

BEFORE THE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD
OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of) Case No. 04-05
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Jeannette Jay Trentzsch, OTR/L) CONSENT ORDER
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Licensee No. OTR #237016)
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WHEREAS, Jeannette Jay Trentzsch, OTR/L is a licensee of the Oregon Occupational
Therapy Licensing Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board has conducted an investigation and is prepared to issue a Notice
of Proposed Disciplinary Action to the licensee alleging:

(1) that the licensee Jeannette Jay Trentzsch used office staff to perform an ultrasound on
a patient when the office staff was not a properly trained aide; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the licensee wish to resolve and settle this matters without
further proceedings; and

WHEREAS, the licensee being aware of his rights, hereby waives his right to further
notice of the allegations, waives her right to a hearing and her right to review and agrees
to the entry of this Consent Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Licensee is licensed as an occupational therapist and at all material times herein
provided occupational therapy services at Riverside Physical Therapy.
2. On or about March, 2004 licensee asked office staff at Riverside Physical Therapy to
provide ultrasound treatment in violation of OAR 339-010-0020(2)(f) and OAR 339-010-
0050(1)(a) and (b).
3. In a letter dated March 19, 2004 from Riverside Physical Therapy, the Office Manager
wrote "you have asked the girls to do ultrasound treatment. Not only did you have office
help do the ultrasound but you explained how to do it in front of the patient...The girls

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2 have not been properly trained to do this procedure... This is never to be asked of the
3 office help again unless formal training per Oregon State Law is completed in the future.”
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6 CONCLUSION OF LAW
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8 By violated OAR 339-010-0020(2)(f) it was unprofessional conduct “Using an occupational
9 therapy aide in violation of the law or Board rules regarding occupational therapy”. Further,
10 under OAR 339-010-0050(1)(2) an occupational therapy practitioner may only assign tasks
11 which the aide is competent to perform.”
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15 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:
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17 That the licensee is reprimanded.
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21 DATED this 28th day of September, 2004.
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24 Oregon Occupational Therapy Licensing Board
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27 Signature on File
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31 CONSENT
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33 I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the forgoing Consent Order and
34 that I understand its provisions. I agree to the Board entering the Consent Order.
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38 10-5-04
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Signature on File