

DISCIPLINARY ACTION REPORT

NASHVILLE, Tenn. -- Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-114 requires the Tennessee Department of Health to issue a monthly media release listing all disciplinary actions taken by the health related boards during the prior month. Below is a list of actions taken in August 2011, *detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our Web site at <http://health.state.tn.us/Licensure/index.htm>. Enter the name of the person. When the license information comes up, click either "disciplinary action" or "adverse licensure action" in the right column.*

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

Licensee: Troy D. Buckridge, D.C., Seymour, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty; must submit 24 continuing education credits within 90 days

Licensee: Sheri L. Johnson, C.T.X., Dandridge, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty; must submit six continuing education credits within 90 days

Licensee: Pamela E. Rich, C.T.A., Bean Station, Tenn.
Violation: Practiced on an expired license
Action: Assessed \$225 civil penalty

BOARD OF COMMUNICATION DISORDERS AND SCIENCES

Licensee: Tori L. Carraway, Sp. Path., Knoxville, Tenn.*
Violation: Practiced on an expired license
Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty

Licensee: Sherri R. Graves, Sp. Path., Germantown, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit three continuing education credits within 90 days

Licensee: Ashley C. Perry, Sp. Path., Knoxville, Tenn.*
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit four continuing education credits within 90 days

Licensee: Terri Philpot, Sp. Path., Lawrenceburg, Tenn.*
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit three continuing education credits within 90 days

Licensee: Kimberly S. Wise, Sp. Path., Hernando, Miss.
Violation: Practiced on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty

**These practitioner was disciplined on May 17, 2011*

BOARD OF MASSAGE LICENSURE

Licensee: Lisa M. Anschuetz, L.M.T., Clarksville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Toi L. Bonner, L.M.T., Brentwood, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Kerri L. Evans-Powell, L.M.T., Nashville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$250 civil penalty; must submit eight continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: La Bella E. Famosa, Massage Establishment, Franklin, Tenn.

Violation: Practiced on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Cheryl A. Garrigan, L.M.T., Goodlettsville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to have establishment license

Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty; must submit two continuing education credits

Licensee: Carrie A. Grundt, L.M.T., Knoxville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Rebecca L. (Hastings) Robinson, L.M.T., Springfield, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$525 civil penalty; must submit 21 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Margrett R. Heilman, L.M.T., Maryville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Hixson Spine Center of Chattanooga, Inc., Hixson, Tenn.

Violation: Practiced on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty

Licensee: Ashley M. Howell, L.M.T., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty; must submit eight continuing education credits before

the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Amanda R. Humberd, L.M.T., Gray, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Scott K. Isaacs, L.M.T., Nashville, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Hannah S. Jennings, L.M.T., Bulls Gap, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Amber M. Martin, L.M.T., Clarksville, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: John R. Montgomery, L.M.T., Johnson City, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Emily P. Moore, L.M.T., Bristol, Va.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Bruce R. Peterson, L.M.T., McKenzie, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty; must submit eight continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Christopher L. Sanford, L.M.T., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Christina N. Shaffer, L.M.T., Ooltewah, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Benjamin H. Smith, L.M.T., Spring Hill, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Jacqueline K. Smith, L.M.T., Soddy Daisy, Tenn.
 Violation: Practiced on an expired license
 Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty

Licensee: M. Jonmarie Stanley, L.M.T., Whiteville, Tenn.
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

Licensee: Vicky A. Winfrey, L.M.T., Dover, Tenn.
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Assessed \$775 civil penalty; must submit 31 continuing education credits before the end of the current two year continuing education period

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: Anthony, L. Armstrong, M.D., Corinth, Miss.**
 Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
 Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty; must submit ten continuing education credits within 180 days and an additional ten within two years

***This practitioner was disciplined on July 19, 2011*

Licensee: Benjamin F. Booker III, M.D., Franklin, Tenn.**
 Violation: Indicted for unlawful distribution of controlled substances
 Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions

****This practitioner was disciplined on May 24, 2011*

Licensee: Jada Cousar, X-ray Op., Covington, Tenn.
 Violation: Habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating, liquors, narcotics, controlled substances, or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the person's ability to practice medicine
 Action: Must maintain the advocacy of the Tennessee Medical Foundation for one to three years

Licensee: Rene DelValle, M.D., McMinnville, Tenn.****
 Violation: Dispensing prescribing or otherwise distributing any controlled substance or other drug to any person in violation of any law of the state or of the United States; inappropriate treatment or treatment of family members in non-emergency settings
 Action: License placed on probation for no less than two years; never to operate, own, or in any way supervise another weight loss practice as long as he holds a Tennessee medical license; assessed costs

*****This practitioner was disciplined on July 20, 2011*

Licensee: James V. Ellis, M.D., Germantown, Tenn.
 Violation: Habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating, liquors, narcotics, controlled substances, or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the person's ability to practice medicine

Action: Must maintain the advocacy of the Tennessee Medical Foundation for no less than 10 years

Licensee: Ira Fleming, X-ray Op., Nashville, Tenn.

