**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 1/9/2019 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**PULAKHANDAM, Sreelatha, M.D., (#35.083088) - Covington, Louisiana**

Doctor's request for approval of medical records and professional ethics courses, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019.

**STIPE, Elizabeth Renee, M.T., (#33.017562) - Amherst, Ohio**

Massage therapist's request for release from the terms of the 12/14/2016 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Release effective 5/9/2019.

### **PROBATION TERMINATED**

**PALMA, Michael J., M.D., (#57.018764) - Portsmouth, New Hampshire**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 5/14/2014 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 5/8/2019. Release effective 5/14/2019.

### **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, 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.