

## 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 May 2016. *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.*

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### **BOARD OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS**

Licensee: James Robinson, ADC, Camden  
Violation: Violations of the provisions of these rules or any lawful order of the Board; engaging in malpractice, negligence, incompetence or conduct not authorized in the course and scope of practice; and any other breach of the NAADAC Code of Ethics or these rules  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed \$500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$500

### **BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINERS**

Licensee: Bill Grady Barefield, AT, Greeneville  
Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; violated standards of practice as determined by the board  
Action: License suspended with terms; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Joseph Bullard, AT, Signal Mountain  
Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; violated standards of practice as determined by the board  
Action: License reprimanded with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Jeffrey Ryan Falis, AT, Sunrise, FL  
Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute as follows: no person shall represent themselves or claim to be an athletic trainer or perform, for compensation, any of the activities of an athletic trainer as defined in this chapter without first obtaining a license under this chapter; anyone who practices in this state without having first complied with the provisions of this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor for each instance of such practice. Each day any person practices without first obtaining a valid license or renewing a license constitutes a separate offense; practiced athletic training for compensation without holding an active license under this chapter; used the title "athletic trainer"

without being licensed under this chapter  
Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$150 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: William Christopher Glover, AT, Martin  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Annaleza M. Jones, AT, Monteagle  
Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute as follows: no person shall represent themselves or claim to be an athletic trainer or perform, for compensation, any of the activities of an athletic trainer as defined in this chapter without first obtaining a license under this chapter; anyone who practices in this state without having first complied with the provisions of this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor for each instance of such practice. Each day any person practices without first obtaining a valid license or renewing a license constitutes a separate offense; practiced athletic training for compensation without holding an active license under this chapter; used the title "athletic trainer" without being licensed under this chapter  
Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Kristen Michelle Legg, AT, Powell  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$1,200 civil penalty

Licensee: Clayton Harris Mallard, AT, Milan  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$450 civil penalty

Licensee: Natoshia Marie Mancini, AT, Union City  
Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute as follows: no person shall represent themselves or claim to be an athletic trainer or perform, for compensation, any of the activities of an athletic trainer as defined in this chapter without first obtaining a license under this chapter; anyone who practices in this state without having first complied with the provisions of this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor for each instance of such practice. Each day any person practices without first obtaining a valid license or renewing a license constitutes a separate offense; practiced athletic training for compensation without holding an active license under this chapter; used the title "athletic trainer" without being licensed under this chapter  
Action: License placed on probation; assessed \$1,250 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Melody M. Russell, AT, Chattanooga  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Darrell Matthew Turner, AT, Memphis

Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute as follows: no person shall represent themselves or claim to be an athletic trainer or perform, for compensation, any of the activities of an athletic trainer as defined in this chapter without first obtaining a license under this chapter; anyone who practices in this state without having first complied with the provisions of this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor for each instance of such practice. Each day any person practices without first obtaining a valid license or renewing a license constitutes a separate offense; practiced athletic training for compensation without holding an active license under this chapter; used the title "athletic trainer" without being licensed under this chapter

Action: License placed on probation; assessed \$1,600 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Kathryn Zeitler, AT, Sunrise, FL

Violation: Violated or conspired to violate the provisions of this chapter, or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to this chapter; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute as follows: no person shall represent themselves or claim to be an athletic trainer or perform, for compensation, any of the activities of an athletic trainer as defined in this chapter without first obtaining a license under this chapter; anyone who practices in this state without having first complied with the provisions of this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor for each instance of such practice. Each day any person practices without first obtaining a valid license or renewing a license constitutes a separate offense; practiced athletic training for compensation without holding an active license under this chapter; used the title "athletic trainer" without being licensed under this chapter

Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$150 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

### **BOARD OF COMMUNICATION DISORDERS AND SCIENCES**

Licensee: Tamara P. Buchanan, SLP, Johnson City

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Stacy Ater McClemore, SLP, Knoxville

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Sharron W. Trice, SPA, Shannon, MS

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: David J. Wark, Audiologist, Memphis

Violation: Practiced on lapsed license

Action: Assessed \$1,600 civil penalty

**BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

- Licensee: Sky L. Bolton, RDA, Trenton, GA  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended
- Licensee: Jennifer Gober, RDA, Winchester  
Violation: Exposed radiographs prior to registration and without certification as required by Rule 0460-04-.11 and .08  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty
- Licensee: Breana Jade Holley, RDA, Pulaski  
Violation: Exposed radiographs prior to registration and without certification as required by Rule 0460-04-.11 and .08  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty
- Licensee: Genise Knight, RDA, Johnson City  
Violation: A violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto or any criminal statute of the state of Tennessee  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty; must obtain evaluation by the Wellness Committee

**BOARD OF MASSAGE LICENSURE**

- Licensee: Margaret Leigh Arias-Alvarez, LMT, Waverly  
Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training; is guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage  
Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$1,550 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$1,000
- Licensee: Amazing Massage, LME, Murfreesboro  
Chun Ying Wang, Owner, Clarksville  
Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: establishment owners are responsible for ensuring that all persons who perform massage therapy in a

massage establishment maintain current licensure by the Board; it is the responsibility of establishment owners to ensure compliance with all provisions of this rule and any violation of any portion of this rule may result in disciplinary action or denial of licensure

Action: Establishment license revoked; assessed costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Capital Chinese Foot Spa, LME, Franklin  
Guoko Hu, Owner, Franklin

Violation: Has been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of an offense that constitutes a felony or a misdemeanor under the laws of this state; has violated any of the provisions of this part or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: it is the responsibility of establishment owners to ensure compliance with all provisions of this rule and any violation of any portion of this rule may result in disciplinary action or denial of licensure; refrain, under all circumstances, from initiating, arranging for, or engaging in any sexual conduct, sexual activity, or sexualizing behavior involving a client, even if a client attempts to sexualize the relationship

Action: Establishment license revoked; assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Debutante Salon and Day Spa, LME, Cleveland  
Kelli Paul, Owner