Violation: Habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating, liquors, narcotics, controlled substances, or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the person's ability to practice medicine

Action: Must maintain the advocacy of the Tennessee Medical Foundation for one to three years

Licensee: Tracy H. Goen, M.D., Bristol, Tenn.

Violation: Habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating, liquors, narcotics, controlled substances, or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the person's ability to practice medicine; action taken in another state

Action: License restricted for use in practice in one year fellowship program; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Damian M. McGovern, M.D., Nashville, Tenn.

Violation: Habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating, liquors, narcotics, controlled substances, or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the person's ability to practice medicine

Action: Must maintain the advocacy of the Tennessee Medical Foundation for no less than five years

Licensee: Larry E. Perry, M.D., Oneida, Tenn.

Violation: Inappropriate sexual misconduct with female patients

Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed costs

BOARD OF NURSING

Licensee: Stephanie C. Anderson, L.P.N., Franklin, Tenn.

Violation: Unprofessional conduct; violated the confidentiality of information or knowledge concerning the patient, except when required to do so by a court of law

Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed costs

Licensee: Shannon Arrick aka Shannon Hickerson, R.N., Hillsboro, Tenn.

Violation: Being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgment while in duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Charles T. Brashier, A.P.N., R.N., Clifton, Tenn.

Violation: Violation of board order

Action: License revoked; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs

Licensee: Joyce W. Chadwick, R.N., Knoxville, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Jonithan D Chapman, R.N., Cleveland, Tenn.
Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Patrisha A. Christopher, R.N., Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment form any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License suspended for not less than 90 days; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Dawn M. Clark, L.P.N., Cookeville, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Terria G. Cochran, R.N., Humboldt, Tenn.
Violation: Unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment form any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License voluntarily surrendered/revoked

Licensee: Teresa W. Debusk, R.N., Knoxville, Tenn.
Violation: Practicing as an advanced practice nurse without a license
Action: Assessed \$4,500 civil penalty

Licensee: Chelsie C. Duncan, R.N., Newport, Tenn.
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment form any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License placed on probation to run concurrent with contract already in place with the Tennessee Professional Assistance Program

Licensee: Vernon S. Frye, R.N., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment form any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; working while impaired
Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Chanda L. Garner, L.P.N., Hendersonville, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Bryson K. Gibbs, R.N., Antioch, Tenn.
Violation: Unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment form any

health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; working while impaired
Action: License suspended for not less than 90 day; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Lauren K. Glass, A.P.N., R.N., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Violation: Practicing without an advanced practice nursing license
Action: Assessed \$4,500 civil penalty

Licensee: Sarah E. Green, L.P.N., La Follett, Tenn.
Violation: Unprofessional conduct
Action: Must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Jonathan P. Hudgins, L.P.N., Nashville, Tenn.
Violation: Guilty of a crime
Action: License placed on probation for not less than two years; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Candace L. Johnson, R.N., Collierville, Tenn.
Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License placed on probation to run concurrent with contract already in place with the Tennessee Professional Assistance Program

Licensee: Vivian Y. Johnson, R.N., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Violation of board order
Action: License retired

Licensee: Karen L. Kilgore, R.N., Kingsport, Tenn.
Violation: Unprofessional conduct
Action: License suspended for three months; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Rose Mary Lamb, R.N., Treadway, Tenn.
Violation: Making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance; impersonating another licensed practitioner; engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Lorraine K. Linkous, R.N., Knoxville, Tenn.*****
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended
******This practitioner was disciplined on April 1, 2011*

Licensee: Karina J. Napier, R.N., Dandridge, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Dewanda F. Powell, L.P.N., Nashville, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Derek K. Scott, R.N., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Action taken by the state of Nevada
Action: License placed on probation for not less than three years; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Melanie B. Simmons, R.N., Seymour, Tenn.
Violation: Making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License placed on probation for not less than two years; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Bobbie D. Smith, R.N., Clarksville, Tenn.
Violation: Guilty of a crime
Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: LeAllyn F. Steele, R.N., Nashville, Tenn.
Violation: Making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License placed on probation for not less than one year; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Sandra K. Stone, R.N., Maryville, Tenn.
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location
Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Lisa G. Washington, R.N., Bartlett, Tenn.
Violation: Unfit or incompetent of negligence, habits or other causes; making false entries in any record pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance
Action: License placed on probation for not less than one year; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Melissa A. Whitaker, R.N., Johnson City, Tenn.*****
Violation: Unprofessional conduct
Action: License placed on probation to run concurrent with contract already in place with the Tennessee Professional Assistance Program

