

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 November 2018. *Detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our website at <https://apps.health.tn.gov/Licensure/default.aspx>. 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 ATHLETIC TRAINERS

Licensee: Shellie Nicole Acocello, AT, Ringgold, Georgia
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on an expired license.
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00

Licensee: Nathan Benjamin Barger, AT, Johnson City
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on an expired license.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalty of \$2,200.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Seth Daniel Billings, AT, Nashville
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on an expired license.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalty of \$2,200.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Daniel L. Kontos, AT, Jonesborough
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on an expired license.
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00

Licensee: Darrell M. Turner, AT, Memphis
Violation: Guilty of knowingly employing 5 unlicensed individuals to work as Assistant Athletic Trainers.
Action: Licensed place on probation; assessed civil penalty of \$5,600.00; plus costs not to exceed \$3,000.00

BOARD OF PAIN MANAGEMENT CLINICS

Licensee: Lafollette Wellness Center, PMC, Lafollette
Violation: Violation of the rules promulgated for pain management clinics. Conduct found by commissioner to be detrimental to the health and welfare of patients. Failure to establish quality assurance policies and procedures. Failure to ensure that providers at clinic maintain complete and accurate medical records for patients.
Action: Conditional license issued subject to probation of not less than two years; must obtain practice monitoring and successfully complete coursework.

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Licensee: Souphaphonh Kounlavong, DA, LaVergne
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00

BOARD OF MASSAGE LICENSURE

Licensee: Robin Vanessa Blaisdell, LMT, Olive Branch
Violation: Failed properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$400.00

Licensee: Juanjuan Dai, Applicant, Murfreesboro
Violation: Failed to complete massage education prior to testing for the MBLEx
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Angela Leanne Dugan, LMT, Chattanooga
Violation: Failed properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$425.00

Licensee: Robin Gill, Applicant, Collinwood
Violation: Abuses or is addicted to the habitual use of intoxicating liquors, drugs or stimulants to such an extent as to incapacitate such person's performance of professional duties.
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Jessea Hader, LMT
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits.
Action: May not reinstate license until applicant either submits proof of completing 2011/2012 continuing education credits or makes them up; agrees that Board may assess civil penalties upon reinstatement; assessed costs not to exceed \$300.00

Licensee: Mingxue Jin, LMT, Prattville
Violation: Failed properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$775.00

Licensee: Joann Lale, LMT, Maryville
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,250.00

Licensee: Jianmei Liu, LMT, Hendersonville
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,100.00

Licensee: Jun Liu, Applicant, Clarksville
Violation: Guilty of inaccuracies and inconsistencies in the application. Guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage. Guilty of practicing massage without a license.
Action: Application denied

Licensee: John Park Lord, LMT, Gray
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$300.00

Licensee: Lucky 7 Healing Center Establishment, Franklin
Violation: Guilty of employing unlicensed massage therapists. Persons or massage establishments engage in massage for compensation shall be licensed by the massage licensure board.
Action: License Revoked (August 31, 2018); assessed civil penalty of \$2,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$3,000.00

Licensee: Lucky 7 Healing Center Establishment Applicant, Franklin
Violation: Guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Vickie Maureen Martinez-Cordero, LMT, Limestone
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$775.00

Licensee: JoyLee Martinez-Salome, Nashville
Violation: Abuses or is addicted to the habitual use of intoxicating liquors, drugs or stimulants to such an extent as to incapacitate such person's performance of professional duties.
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Helen Marie Mathews, Applicant, Maryville
Violation: Guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage. Guilty of practicing massage without a license.
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Christina Marie Mobley, LMT, Cordova
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$750.00

Licensee: Pure Life Massage & Wellness, Establishment, Franklin
Violation: Guilty of employing unlicensed massage therapists. Persons or massage establishments engage in massage for compensation shall be licensed by the massage licensure board.
Action: License placed on probation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,500.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00.

Licensee: Jane Ellen Quinn, LMT, Smyrna
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$225.00

Licensee: Hong Shen, Applicant, Oak Park, Illinois
Violation: Failed to complete massage education prior to testing for the MBLEx
Action: Application denied

Licensee: Jill Shirrel, LMT, Brentwood
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: May not reinstate retired license until completing at least 13 continuing education hours; assessed civil penalty of \$650.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Yi Sun, LMT, Hermitage
Violation: Failed properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$200.00

Licensee: Kendra Lenice Thomas, LMT, Brownsville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Conditional renewal granted; must complete 23 continuing education hours in 6 months.