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: persons or massage establishments engaged in massage for compensation shall be licensed by the massage licensure board; any person or establishment who advertises or engages in massage for compensation without a current valid license from the massage licensure board commits a Class B misdemeanor. It is unlawful to use the word "massage" or any other term that implies massage technique or method when advertising a service by person who is not licensed under this chapter or another chapter of state law; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or has assisted in or abetted the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board pursuant to this chapter; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$3,825 civil penalty

Licensee: Chasity Horner, LMT, Mosheim

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or has assisted in or abetted the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board pursuant to this chapter; is guilty of fraud in the

practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage  
Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$1,550 civil penalty and costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Guoku Hu, LMT, Franklin

Violation: Has been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of an offense that constitutes a felony or a misdemeanor under the laws of this state; has violated any of the provisions of this part or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: it is the responsibility of establishment owners to ensure compliance with all provisions of this rule and any violation of any portion of this rule may result in disciplinary action or denial of licensure; refrain, under all circumstances, from initiating, arranging for, or engaging in any sexual conduct, sexual activity, or sexualizing behavior involving a client, even if a client attempts to sexualize the relationship

Action: License revoked; assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Xinh Thi Nguyen, LMT, Chattanooga

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training; is guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$300 civil penalty and costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Hanz Kristopher Orr, LMT, Murfreesboro

Violation: Failed to pay child support

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Peter Wayne Peterson, LMT, Franklin

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational

training; is guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or has assisted in or abetted the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant to this chapter

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$1,550 civil penalty and costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Yajun Shi, LMT, Franklin

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; refrain, under all circumstances, from initiating, arranging for, or engaging in any sexual conduct, sexual activity, or sexualizing behavior involving a client, even if the client attempts to sexualize the relationship

Action: License revoked; assessed costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Xian Shu Inc, d/b/a/ Tai Ji Exercises, LME, Goodlettsville  
Junguo Zheng, Owner

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: persons or massage establishments engaged in massage for compensation shall be licensed by the massage licensure board; any person or establishment who advertises or engages in massage for compensation without a current valid license from the massage licensure board commits a Class B misdemeanor. It is unlawful to use the word "massage" or any other term that implies massage technique or method when advertising a service by person who is not licensed under this chapter or another chapter of state law; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or has assisted in or abetted the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board pursuant to this chapter; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$1,600 civil penalty

Licensee: Xian Shu Inc, d/b/a/ Oriental Reflexology Center, LME, Goodlettsville  
Junguo Zheng, Owner

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: persons or massage establishments engaged in massage for compensation shall be licensed by the massage licensure board; any person or establishment who advertises or engages in massage for compensation without a current valid license from the massage licensure board commits a Class B misdemeanor. It is unlawful to use the word "massage" or any other term that implies massage technique or method when advertising a service by person who is not licensed under this chapter or another chapter of state law; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or has assisted in or abetted the violation of, or conspired to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board pursuant to this chapter; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$1,600 civil penalty

Licensee: Qingsong Tang, LMT, Knoxville

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-

five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training; is guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage

Action: License suspended with terms; assessed \$1,150 civil penalty and costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Chun Ying Wang, LMT, Clarksville

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: establishment owners are responsible for ensuring that all persons who perform massage therapy in a massage establishment maintain current licensure by the Board; it is the responsibility of establishment owners to ensure compliance with all provisions of this rule and any violation of any portion of this rule may result in disciplinary action or denial of licensure

Action: License revoked; assessed costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Patricia Darlene White, LMT, Mc Donald

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; is guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training; is guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage

Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed costs

Licensee: Shavondra V. Williams, LMT, Memphis

Violation: Has violated any of the provisions of this chapter or any substantive rule promulgated under the authority of this part; all licensees must complete twenty-five hours of continuing education every two years, as a prerequisite to licensure renewal; any massage therapists who fails to obtain the required continuing education hours or who falsely attests to attendance and/or completion of the required hours of continuing education may be subject to disciplinary action; comply with all applicable Tennessee statutes and regulations as well as Orders issued by the Board pursuant to its disciplinary and/or declaratory order authority; and consistently maintain and improve professional knowledge and competence, striving for professional excellence through regular assessment of personal professional strengths and weaknesses and through continued educational training

Action: License suspended with terms; assessed \$1,750 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Quincey L. Wordlaw, LMT, Murfreesboro

Violation: Failed to pay child support

Action: License suspended

### **BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Licensee: Venkatachalam Ayyagari, MD, Bartlett

Violation: Dispensing, prescribing or otherwise distributing any controlled substance or other drug to any person in violation of any law of the state of the United States; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: all prescribers or their designated healthcare practitioner's extenders, unless otherwise exempted under this part, shall check the controlled substance database prior to prescribing one of the controlled substances identified in subdivision (e)(3) to a human patient at the beginning of a new episode of treatment and shall check the controlled substance database for that human patient at least annually when that prescribed controlled substance remains part of the treatment

Action: License placed on probation for 5 years with terms; surrendered pain management clinic certificate # 296; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Ken D. Berry, MD, Camden

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute regarding a physician to prescribe or dispense any drug to any individual, whether in person or by electronic means or over the internet or telephone lines, unless the physician, or his/or licensed supervisee pursuant to appropriate protocols or medical orders, has first done and appropriately documented, for the person to whom a prescription is to be issued or drugs dispensed, as follows: performed an appropriate history and physical examination; and made a diagnosis based upon the examinations and all diagnostic and laboratory tests consistent with good medical care; and formulated a therapeutic plan, and discussed it, along with the bases for it and the risks and benefits of various treatments options, a part of which might be prescriptions or dispensed drug, with the patient; and insured availability of the physician or coverage for the patient for appropriate follow-up care; unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct; failed to adhere to Code of Medical Ethics, as follows: physicians should not treat themselves or members of their immediate

families  
Action: License placed on probation for 3 years with terms; assessed \$5,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Wesley L. Coker, MD, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Rose Ellen, MD, Germantown  
Violation: Unprofessional conduct  
Action: License reprimanded with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Ali Al Garatli, MD, Knoxville  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate any provision of this chapter or, any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto or any criminal statute of the state of Tennessee  
Action: License voluntarily retired with terms

