

BEFORE THE PHYSICAL THERAPIST LICENSING BOARD
OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of the)	Case Number: PT-66
Physical Therapist License of)	License Number: 7095
)	
MARJORIE G. AUSTIN, PTA)	CONSENT ORDER
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Licensee)	

WHEREAS, Marjorie G. Austin, PTA "licensee" is a licensee of the Physical Therapist Licensing Board "Board"; and

WHEREAS, Marjorie G. Austin, PTA is employed by Kaiser Permanente Health Center West, 3600 N Interstate Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97227; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Austin contacted the Board's office on October 22, 2001 stating she "just remembered" she was not currently licensed and that she forgot to renew; and

WHEREAS, the Board's investigation revealed that the licensee:

1. failed to renew her license for the period April 01, 2000 through March 31, 2001 and continued to work; and
2. failed to renew her license for the period April 01, 2001 through October 21, 2001 and continued to work; and

WHEREAS, the Board is prepared to file a Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action based upon the foregoing findings; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the licensee are desirous of settling and resolving this matter by way of this Consent Order and without further proceedings thereon; and

WHEREAS, the licensee is aware of her right to notice, to be represented by counsel, to a hearing, in which she may call witnesses and cross-examine witnesses called by the Board,

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and the right to judicial review of any adverse decision by the Board and the licensee hereby waives these rights and agrees to the entry of this Consent Order.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The licensee shall pay to the Board a Civil Penalty in the amount of \$500.00, payable at signing of the Consent Order.

2. The licensee's license shall be suspended for two weeks, the date to be determined.

3. The licensee shall be placed on probation for five years, the end of which time, probation shall be vacated, providing the licensee has abided by the rules of practice and remained in compliance.

4. If the licensee violates this Consent Order, the Board, at its discretion, may institute further disciplinary proceedings.

DATED this 10TH day of MAY 2002.

PHYSICAL THERAPIST LICENSING BOARD

Signature On File

Patti Gustafson
Executive Director

CONSENT

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the Consent Order. I agree to the Board entering the Consent Order.

5-7-02

Date

Signature On File

Marjorie G. Austin, PTA
Licensee