*****This practitioner was disciplined on November 18, 2010*

Licensee: Terry D. Wicks, R.N, Rockford, Tenn.
Violation: Unprofessional conduct

Action: License suspended for no less than six months; must meet certain terms and conditions

Licensee: Sheri L. Wilson, L.P.N., Knoxville, Tenn.

Violation: Guilty of fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing; guilty of a crime

Action: License revoked

BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

Licensee: Steven D. Elliott, O.D., Clinton, Tenn.*****

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 18 continuing education credits by the end of next calendar year

******This practitioner was disciplined on May 11, 2011*

BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS

Licensee: Cody Davis, D.O., Parsons, Tenn.

Violation: Per terms of board order

Action: License suspended; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs

Licensee: James J. Maccarone, D.O. Clarksville, Tenn.*****

Violation: Subject to agreed terms

Action: Must meet certain terms and conditions

******This practitioner was disciplined on June 9, 2011*

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Licensee: Derek A. Bullen, P.T.A., Corryton, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Paul B. Rogers, P.T.A., Medina, Tenn.

Violation: Practiced on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty

BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: Aurdie L. Amoo-Asante, Ped., Brentwood, Tenn.

Violation: Practiced beyond the scope of practice

Action: License reprimanded; must meet certain terms and conditions; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Teresa L. Eastes, X-ray Op., Liberty, Tenn.

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit four continuing education credits by December 31, 2011

Licensee: Tracy A. Merrell, D.P.M., Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 10 continuing education credits by December 31, 2011

Licensee: Denise D. Neidig, X-ray Op., Jackson, Tenn.
Violation: Practiced on an expired license
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Joseph B. Neubauer, D.P.M., Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit one continuing education credit by December 31, 2011

BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKER LICENSURE

Licensee: Gary C. Cutshall, L.C.S.W., Johnson City, Tenn.
Violation: Failure to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 8.85 continuing education credits by December 31, 2011

Licensee: Katherine E. Fox, L.C.S.W., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Failure to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 4.5 continuing education credits by May 9, 2012

Licensee: Nicole L. Hilliard, L.B.S.W., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Failure to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Sheryl L. McIlvain, LCSW, Madison, Tenn.
Violation: Practiced on an expired license
Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty

Licensee: Patricia Split, L.C.S.W., Memphis, Tenn.
Violation: Failure to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 27 continuing education credits by April 20, 2012

Licensee: William F. Stouffer, L.M.S.W, Hubert, N.C.
Violation: Practiced on an expired license
Action: Assessed \$900 civil penalty

Licensee: Julie L. Wright, L.M.S.W., Hernando, Miss.
Violation: Failure to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must submit 10 continuing education credits by May 9, 2012

BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: G. Patrick Coffeen, D.V.M., Franklin, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to have valid premises permit
Action: License Reprimanded; assessed \$2,350 civil penalty; \$80 late renewal fee, plus costs

Licensee: Philip J. Shivell Jr., D.V.M., Kingsport, Tenn.
Violation: Failed to have valid premises permit
Action: License Reprimanded; assessed \$500 civil penalty, plus costs

ABUSE REGISTRY

Individual: Tabona Ncube, Madison, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect/Exploitation
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Individual: Shavelle Martina Durham, Bartlett, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect
Profession: CNA/Revoked

Individual: Cora Wright, Jackson, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect/Physical/Verbal
Profession: Home Manager

Individual: Cristin Dugger, Johnson City, Tenn.
Abuse: Exploitation/Misappropriation
Profession: Direct Care Staff

Individual: Yevonn Scott, Bartlett, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect/Physical
Profession: Direct Support Personnel

Individual: Tyrone Rogers, Hendersonville, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Individual: Sharon Perkins, Franklin, Tenn.
Abuse: Neglect
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Individual: Landon Reed, Columbia, Tenn.
Abuse: Misappropriation
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Individual: Michelle Wray, Memphis, Tenn.
Abuse: Misappropriation
Profession: Site Manager

Individual: Vonda Ragland, Memphis, Tenn.
Abuse: Misappropriation
Profession: Home Manager