Licensee: Casey Gray, AMDX, Loudon  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Rebecca Halperin, MD, Oak Ridge  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$3,500 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Stuart Jarvis, MD, Maryville  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$2,950 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Samuel Johnson, MD, Covington  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Michael R. Martin, MD, Kingsport  
Violation: Violation of rule 0880-02-.14(6)(e)(3); dispensing, prescribing, or otherwise distributing any controlled substance or any other drug not in the course or professional practice, or not in good faith to relieve pain and suffering, or not to cure an ailment, physical infirmity or disease, or in amounts and/or for durations not medically necessary, advisable or justified for a diagnosed condition; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute regarding a physician to prescribe or dispense any drug to any individual, whether in person or by electronic means or over the internet or telephone lines, unless the physician, or his/or licensed supervisee pursuant to appropriate protocols or medical orders, has first done and appropriately documented, for the person to whom a prescription is to be issued or drugs dispensed, as follows: performed an appropriate history and physical examination; and made a diagnosis based upon the examinations and all

diagnostic and laboratory tests consistent with good medical care; and formulated a therapeutic plan, and discussed it, along with the bases for it and the risks and benefits of various treatments options, a part of which might be prescriptions or dispensed drug, with the patient; and insured availability of the physician or coverage for the patient for appropriate follow-up care

Action: Must surrender medical license on or before July 1, 2016; assessed costs not to exceed \$2,000

Licensee: Jack McCallie, MD, Maryville

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$275 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: James McGuckin, MD, Philadelphia, PA

Violation: Disciplinary action against a person licensed 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 person licensed in this state

Action: License reprimanded with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Jason L. Oliphant, MD, Memphis

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$2,600 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Cupid Poe, MD, Antioch

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$4,000 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Shafeeq T. Sheikh, MD, Houston, TX

Violation: Disciplinary action against a person licensed 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 person licensed in this state

Action: License suspended with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$3,000

Licensee: Robin M. Stevenson, MD, Germantown

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$3,900 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Barry Stewart, MD, Knoxville

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: Robin M. Stevenson, MD, Germantown

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$3,900 civil penalty and provide proof of completion of the required number of continuing education credits

Licensee: James Ward, MD, Nashville  
Violation: Extensive absence from clinical practice  
Action: Granted administrative restricted license

Licensee: Heather West, MDXL, Nashville\*  
Violation: Previous criminal history  
Action: License placed on probation for 5 years with terms

Licensee: Tomasz Adam Zurawek, MD, Centerville  
Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable or unethical conduct; conviction of a felony, conviction of any offense under state or federal laws relative to drugs or the practice of medicine, conviction of any offense involving moral turpitude or conviction of any offense for which the person is required to register as a sexual offender or violent sexual offender; giving or receiving, or aiding or abetting the giving or receiving, of rebates, either directly or indirectly  
Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed \$500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$2,000

*Delayed reporting by Board, License disciplined April 2016*

#### **BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS COMMITTEE ON PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS**

Licensee: Tye Browning, PA, Cottage Grove  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

#### **BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS COMMITTEE ON POLYSOMNOGRAPHY**

Licensee: Allyn Boatwright, PSGP, Knoxville  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$700 civil penalty

Licensee: Natalie Burge, PSGP, Cookeville  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board or criminal statute of this state; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute; as follows: on and after July 1, 2010, any person who is engaged in the practice of polysomnography shall be licensed as provided in this chapter. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in the practice of polysomnography after July 1, 2010 unless the person has been duly licensed as a polysomnographic technologist under this chapter  
Action: License reprimanded with terms; assessed \$960 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$200

Licensee: Amelia Keller, PSGP, Harriman  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

**MEDICAL LABORATORY BOARD**

Licensee: William L. Hatfield, MLT, Nashville  
Violation: Violating or aiding and abetting in the violation of any provisions of this chapter or the rules promulgated under this chapter  
Action: License suspended with terms; assessed \$480 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$1,000

**BOARD OF NURSING**

Licensee: Tracy D. Alford, RN, Jackson  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: impersonating another licensed practitioner; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing  
Action: License placed on probation for a period of two years; must obtain continuing education credits in the area of ethics; assessed \$3,500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Tiffany Marie Allen, LPN applicant, Morristown  
Violation: Guilty of a crime; and guilty of unprofessional conduct  
Action: Conditional renewal of license granted; license suspended with terms; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Tilde L. Allen, LPN, Knoxville  
Violation: 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  
Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$100 civil penalty

Licensee: Laura Ashe, RN, Powell  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kimberly D. Baird, RN, Hendersonville  
Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; 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; 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 suspended, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years

Licensee: Tracy Baird, LPN, Williamsburg, KY  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit 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: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee revoked

Licensee: Deirdre Barber, RN, Knoxville  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act  
Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Tracie Dawson Barlow, RN, APO, Germany  
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 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; 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 or 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 two years; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of ethics, record-keeping, and nursing documentation; assessed costs not to exceed \$1,000

Licensee: Sherry L. Barnett, RN/APN, Jonesborough  
Violation: Guilty of a crime  
Action: RN license and APN certification voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Joseph Aaron Bates, RN, Rogersville  
Violation: 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 with terms

Licensee: Christina Beard, RN applicant, Millington  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct  
Action: Reinstatement application denied

Licensee: Reshana D. Blevins, RN applicant, Mountain City  
Violation: Practiced nursing without being duly licensed to do so; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto  
Action: Conditional reinstatement granted; assessed \$1,500 civil penalty

Licensee: Patrick A. Boals, RN, Dyersburg  
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or

unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act

Action: License reprimanded; license placed on probation for a minimum of one year; must obtain continuing education credits in the area of documentation

Licensee: Lillian C. Boothe, LPN, Paris

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: License placed on probation for no less than one year; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of crisis prevention intervention ("CPI"), caring for patients with autism spectrum disorders, and prevention of abuse and neglect; assessed \$500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Tonya I. Borton, RN, Spring Hill

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

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

Licensee: Lanyne Branch, RN, Atoka

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 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 with terms

Licensee: Ann Brazier, RN, Estill Springs

Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: John M. Briley, RN/APN applicant, Jackson

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; and has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto

