DISCIPLINARY ACTION REPORT

EDITORS: Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-114 requires the Department of Health to issue a monthly press release listing all disciplinary actions taken by the health related boards during the prior month. Below is a list of actions taken during the month of August 2008. Detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our web site at www.tennessee.gov/health. Click on “License Verification” and enter the name of the person. When the license information comes up, click on “disciplinary action” and then “view board order.”

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

Violation: Immoral, unethical, unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; conviction of a felony for violations of any law of the state or of the United States; invasion of a field of practice in which the licensee is not licensed to practice or is not within the limits of the licensee's respective callings as determined by the board; it is unlawful for any person who is not licensed to represent himself/herself as a licensed chiropractor or to hold himself/herself out to the public as being licensed by means of using a title on signs, mailboxes, address plates, stationary, announcements, telephone listings, calling cards, or other instruments of professional identification.
Action: CEASE AND DESIST any and all unlicensed practice. C.T.A. license and C.X.T. license revoked

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

Licensee: Robert Charles, Venable, N.H.A., Franklin, TN
Violation: Must complete the thirty six (36) hours of continuing education hours required for calendar years 2005 and 2006 and the eighteen (18) required for 2007. Must submit proof of completion of nine (9) additional penalty continuing education hours, and assessed $100.00 in civil penalties, plus costs.
Action: Unfit or incompetent by reasons of negligence habits or other causes, and failure to comply with all continuing education requirements.

BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS

Licensee: James E. Daly, D.O., Salinas, CA
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct; and conviction of a felony, conviction of any offense under state or federal drug laws, or conviction of any offense involving moral turpitude.
Action: License revoked
BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Licensee: Ignis C. Retief, D.P.M., Nashville, TN
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits in violation of T.C.A. § 63-3-116
Action: Assessed $100.00 in civil penalties; must provide proof of completion of ten (10) hours of continuing education.

BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE

Licensee: Connie Akins, C.R.T., Maryville, TN
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct.
Action: Per terms of Board Order license Suspended retroactively from September 6, 2006 until either the date on which this Agreed Order is ratified by the Board or the date on which Respondent enters into a monitoring contract with TNPAP, whichever is later; and assessed costs.

AUGUST 2008 ABUSE REGISTRY PLACEMENTS

Individual: Felicia Franklin, Memphis TN
Abuse: Neglect
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Elaine Armstrong, Limestone, TN
Abuse: Physical
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: John Raymond Jones, Nashville, TN
Abuse: Physical/Verbal
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Janet Butterworth Rhodes, Johnson City, TN
Abuse: Misappropriation
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Stephen Bunker, Union City, TN
Abuse: Physical
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: April Dawn Stephens, Knoxville, TN
Abuse: Neglect
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Maleia Tucker, Cookeville, TN
Abuse: Physical
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Raymond Johnson, Jr., Nashville, TN
Abuse: Physical
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry
Individual: Frankie Ann Ellis, Rogersville, TN  
Abuse: Physical  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Benjamin Jesse Randolph, Cookeville, TN  
Abuse: Misappropriation/Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Antoine Maxwell, Memphis TN  
Abuse: Sexual/Verbal  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Jackie Marie Hill, Camden, TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Ashley Richardson, Chattanooga, TN  
Abuse: Emotional  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Samantha Kollman, Greeneville, TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Amy Jenkins, Algood, TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Ikponmwosa Aluvi, Nashville, TN  
Abuse: Physical  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Lakeshia Caldwell, Chattanooga, TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Jamie Lynn Curtis, Jonesboro, TN  
Abuse: Physical/Emotional  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Christopher Dameron, Clarksville, TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Latona Fields, Memphis TN  
Abuse: Neglect  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry
Individual: Michelle Allison Wilmer, Blountville, TN  
Abuse: Physical  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry

Individual: Brandon Keith Jennings, Spencer, TN  
Abuse: Sexual  
Action: Placed on Abuse Registry