

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 October, 2013. *Detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our website at <http://health.state.tn.us/Licensure/index.htm>. Enter the name of the person. When the license information comes up, click either "disciplinary action" or "adverse licensure action" in the right column.*

BOARD OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Licensee: Christopher K. Arnold, EMT-P, Churchill

Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate a statute and/or rule or regulation of the board, to wit: habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such manner as to adversely affect the delivery, performance or activities in the care of patients requiring medical care; making false statements or representations, being guilty of fraud or deceit in obtaining authorization; making false or materially incorrect or inconsistent entries in any patient records or in the records of any ambulance service, health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; unauthorized use or removal of narcotics, drugs, supplies or equipment from any ambulance, health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of emergency medical care.

Action: License revoked

Licensee: Christopher Brown, EMR, White House

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Heather Renee Fowler, EMT-P, Spring Hill

Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate a statute and/or rule or regulation of the board or any criminal statute of any state or Canadian province, or of the United States or Canada which involves moral turpitude or reflects upon the person's ability to fulfill such person's responsibilities under this part; and unethical practices and conduct.

Action: License revoked

Licensee: Derrick Finch, EMT-P, Clarksville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Robert O. Plummer, EMT-P, Smyrna

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Action: License revoked

Licensee: Misty L. Wilson, EMT-IV, Knoxville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

MEDICAL LABORATORY BOARD

Licensee: Vache Latriss Johnson (Unlicensed), Gilmore, Ark.*

Violation: Willfully and knowingly practicing in a medical laboratory without a license when licensure is required, to wit: making any test or examination.

Action: Assessed \$10,000 civil penalty

**Individual disciplined in July, 2013*

BOARD OF NURSING

Licensee: Suzanne Bennett, RN, Rossville, Ga.

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Michelle Davis, LPN, Johnson City

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Jessica Fentress, LPN, Goodlettsville

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Vicki Glaze, RN, Mason

Violation: Failed to pay student loan

Action: License suspended

Licensee: Stephanie Mahan, LPN, Spring Hill
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Linda McKinley, LPN, Kingsport
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Diana Monroe, LPN, Lenoir City
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kimberly Smallwood, RN, Humboldt
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Katrina Smith, LPN, Lawrenceburg
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Torry Estep Taylor, APN, Cumberland Gap
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: James Wilber, RN, Gallatin
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Taisha Young, LPN/RN, Clarksville
Violation: Failed to pay student loan
Action: License suspended

BOARD OF PHARMACY

Licensee: Robert Joseph Hafner, DPh, Cookeville
Violation: Dishonorable, immoral, unethical or unprofessional conduct; and failure to comply with a lawful order or a duly promulgated rule of the board.

Action: License revoked

COMMITTEE OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

Licensee: Richard Shults, PA, Richmond, Ind.

Violation: Unprofessional, dishonorable, or unethical conduct; dispensing, prescribing, or otherwise distributing any controlled substance or any other drug not in the course of professional practice, or not in good faith to relieve pain and suffering, or not to cure an ailment, physical infirmity or disease; and dispensing, prescribing or otherwise distributing any controlled substance to any person in violation of any law of the state or of the United States of America or any rule of the Board or Committee.

Action: License revoked; assessed \$7,000 civil penalty, plus costs not to exceed \$10,000

ABUSE REGISTRY

None