Action: Reinstatement applications denied

Licensee: Sherry L. Brock, RN, Dresden  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Sherry I. Bryan, RN, Athens  
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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location  
Action: License suspended with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$200

Licensee: Brandy Bunch, LPN applicant, Greeneville  
Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct  
Action: Endorsement application denied

Licensee: Sonya Byrd, LPN, Erwin  
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; assigning unqualified persons to perform functions of licensed persons or delegating nursing care functions and tasks and/or responsibilities to others contrary to the Nurse Practice Act or rules and regulations to the detriment of patient safety  
Action: License reprimanded

Licensee: Kasie L. Cagle, RN, Loudon  
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 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years

Licensee: Carol Helena Casey, LPN, Crossville  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct  
Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Jennifer L. Champion, RN, Greeneville  
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 engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing  
Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Jayme R. Clara, RN/APN, Bartlett  
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  
Action: RN license and APN certification placed on probation for a period of no less than six months with terms; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of physical examination, documentation, and breast cancer

Licensee: Dee D. Claybrook, LPN, White Bluff  
Violation: Guilty of fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing; guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; 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 or omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation or other discipline of a license in this state  
Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Sarah D. Cook, LPN applicant, Carthage  
Violation: Practiced nursing without being duly licensed to do so; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto  
Action: Conditional reinstatement granted; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Courtney Cox, RN, Knoxville  
Violation: Has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing; and practicing nursing during the time the person's license issued is suspended or revoked  
Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Tanya Curtis, LPN, McEwen  
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: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and impersonating another licensed practitioner

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Monica Davenport, LPN, McMinnville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Amanda Dixon, LPN applicant, White Bluff

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: Exam application denied

Licensee: Tina Dixon, RN, Clinton

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Joni S. Donegan, LPN, Lyles

Violation: Addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; and guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: License revoked; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Leigh Dorer, RN, Strawberry Plains

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License suspended with terms; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Nicole Douglas, LPN, Whiteville

Violation: Guilty of a crime

Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Tora Epperson, LPN, Morristown

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Karen Ann Fandl, RN, Kingsport

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 suspended with terms; must obtain continuing education credits in the

area of charting/documentation (including wastage of medications); assessed \$5,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Stacie Brown Fowler, LPN, Bells

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; 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 abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care

Action: License placed on probation for no less than two years; placed on the Abuse Registry; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of acute care setting, prevention of abuse and neglect, nursing ethics, and record-keeping; practice restriction; assessed \$2,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Chadwick D. Fox, LPN, Gainesboro

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; revocation, suspension, probation or other discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act or 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 placed on probation for a period of three years; must obtain continuing education credits in the area of ethics; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Krista S. Garza, RN, Helotes, TX

Violation: Has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: violating confidentiality of information or knowledge concerning the patient, except as otherwise required by a court of law

Action: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee revoked; shall cease and desist the practice of nursing in the State of Tennessee

Licensee: Tammy L. Gould, RN/APN, Speedwell

Violation: Having been issued a certificate of fitness, failure to file a notice with the Board of Nursing containing: (a) the nurse's full name; (b) a copy of the formulary describing the categories of legend drugs to be prescribed and/or issued by the nurse; and (c) the name of the licensed physician having supervision, control and responsibility for prescriptive services rendered by the nurse and failure to properly update said information; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: practicing professional nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-103

Action: APN certification placed on probation for a minimum of one year; must complete Board-ordered coursework in the area of prescribing controlled drugs; assessed \$750 civil penalty

Licensee: Nicole Graham, LPN, Afton

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; mentally incompetent; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; the 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 judgment 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 with terms

Licensee: Angela Greear, RN/APN, Seymour

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; failing to take appropriate action in safeguarding the patient from incompetent healthcare practice; practicing professional nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-103

Action: APN certification reprimanded; RN license placed on probation for no less than two years; must obtain continuing education credits regarding neuroscience nursing, identification and treatment of neurological disorders, identification and treatment of spinal cord injuries, and identification and treatment of the signs and symptoms of strokes; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Lisa L. Greene, RN, Murfreesboro

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

Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Katherine Joy Gunning, LPN, Greeneville

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; mentally incompetent; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; 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; abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care; practicing practical nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-108; performing nursing techniques or procedures without proper education and practice; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License summarily suspended

Licensee: Suzanne B. Hagar, RN, Smyrna

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
- Action: License placed on probation for a period of two years; must obtain continuing education credits in the area of medical documentation
- Licensee: Melissa L. Hall, RN reinstatement applicant, Chattanooga
- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct
- Action: Conditional license granted; license suspended, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with TNPAP contract but not less than three years
- Licensee: Willie A. Hamilton, RN/APN, Gate City, Virginia
- Violation: While providing medication, failed to: perform an appropriate history and physical examination; failed to make a diagnosis based on the examinations and all diagnostic and laboratory test consistent with good health care; formulate a therapeutic plan and discuss it, along with the bases for it and the risks and benefits of various treatment options, a part of which might be the prescription of a dispensed drug, with the patient; and insure availability of the Advanced Practice Nurse with proper authority to prescribe, or coverage for the patient for appropriate follow-up care; 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; and over-prescribing, or prescribing in a manner inconsistent with Rules 1000-04-.08 and 1000-04-.09
- Action: APN placed on probation for a period of two years; must complete Board-ordered coursework in the areas of medical record-keeping and prescribing controlled drugs
- Licensee: Carlos L. Hawkins, LPN, Memphis
- Violation: Has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto; 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; abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care; exercising undue influence on the patient, including the promotion of sale of services, goods, appliances, or drugs in such a manner as to exploit the patient for financial gain of the nurse or of a third party; practicing practical nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-108; and 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 continuing education credits in the areas of ethics, record-keeping, and nursing documentation; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty
- Licensee: Samantha L. Hensley, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License revoked; assessed \$1,700 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Ola Merle Henson, APN, Tullahoma