Licensee: Lianji Wu, LMT, Collierville
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$500.00

Licensee: Adrienne Waits, LMT, Memphis
Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on a lapsed license
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$100.00

Licensee: He Zhang, Applicant, Clarksville
Violation: Failed to provide legitimate documentation from the massage school purportedly attended. Guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee'
Action: Application denied

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: John Austin, MD, Nashville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$2,675.00

Licensee: Thomas K. Ballard, III., M.D., Jackson
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; prescribing dangerous drugs or controlled substances without observing all Board guidelines; gross health care liability or a pattern of continued or repeated health care liability, ignorance, negligence or incompetence in the course of medical practice; prescribing controlled substances without first performing an appropriate history and physical examination, making a diagnosis based upon the examination and diagnostic and laboratory tests consistent with good care, formulating a therapeutic plan and discussing it with the patient, and insuring the availability of a physician or coverage of that patient for appropriate follow-up care, and documenting the same; prescribing controlled substances for the treatment of nonmalignant pain at a pain management clinic without documenting the reason for prescribing the given quantity in that patient's record; failing to keep and maintain medical records or summaries such as is necessary to insure that a subsequent treating

- physician can both ascertain the basis for the diagnosis and provide continuity of care.
- Action: License placed on probation for not less than two years; required to obtain and comply with practice monitoring for not less than one year; required to complete courses on medical record keeping and prescribing controlled substances; assessed civil penalty of \$1,100.00 plus costs not to exceed \$20,000.00
- Licensee: Bendik L. Clark, MD, Marshall, North Carolina
Violation: Guilty of engaging in inappropriate communications and conduct with three patients, one of which resulted in a sexual relationship. Failure to maintain advocacy of Tennessee Medical Foundation. Guilty of disciplinary action by Virginia Board of Medicine and North Carolina Medical Board.
Action: License suspended; assessed civil penalty of \$3,000.00 plus costs of the cause.
- Licensee: Desta Cole, AMDX, Goodlettsville
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$400.00
- Licensee: Douglas H. Gaither, M.D., Davenport, Iowa
Violation: Disciplinary action taken in another state. Guilty of violating appropriate professional boundaries and indiscriminately or promiscuously prescribing controlled substances in violation of the laws and rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$2,000.00
- Licensee: Kamela Lee, MD, Memphis
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits
Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$4,000.00
- Licensee: Robert Locklear, Applicant, Greeneville
Violation: Applicant was instructed on November 28, 2017 to complete a formal assessment and to consult with Medical Consultant to devise a proposed re-entry plan
Action: Conditional license granted with 6 months monitoring; a report of fitness to practice and maintenance of Tennessee Medical Foundation advocacy for the duration of licensure in the State of Tennessee.
- Licensee: Gary L. Murray, MD, Germantown
Violation: Guilty of prescribing controlled substances to immediate family members and providing non-emergent care to immediate family members, including his parents, for major long-term illnesses. Failure to create and or maintain a medical record for every prescription provided to family members.
Action: License placed on probation for 2 years with course requirements for medical record keeping and prescribing controlled substances; assessed civil penalty of \$2,500 plus costs not to exceed \$30,000.00
- Licensee: Darrel R. Rinehart, MD, Columbia
Violation: Guilty of prescribing narcotics and other medications and controlled substances in amounts and for durations not medically necessary, advisable or justified; prescribing controlled substances with other medications with a high potential

for abuse and did so without conducting a physical examination in order to make a clear objective finding of a chronic pain source to justify ongoing and increasing prescribing; prescribed controlled substances without consulting the Controlled Substances Monitoring Database; prescribed controlled substances without obtaining a thorough history or inquiring into potential substance abuse history, without an appropriate written treatment plan, without justification nor medically necessary for patients' diagnoses, and not for a legitimate purpose. Prescribed narcotics and/or other controlled substances in quantities and durations such that the person would likely become addicted to the habit of taking said controlled substances and failed to make a bona fide effort to cure the habit.

Action: License suspended until expiration in May of 2019; permanently barred from renewing or reinstating license or applying for a new one; complete course on medical record keeping and prescribing controlled substances; assessed civil penalty of \$32,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$100,000.00

Licensee: Stephen M. Sawrie, MD, Spanish Fort, Alabama

Violation: Disciplinary action against a person licensed to practice medicine by another state or territory of the United States would constitute grounds for discipline of a person licensed in this state. Pursuant to summary suspension of Alabama license for severe alcohol addiction.

Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Reinaldo Torres-Guillont, MD, Johnson City

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$1,468.00

Licensee: Jill Wallner, MD, Crossville

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$2,375.00

Licensee: Barry White, MD, Memphis

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$200.00

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS COMMITTEE ON PHYSICIANS ASSISTANTS

Licensee: Audie Marlar, Jr, PA, Sharon

Violation: Failed to comply with the federal and state laws regarding controlled substances by writing prescriptions to his family members without maintaining a medical record for the family members.

Action: License Voluntarily surrendered and retired and may not at any time apply for another Tennessee Physician Assistant license.

COUNCIL OF CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL MIDWIFERY

Licensee: Carolyn Drake Reisman, CPM, Chattanooga

Violation: Failed to enter into a collaborative care plan with a physician

Action: License placed on probation for 6 months with terms and assessed an \$800 civil penalty plus costs

BOARD OF NURSING

Licensee: Carl H. Ananias, LPN, Watertown
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test
Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Latoya Banks-Lewis, LPN, Memphis
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: has violated or attempted to violate directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted in the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto
Action: License revoked; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00 plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00

Licensee: Kim L. Biggs, APRN/RN, Lafayette
Violation: Making materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; inappropriate prescribing/over-prescribing; unprofessional conduct
Action: APRN certificate and RN license suspended for thirty days with terms; after thirty days APRN and RN placed on probation for no less than two years with terms; surrender all DEA licenses and will not (a) write or prescribe controlled substances or (b) work in a pain management clinic until further Board order; must appear before ARC to lift probation; must complete continuing education hours; assessed civil penalties in the amount of \$5,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Kelley Ann Bingham, RN, Bayville LA
Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient; making materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Amy L. Bowser, APRN, Brentwood
Violation: Failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient; failure to follow guidelines for proper

prescribing for the treatment of pain
Action: APRN certificate placed on probation for no less than three years with terms; must obtain continuing education credits; prohibited from working as an APRN in any licensed pain clinic; and must pay costs in the amount of \$2,000.00

Licensee: Melody Calley, RN, Joshua Tree CA
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and performing nursing techniques or procedure without proper education and practice

Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; must obtain continuing education credits; plus costs not to exceed \$300.00

Licensee: Loree Denise Clapham, RN, Tullahoma
Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits, or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; making materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License suspended for no less than six months and until evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required; must obtain continuing education credits; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00

Licensee: Jennifer Elizabeth Cousins, LPN, Loudon
Violation: Refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Joshua A. Crisp, RN, Knoxville
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Autumn L. Davis, RN, Gatlinburg
Violation: Guilty of a crime; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: making materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or

administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; impersonating another licensed practitioner; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License voluntarily surrendered; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Donna A. Dinsmore, RN, Nashville

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

Action: Renewal application granted; license renewed as a single state license valid in Tennessee only

Licensee: Jordan L. Dyer, APRN/RN, Wartburg

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: use of any intoxicating beverage or the illegal use of any narcotic or dangerous drug while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: APRN certificate and RN license suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Ladeana Marae Ealy, RN, Bybee

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and making materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act

Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; must obtain continuing education hours

Licensee: Angela K. Eldridge, LPN, Cookeville

Violation: Violated or attempted to violate directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted in the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto

Action: License revoked; assessed civil penalty of \$150.00; plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00

Licensee: Lisa D. Fair, RN, Unicoi

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: assigning unqualified person to perform functions of licensed persons or delegating nursing care function and tasks and/or responsibilities to others contrary to the Nurse Practice Act or rules and regulations to the detriment of patient safety; failing to supervise persons to whom nursing functions are delegated or assigned; failing to take appropriate

Action: action in safeguarding the patient from incompetent health care practices; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
License reprimanded; must obtain continuing education hours

Licensee: Jason P. Faith, RN, Madison

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Jessica L. Fletcher, LPN, Madisonville

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Rhonda G. Flynn, RN, Lenoir City

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: use of any intoxicating beverage or the illegal use of any narcotic or dangerous drug while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Candace Gauvin, RN, Cookeville

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; and 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 no less than one year; must obtain continuing education credits; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Brandon Goodman, RN, Lexington

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state

Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent to TNAP; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Deborah L. Graves, APRN/RN, Trenton
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and over-prescribing

Action: APRN certificate and RN license reprimanded; must obtain continuing education credits; assessed civil penalties of \$1,900.00; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Dianne W. Johnson, LPN, Nashville
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Kristy M. Johnson, RN, Dyer
Violation: Guilty of a crime; guilty of unprofessional conduct
Action: Reinstatement application granted; license suspended with terms