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; guilty of unprofessional conduct; having been issued a certificate of fitness, failure to file a notice with the Board of Nursing containing: (a) the nurse's full name; (b) a copy of the formulary describing the categories of legend drugs to be prescribed and/or issued by the nurse; and (c) the name of the licensed physician having supervision, control and responsibility for prescriptive services rendered by the nurse and failure to properly update said information; 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; failing to take appropriate action in safeguarding the patient from incompetent healthcare practice; practicing professional nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-103; and as a practitioner providing services at a pain management clinic prescribing controlled substances for the treatment of chronic nonmalignant pain, failure to document in the patient's records the reason for prescribing quantity

Action: APN certification suspended for no less than sixty days with terms; must provide proof of retention of a supervising physician; must obtain Board-ordered coursework regarding medical documentation and prescribing controlled drugs; assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Candie E. Hewgley, RN, Knoxville

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: the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

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

Licensee: Liam Holt, LPN, Chattanooga

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Komedka H. Hopkins, RN Applicant, Memphis

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 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 engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License granted on probation to run concurrent with the remainder of probation of her practical nursing license

Licensee: Julia Johnson, RN, Collierville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Stephani Johnson, LPN, Antioch  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kathryn M. Larue, LPN, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; 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 with terms

Licensee: Dianna S. Latimer, RN, Kelso  
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 or 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 April 27, 2019; assessed costs not to exceed \$2,500

Licensee: Todd Lawrence, LPN, Kingsport  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; the 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 judgment 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 with terms

Licensee: Crystal M. Leyhue, LPN, Dresden  
Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing 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 or omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation or other discipline of a license in this state  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Erika R. Lokey, LPN, Murfreesboro

- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act
- Action: License reprimanded; must obtain continuing education credits in the area of charting/documentation (including waste of medication)
- Licensee: Sherri (Allison) Madondo, RN, Franklin
- Violation: Guilty of a crime; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: impersonating another licensed practitioner; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License voluntarily surrendered
- Licensee: Sherri (Allison) Madondo, RN applicant, Franklin
- Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct
- Action: Renewal application denied
- Licensee: Sarah Martin, RN, Lascassas
- Violation: Failed to pay student loan
- Action: License suspended
- Licensee: Whitney M. Martin, RN/APN, Walla Walla, Washington
- 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
- Action: APN certification and RN license reprimanded; must obtain continuing education credits and Board-ordered coursework in the areas of professional boundaries and prescribing opioids; assessed \$750 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$500
- Licensee: Margaret S. Mathews, RN, Hendersonville
- 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: 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 voluntarily surrendered
- Licensee: Kathy A. Mathis, RN, Clarksville
- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: 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 with terms

Licensee: Jessica A. Maxwell, RN, Germantown

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; making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License reprimanded

Licensee: Frieda McCarty, LPN, Jackson

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Andrew McKenzie, RN, Nashville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Lisa C. Miller, LPN, Hendersonville

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence; 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; the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Mark Mitchell, RN, Hot Springs Village, Arkansas

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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: Privilege to practice nursing in the State of Tennessee revoked; shall cease and desist the practice of nursing in the State of Tennessee

Licensee: Diana G. Monroe, LPN, Lenoir City

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; unauthorized use or removal of

- narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; performing nursing techniques or procedures without proper education and practice; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License revoked; assessed \$2,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000
- Licensee: Cierra Moore, RN applicant, Nashville
- Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct
- Action: Exam application denied
- Licensee: Jimmy D. Moore, RN, Halls
- 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 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 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 with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000
- Licensee: Andrea Morton, RN/APN, Lewisburg
- Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: violating confidentiality of information or knowledge concerning the patient, except as otherwise required by a court of law; practicing professional nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-103; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: APN certification reprimanded; RN license placed on probation for no less than one year; must obtain continuing education credits and Board-ordered coursework in the area of professional boundaries; assessed \$1,500 civil penalty
- Licensee: Stephanie Myhrvold, RN, Nashville
- Violation: Failed to pay student loan
- Action: Secondary action taken on suspended license under TCA 63-1-141
- Licensee: Laura W. Nave, RN, Clarksville
- 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
- Action: License suspended with terms
- Licensee: Amy L. Nunley, RN, Tracy City
- Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; 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
- Action: License suspended, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years
- Licensee: Toya Reneil Owens, RN, Collierville

- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: 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 with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$1,000
- Licensee: Nathaniel Seth Pardin, 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; 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; 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 suspended, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years
- Licensee: Whitney Peterson, RN, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended
- Licensee: Crystal Porter, RN, Carthage  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: performing nursing techniques or procedures without proper education and practice  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered
- Licensee: Rachel E. Pugh, RN, Medina  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 with terms
- Licensee: Angelia Raby, RN, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended
- Licensee: Farrah Ramsey, RN, Henderson  
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: 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining,

possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies, or equipment from any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; the 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 judgment 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 to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years

Licensee: Travis M. Richards, RN/APN, East Ridge

Violation: 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; the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

Action: RN license and APN certification suspended with terms; assessed \$500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$500

Licensee: Whitney L. Ricker, RN, Jonesborough

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: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 suspended with terms

Licensee: Jason Rieben, LPN, Bell Buckle

Violation: Guilty of a crime; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location

Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Terri Lynn Roberts, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License revoked; assessed \$1,500 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Cheryl L. Savage, LPN, Bolivar

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License revoked

Licensee: Norma "Betsi" Sepulveda, RN, Nashville

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

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Tiffany F. Sharpe, LPN, Winfield

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 suspended with terms

Licensee: Debbie J. Simmons, LPN, Spring Hill

Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 with terms

Licensee: Sean Simpson, LPN, South Pittsburgh

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Vanesa Sircy, RN, Goodlettsville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Karen O. Snowden, RN, Morristown

Violation: Guilty of a crime

Action: License revoked; assessed \$2,250 civil penalty, plus costs up to \$5,000

Licensee: Caleb R. Stanfill, RN, Lexington

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; 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

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Nakesha N. Stephens, LPN, Bolivar  
Violation: Guilty of a crime  
Action: License revoked

Licensee: James C. Stewart, RN, Hendersonville  
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; the 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 judgment 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 to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years

Licensee: Allison M. Stock, RN/APN, Cordova  
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; impersonating another license practitioner; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing  
Action: APN certification and RN license suspended with terms