Licensee: Pamela Tameka Jones, RN, Memphis
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; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent to TNAP

Licensee: Amanda Sayne Kulka, KY LPN, Russellville KY
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee voluntarily surrendered; must cease and desist the practice of nursing in the State of Tennessee

Licensee: Christopher M. Kyle, RN, Valparaiso IN
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state
Action: License placed on probation until documentation provided showing Indiana discipline has been lifted

Licensee: Jacquelyne Parker Latson, RN, Stayden
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; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; use of any intoxicating beverage or the illegal use of any narcotic or dangerous drug while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent to TNPAP

Licensee: Crystal Renee Lofton (Hill), APRN/RN, Medina
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to : (a) Performed an appropriate history and physical examination; and (b) Made a diagnosis based upon the examinations and all diagnostic and laboratory tests consistent with good health care; and (c) Formulated a therapeutic plan, and discussed it, along with the basis for it and the risks and benefits of various treatments options, a part of which might be the prescription or dispensed drug, with the patient; and (d) Insured availability of the Advanced Practice Nurse with proper authority to prescribe, or coverage for the patient for appropriate follow-up care; and (e) maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care
Action: APRN certificate and RN license placed on probation for no less than one year; must provide monthly reports from supervising physician regarding prescribing; must obtain twelve hours of continuing education; assessed civil penalties of \$750.00; plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Brittney L. Lopez, LPN, Clarksville
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits, or other cause; failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; impersonating another licensed practitioner; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License revoked; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00

Licensee: Ricky D. Lyle, RN, Nashville
Violation: Tennessee Code Ann. 63-7-115(a)(1)(B) and (F)

Action: Renewal application denied

Licensee: Marlena Lanell Malone, RN, Chickamauga GA

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state

Action: License voluntarily retired; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Melissa Head Morgan, LPN, Huntingdon

Violation: Refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits, or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Holly K. Morrison, LPN, Ooltewah

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits, or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Sulenna Marie O'Connor, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: has violated or attempted to violate directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted in the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto

Action: License revoked

Licensee: Teresa Parker, RN, Puryear

Violation: Guilty of a crime; guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: License reinstated and suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement

Licensee: Robin L. Peck, RN, Nolensville

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: use of any intoxicating beverage or the illegal use of any narcotic or dangerous drug while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location; and being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location

Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent to TNAP; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00

Licensee: Leslie Pipkin, RN, Lexington

Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License voluntarily surrendered; plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Alyssa Puckett, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgement while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution, or other work place location

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Felicia Roberts, RN, Lawrenceburg

Violation: Guilty of fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing; guilty of a crime; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state

Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; assessed civil penalty of \$500.00

Licensee: Ashley Suzanne Robinson, LPN, Gallatin

Violation: Refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act

Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

Licensee: Kathleen Creelman Robinson, NC RN, Hayesville NC

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or

- administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act
- Action: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee is revoked; must cease and desist the practice of nursing in the State of Tennessee
- Licensee: M. Michelle Robinson, LPN, Antioch
- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License reprimanded
- Licensee: Josanna R. Simpson, KY RN, Hopkinsville KY
- Violation: Refusing to submit to a drug test or testing positive for any drug on any government or private sector pre-employment, employer-ordered, or confirmed drug test; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and : revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state
- Action: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee is revoked; must cease and desist the practice of nursing in the State of Tennessee; assessed civil penalties of \$500.00; plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00
- Licensee: Shederyl Lynn Stewart, RN, Ooltewah
- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; must obtain twenty hours of continuing education credits; assessed civil penalty of \$1,000.00; plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00
- Licensee: Amanda S. Thedford, RN, Spring City
- 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; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation for no less than three years to run concurrent to TNPAP
- Licensee: Mary Frances Vester, RN, Nashville
- Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required

- Licensee: Ray D. Wakefield, APRN/RN, Medina
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; over prescribing; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: APRN certificate and RN license placed on probation for no less than one year; must provide monthly certification signed by supervising physician; must obtain twelve hours of continuing education; assessed civil penalty of \$400.00; plus costs not to exceed \$500.00
- Licensee: Lisa C. Weber, RN, Cohoes NY
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act of omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation, or other discipline of a license in this state; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License revoked; plus costs not to exceed \$5,000
- Licensee: Cynthia L. Whisenant, APRN/RN, Maryville
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; failed to create and maintain a record for each patient including a documented medical history and physical examination to include pain history, any pertinent evaluations by another provider, history of and potential for substance abuse, pertinent coexisting diseases and conditions, psychological functions, and the presence of a recognized medical indication for the use of a controlled substance; failure to discuss the risks and benefits of the use of controlled substances with each patient.
Action: License reprimanded; complete course on medical record keeping and prescribing controlled substances; assessed civil penalty of \$500.00; plus costs not to exceed \$3,000.00
- Licensee: Susan Nicole Wilkinson, RN, Collierville
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: failure to maintain a record for each patient with accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent, or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substance Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
Action: License suspended pending evaluation undergone with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program and monitoring agreement signed if required; assessed civil penalties of \$1,100.00; plus costs not to exceed \$5,000.00

Licensee: Holli Marie Womack, APRN/RN, Knoxville
Violation: Failure to report to Nursing Board a federal indictment within seven (7) calendar days of knowledge of indictment; pending criminal charges
Action: APRN certificate and RN license restricted until outcome of criminal proceedings; surrenders her DEA registrations for all controlled substances until further Board order; agrees to not practice in a pain management clinic; assessed civil penalties of \$200.00; plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00

Licensee: Jeffery W. Young Jr., APRN/RN, Jackson
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; guilty of unprofessional conduct; to wit: violation of drug statutes; failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the nursing problems and interventions for the patient and/or failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the name and title of the nurse providing care; and over-prescribing
Action: APRN certificate and RN license placed on probation for no less than two years and multistate privilege to practice is void; must successfully complete coursework within six (6) months on medical record keeping and prescribing opioids; surrenders his DEA registration to prescribe Schedule II controlled substances for the duration of the probation; agrees to not prescribe Schedule III controlled substances for the duration of probation, with exceptions; must provide proof of supervising physician; assessed civil penalties of \$900.00 plus costs not to exceed \$40,000.00

BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINATION

Licensee: John Jason James, DO, Shelbyville
Violation: Failed to notify patients upon his departure from a practice group about their ability to select a new physician and their opportunity to have copies of their medical records forwarded to their new physician upon authorization. Failed to comply with supervision requirements by failing to make a personal review of the historical, physical and therapeutic data and so certify by his signature on patient charts within 30 days when a controlled substance had been prescribed by an APRN.
Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalties of \$3,000.00 plus costs not to exceed \$2,000.00

Licensee: John M. Tabit, DO, Daniels, West Virginia
Violation: Disciplinary action against the licensee to practice medicine by another state or territory of the United States for any acts or omissions that would constitute grounds for discipline of a licensee licensed in this state.
Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed costs not to exceed \$2,000.00

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Licensee: Tracy Mullins, PT, Jefferson City
Violation: Inappropriate conduct; failed to adhere to standards of ethics of the physical

therapy profession
 Action: License reprimanded; assessed costs not to exceed \$2,000.00

Licensee: Dustin C. Rich, PT, Livingston
 Violation: Guilty of forging treatment records that were billed but did not occur; being guilty of fraud or deceit in the licensee's practice. Failing to adhere to standards of the physical therapy profession.

Action: License suspended; suspension stayed; license placed on probation; prohibited from practicing as physical therapist in home health during probation; monitoring by TN Professional Assistance Program; acquire 8 additional continuing education hours; assessed civil penalty of \$600.00 plus costs not to exceed \$1,000.00.

Licensee: Tiawanna Latrelle Williams, PT, Southaven, Mississippi
 Violation: Failed to timely renew her license and practiced on an expired license.
 Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$750.00

BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: Crystal E. Jackson PXO, Madison
 Violation: Failed to timely renew license and practiced on an expired license.
 Action: License reprimanded; assessed civil penalty of \$750.00 plus costs not to exceed \$750.00

BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE

Licensee: Kristy Lee Ann Headrick, RRT, Ringgold, Georgia
 Violation: Failed to timely renew her license and practiced on an expired license.
 Action: Agreed Citation; assessed civil penalty of \$300.00

ABUSE REGISTRY

Name: Chanel Gunn
 Abuse: Physical
 Profession: CNA Revoked

Name: Jessica Wiggins
 Abuse: Exploitation
 Profession: Not Provided

Name: Angela Louise Patterson
 Abuse: Verbal/Emotional
 Profession: CNA Revoked

Name: Lisa Campbell
 Abuse: Exploitation
 Profession: Caregiver

Name: Carlenia Louise Simmons
 Abuse: Exploitation
 Profession: Caregiver

Name: Jamie Lee Rose
Abuse: Theft/Misappropriation/Exploitation
Profession: CNA Revoked