Licensee: Carla M. Surratt, LPN, Bolivar  
Violation: Guilty of a crime  
Action: License revoked; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs up to \$5,000

Licensee: Patti Ann Swint, RN/APN, Nashville  
Violation: 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; the 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 judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location  
Action: RN license and APN certification suspended, suspension stayed; license placed on probation to run concurrent with Tennessee Professional Assistance Program monitoring agreement but for no less than three years

Licensee: Laura M. Tarancon, LPN, Memphis  
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; 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 abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care
- Action: License placed on probation for no less than two years; must obtain continuing education credits and Board-ordered coursework in the areas of long-term care nursing, prevention of elder abuse and neglect, nursing ethics, and record-keeping; must fully cooperate with the Department of Health and all other lawfully constituted authorities in any case involving Interim Home Healthcare; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty
- Licensee: Sara E. Taylor, RN, Bluff City
- Violation: Has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: making false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 revoked; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000
- Licensee: Timothy Teel, RN, Lebanon
- Violation: Failed to pay student loan
- Action: License suspended
- Licensee: Dawn M. Thigpen, RN, Michie
- Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: 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 with terms
- Licensee: Maralon M. Thomas, LPN, Martin
- Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances 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 suspended with terms
- Licensee: Nancy C. Ursprung, LPN, Sevierville
- Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; exercising undue influence on the patient, including

- the promotion of sale of services, goods, appliances, or drugs in such a manner as to exploit the patient for financial gain of the nurse or of a third party; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License voluntarily surrendered
- Licensee: Jessica L. Watters, RN, Memphis  
Violation: Has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the Board issued pursuant thereto; 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 conduct; and guilty of unprofessional, to wit: 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; practicing professional nursing in a manner inconsistent with T.C.A. § 63-7-103; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing
- Action: License voluntarily surrendered
- Licensee: Lynn Bari Weiner, RN, Memphis  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct  
Action: License suspended with terms
- Licensee: Jessica White, RN applicant, Savannah  
Violation: Guilty of fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing; guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct
- Action: Exam application denied
- Licensee: Heather A. Wilson, LPN, Shelbyville  
Violation: Guilty of a crime; 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 with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$250
- Licensee: Sholanda E. Wilson, LPN, Bolivar  
Violation: Guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: 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, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act; assigning unqualified persons to perform functions of licensed persons or delegating nursing care functions and tasks and/or responsibilities to others contrary to the Nurse Practice Act or rules and regulations to the detriment of patient safety; aiding, abetting, assisting or hiring an individual to violate or circumvent any law of duly promulgated rule intended to guide the conduct of a nurse or any other licensed health care provider; exercising undue influence on the patient, including the promotion of sale of services, goods, appliances, or drugs in such a manner as to exploit the patient for financial gain of the nurse or of a third party; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing

Action: License reprimanded; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Melissa Woods, RN/APN, San Jose, CA

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: RN license and APN certification suspended

Licensee: Tina M. Woods, RN/APN, Bartlett

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 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 false or materially incorrect, inconsistent or unintelligible entries in any patient records or in the records of any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location pertaining to the obtaining, possessing or administration of any controlled substance as defined in the Federal Controlled Substances Act

Action: License reprimanded; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of charting/documentation (including wastage of medication), administration of pain medication (including pain assessment of patients) and ethics; assessed \$2,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Robert A. Woody, RN, Columbia

Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; and performing nursing techniques or procedures without proper education and practice

Action: License reprimanded; must obtain continuing education credits in the areas of crisis prevention intervention ("CPI") and dealing with aggressive or combative patients; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Danielle Lynette Wright, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: License summarily suspended

Licensee: Danielle Lynette Wright, RN, Knoxville

Violation: Guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; and guilty of unprofessional conduct

Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$1,000

### **BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY**

Licensee: Karissa Miley, OTA, New Market

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

### **BOARD OF PHARMACY**

Licensee: Misty Dawn Austin, RT, Barlett  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Alexandra C. Barnett, DPh, Knoxville  
Violation: Been addicted to the use of alcohol, narcotics or other drugs; exhibited an incapacity of a nature that prevents a pharmacist from engaging in the practice of pharmacy with reasonable skill, confidence and safety to the public; been guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Yvette G. Bean, RT, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Failed to comply with a lawful order or duly promulgated rule of the Board  
Action: Assessed \$50 civil penalty

Licensee: Sara C. Bond, RT, Kingsport  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Joshua O. Caruthers, RT, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Lindsey Clevinger, DPh, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: a Pharmacist may compound and dispense prescription drugs and devices and related materials only in a pharmacy practice site which is duly licensed by the board and which operates in compliance with Tennessee and federal laws and rules governing the practice of pharmacy; all sterile products shall be prepared in compliance with applicable USP standards for pharmaceutical compounding; any person who violates any rule of the board may be deemed guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$500

Licensee: Timothy Ryan Hoffman, DPh, Franklin  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: failed to have pharmacy technician properly registered with the Board; failed to comply with a lawful order or duly promulgated rule of the Board  
Action: Assessed \$500 civil penalty

Licensee: Jean Lizabeth Kolifraith, RT, Nashville  
Violation: Been guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: Registration voluntarily surrendered; assessed costs not to exceed \$500

Licensee: Dawn Minton, RT, Clarksville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kevin L. Morrow, RT, Old Hickory  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Martin L. Myers, III, DPh, Franklin  
Violation: Failed to have pharmacy technician properly registered with the Board; failed to comply with a lawful order or duly promulgated rule of the Board  
Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty

Licensee: Joshua Wayne Perry, RT, Lebanon  
Violation: Engaging in conduct prohibited or made unlawful by any of the provisions of parts 2-5 of this chapter or any other laws of the state or of the United States relating to drugs or to the practice of pharmacy; been guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: removed legend drugs from pharmacy without authorization from a licensed prescriber  
Action: Registration revoked

Licensee: Lanny R. Peters, DPh, Hampton  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute regarding patient counseling, as follows: upon receipt of a medical or prescription order and following a review of the patient's record, a pharmacist shall personally counsel the patient or caregiver "face-to-face" if the patient or caregiver is present. If the patient or caregiver is not present, a pharmacist shall make a reasonable effort to counsel through alternative means; upon the receipt of a request for refill of a medical or prescription order, a pharmacist or person designated by the pharmacist shall offer for the pharmacist to personally counsel the patient or caregiver; failed to comply with a lawful order or duly promulgated rule of the board  
Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Blake W. Rutherford, RT, Morristown  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Amanda Louise Sisco, RT, Monterey  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: fraudulently wrote prescriptions for legend drugs without authorization from a licensed prescriber  
Action: Registration revoked

Licensee: Super Discount Drugs, LLC, Pharmacy, Livingston  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: the owner or pharmacist in charge of a pharmacy practice site shall immediately return or destroy all outdated, defective, or deteriorated prescription drugs and devices and related materials; any person who violates any rule of the board may be deemed guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: Assessed \$560 civil penalty

Licensee: Larry C. Worley, DPh, Livingston  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: the owner or pharmacist in charge of a pharmacy practice site shall immediately return or destroy all outdated, defective, or deteriorated prescription drugs and devices and related materials; any person who violates any rule of the board may be deemed guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: License reprimanded

Licensee: Volunteer Pharmacy#4948, Pharmacy, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: as part of its quality assurance program, any licensed facility which engages in sterile compounding shall perform a gap analysis pursuant to guidelines adopted by the Board of Pharmacy. Any exceptions or serious deficiencies noted in this analysis shall be reported to the Board of Pharmacy; all sterile products shall be prepared in compliance with applicable USP standards for pharmaceutical compounding; any person who violates any rule of the board may be deemed guilty of dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct  
Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty; must appear in-person before the Board to request its approval prior to the resumption of any sterile compounding

### **BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY**

Licensee: Chelsea Marie Cole, PTA, Knoxville  
Violation: Practiced on lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$625 civil penalty

Licensee: Micheal D. Edwards, PTA, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Virginia Gajewski, PT, Fairview, NC  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$1,000 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 10 continuing education credits

Licensee: Jill Valerie Geric, PT, Galloway, OH  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 2 continuing education credits in ethics and 2 hours of TN Jurisprudence

Name: Virginia M. Joy, PT, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: practicing physical therapy in violation of the provisions of this chapter or any rule or written order adopted by the Board; a physical therapist or physical therapist assistant licensed under the provisions of this part shall renew such person's license as specified in the rules. An individual who fails to renew the license by the date of expiration shall not practice physical therapy or function as physical therapy assistant in the state of Tennessee  
Action: Assessed \$1,500 civil penalty

Licensee: Ellen Dedmon McCadams, PTA, Milan  
Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 1.5 hours of continuing education credits

Licensee: Pamela A. Minnehan, PTA, Columbia

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$900 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 9 continuing education credits

Name: Madeline Colson Murphy, PTA, Hernando, MS

Violation: Practicing physical therapy in violation of the provisions of this chapter or any rule or written order adopted by the board; making false or misleading statements or representations, being guilty of fraud or deceit in obtaining admission to practice or being guilty of fraud or deceit in the licensee's practice; failing to adhere to standards of ethics of the physical therapy profession; charging unreasonable or fraudulent fees for services performed or not performed; violated Standards of Ethical Conduct; to wit: physical therapists assistants shall provide truthful, accurate, and relevant information and shall not make misleading representations; physical therapist assistants shall ensure that all documentation for their interventions accurately reflects the nature and extent of the services provided; making misleading, deceptive, untrue or fraudulent representations in violation of this chapter, or otherwise, in the practice of the profession

Action: License placed on probation for not less than two years with terms; assessed \$1,500 civil penalty

Licensee: Valerie Jean Venus, PTA, Nashville

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$800 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 8 hours continuing education credits

Name: Karin Nicole Waddell, PTA, Murfreesboro

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: physical therapist assistants shall at all times be under the supervision of a licensed physical therapist; failing to adhere to the standards of ethics of the physical therapy profession; violated Standards of Ethical conduct for the Physical Therapist Assistant, to wit: physical therapist assistants shall provide physical therapy services under the direction and supervision of a physical therapist and shall communicate with the physical therapist when patient/client status requires modifications to the established plan of care

Action: License placed on probation for not less than three years with terms; assessed \$1,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$5,000

Licensee: Scottie Allen Watts, PTA, Gate City, VA

Violation: Failed to properly maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty and provide proof of the completion of 2 continuing education credits in ethics and 2 hours of TN Jurisprudence

### **BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE**

Name: Corry D. Rooks, RRT, Memphis

Violation: Failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: practiced on expired license; it is unlawful for any person to practice or offer to practice respiratory care unless such person has been duly licensed under the provisions of this chapter; violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the

Action: board or any criminal statute of this state  
License reprimanded; assessed \$1,818 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$300

Name: Mary Patton, RRT, West Memphis, AR  
Violation: Gross health care liability, ignorance, negligence or incompetence in the course of professional practice; engaging in the practice of respiratory care when mentally or physically unable to safely do so; any other professional or unethical specified in the rules of the board

Action: License reprimanded with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$800

Name: Frank James Peterson, LCRT, Nashville  
Violation: Engaging in the practice of respiratory care when mentally or physically unable to safely do so; any other professional or unethical specified in the rules of the board; immoral, unethical, unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board or any criminal statute of this state

Action: License placed on probation with terms; assessed costs not to exceed \$300

### **BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKER LICENSURE**

Name: Angela M. Aderogba, APSW, Douglasville, GA  
Violation: Willful or repeated violation of any provisions of this chapter or any rules of the board; conduct reflecting unfavorably upon the profession of social work; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: complete required number of continuing education credit hours

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must also complete 30 hours of continuing education credits

Name: Mabel Atekha, LMSW, Nashville  
Violation: Willful or repeated violation of any provisions of this chapter or any rules of the board; conduct reflecting unfavorably upon the profession of social work; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: complete required number of continuing education credit hours

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must also complete 24 hours of continuing education credits

Name: Robert L. Cooper, LCSW, Hendersonville  
Violation: Unprofessional or unethical conduct, or engaging in practices in connection with the practice of social work that are in violation of the standards of professional conduct, as defined in this section or prescribed by the rules of the board; incapacity or impairment that prevents a licensee from engaging in the practice of social work with reasonable skill, competence and safety to the public; conduct reflecting unfavorably upon the profession of social work; addiction to the habitual use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics or other stimulants to such an extent as to incapacitate the applicant or holder from the performance of the applicant's or holder's professional obligations and duties; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, regarding: sexual harassment, supervision/consultation, and impairment; failing to make every effort to avoid dual relationships with clients and/or

relationships that might impair the licensee's independent professional judgment and impair the quality of services provided each client  
Action: License placed on probation for 3 years with terms; assessed \$500 civil penalty

Name: Cynthia Black-Finch, LMSW, Knoxville

Violation: Criminal conviction

Action: License suspended for 6 months; license then will be placed on probation with terms for not less than one year

Name: Sara C. White, LCSW, Jackson

Violation: Unprofessional or unethical conduct, or engaging in practices in connection with the practice of social work that are in violation of the standards of professional conduct, as defined in this section or prescribed by the rules of the board; conduct reflecting unfavorably upon the profession of social work; failure to make every effort to avoid dual relationships with clients and/or relationships that might impair the licensee's independent professional judgement and impair the quality of services provided each client; violated code of ethics regarding conflict of interest

Action: License placed on probation for 3 years

Name: Lictoria M. Woods, LBSW, Antioch

Violation: Willful or repeated violation of any provisions of this chapter or any rules of the board; conduct reflecting unfavorably upon the profession of social work; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: complete required number of continuing education credit hours

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty; must complete 18 hours of continuing education credits

### **BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Licensee: Jason Neil Nelson, CAET, Chattanooga

Violation: Failed to pay child support

Action: License suspended

### **DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

Licensee: Miguel Castro, EMR, Brownsville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: William C. Shoemaker, EMT-P, Rossville, GA

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Jacqueline Nicole Wilburn, AEMT, Murfreesboro

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

**DIVISION OF PAIN MANAGEMENT CLINICS**

Name: Bartlett Medical Clinic, #296, Bartlett  
Violation: Dispensing, prescribing or otherwise distributing any controlled substance or other drug to any person in violation of any law of the state of the United States; failed to adhere to rules and/or statute, as follows: all prescribers or their designated healthcare practitioner's extenders, unless otherwise exempted under this part, shall check the controlled substance database prior to prescribing one of the controlled substances identified in subdivision (e)(3) to a human patient at the beginning of a new episode of treatment and shall check the controlled substance database for that human patient at least annually when that prescribed controlled substance remains part of the treatment  
Action: Certification surrendered

**DIVISION OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES**

Licensee: Nookie's Loving Care Home (Home for the Aged)  
Violation: owner built and used an addition to the original building without receiving written acceptance of the construction plans from the plans review division of the Department; doors to three residents' rooms do not appropriately close in the door frame; failed to provide appropriate night lighting with emergency battery power for each resident; failed to maintain electrically-operated smoke detectors with battery back up, failed to conduct quarterly fire drills, and failed to maintain all fire extinguishers; failed to provide documentation that the abuse registry had been checked for three staff members; failed to provide documentation of evidence of influenza vaccinations, or the refusal of such vaccinations, for two residents; failed to maintain appropriate personnel including having a responsible and awake attendant on the premises at all times; failed to ensure that only appropriately licensed personnel administered medications to residents, and Respondent failed to ensure that only appropriately licensed personnel trained residents how to self-administer their medications; failed to ensure that all medications were stored so that no resident could obtain another resident's medications; failed to ensure that contaminated sharps were placed in a leak proof, rigid and puncture-resistant container; failed to maintain an up-to-date prescription list in three of three resident files reviewed; failed to keep an awake attendant at the facility at all times; failed to provide documentation that the abuse registry had been checked for all of its employees; failed to ensure that one resident could appropriately self-administer his medications; failed to ensure that only appropriately licensed personnel administered medications; failed to store medications so that no resident could obtain another resident's medications; failed to ensure that contaminated sharps were disposed of by placing in a leak proof, rigid, and puncture resistant container.  
Action: Respondent's license placed on probation for no less than two years with conditions. Must reappear before the Board and demonstrate compliance with the Order before probation will be lifted.

Licensee: Brookwood Nursing Center, LLC (Nursing Home – Appeal of Suspension of Admissions)  
Violation: failed to ensure notification to family of changes in residents' condition, to provide wound care and treatments as ordered by the physician, to investigate injuries, to ensure revision of care plans were done with appropriate and individualized

interventions to prevent falls and to prevent and treat pressure ulcers, and to ensure an appropriate falls intervention program was implemented to prevent residents from having multiple falls and injuries; failed to implement an effective fall prevention program for four (4) residents, all of whom sustained injuries due to falls; failed to revise the care plan for four (4) residents with repeated falls and two (2) residents with pressure ulcers; failed to provide wound care for pressure ulcers as ordered for three (3) residents with pressure ulcers.

Action: Respondent to pay one (1) civil monetary penalty in the amount of nine hundred dollars (\$900.00).

### **ABUSE REGISTRY**

Name: Eboni L. Brown  
Abuse: Physical  
Profession: CNA(revoked)

Name: Terry Coleman  
Abuse: Physical  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Ramona Cowan  
Abuse: Physical  
Profession: Home Manager

Name: Amber June Daughtery  
Abuse: Theft/Misappropriation  
Profession: Caregiver

Name: Sherri A. Devault  
Abuse: Theft/Misappropriation  
Profession: CNA(revoked)

Name: Stacie Brown Fowler  
Abuse: Neglect  
Profession: LPN

Name: Whitney Nicole Foster  
Abuse: Theft/Misappropriation  
Profession: Caregiver

Name: Juliette Garrison  
Abuse: Physical/Neglect  
Profession: Personal Assistant

Name: Remi Kabura  
Abuse: Exploitation  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: James Tyler Lambdin  
Abuse: Profession

Profession: Resident Assistant

Name: James Tyler Lambdin

Abuse: Profession

Profession: Resident Assistant

Name: Heather Rogers

Abuse: Exploitation

Profession: Direct Support Staff and CNA(revoked)