

Oregon Medical Board
BOARD ACTION REPORT
January 15, 2020

The information contained in this report summarizes new, interim, and final actions taken by the Oregon Medical Board between December 16, 2020, and January 15, 2021.

Scanned copies of Interim Stipulated Orders, Orders of Emergency Suspension, Stipulated Orders, Final Orders, Termination Orders, Modification Orders, Voluntary Limitations, and non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreements are included at the end of this report in the order that they appear in the report. These orders are marked with an * asterisk. Scanned copies of the following actions are **not** included in this report:

- Consent Agreements and their modifications/terminations (non-disciplinary, do not impose practice limitations)
- Terminations of non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreements
- Complaint and Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action (not final actions by the Board)

These documents, however, are public and are available upon request.

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Oregon Medical Board
1500 SW 1st Ave, Ste 620
Portland, OR 97201

Copies of the Orders listed below are mailed to Oregon hospitals where the Licensee self-reported that he/she has privileges.

***Armstrong, Andrew, MD; PG200540; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; impairment; fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice medicine in this state; and willful violation of any rule adopted by the Board. This Order reprimands Licensee; requires Licensee to remain enrolled and in good standing in a monitoring program; and requires Licensee to maintain a relationship with Board-approved healthcare providers.

***Austin, Douglas John, MD; MD20456; Eugene, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreement with the Board. In this Agreement, Licensee agreed to complete the OHSU ECHO Certificate Program; complete the New England Journal of Medicine Pain Management and Opioids CME; submit clinic policies regarding management of chronic pain patients to the Board's Medical Director for approval; and follow the Oregon Health Authority's Pregnancy and Opioids Workgroup Recommendations.

***Bailey, Douglas Dwight, MD; MD14262; Crow, OR**

On December 18, 2020, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order to voluntarily cease the prescribing or refilling of any prescriptions for controlled substances pending the completion of the Board's investigation into his ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

***Carlson, Jessica Ruth, MD; MD176604; Gold Beach, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and gross or repeated acts of negligence. This Order prohibits Licensee from performing breast reconstruction surgery without a Board approved board-certified plastic surgeon in attendance; and requires Licensee to complete courses on the management of breast disease and a documentation course.

***Gaekwad, Satyajee Yashwantrao, MD; MD26995; Chillicothe, MO**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and repeated acts of negligence. With this Order, Licensee surrenders his Oregon medical license while under investigation.

***Gardner, Marion Lee, Jr., MD; MD17617; North Plains, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreement with the Board. In this Agreement, Licensee agreed to contract with CPEP for the development of an education plan; complete the CPEP education plan; and be subject to no-notice chart audits and office visits.

***Haputa, Andrew John, MD; MD190539; Stayton, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; impairment; and willful violation of a Board rule. This Order reprimands Licensee; requires Licensee to remain enrolled and in good standing in a monitoring program; and assesses a \$500 civil penalty.

***Heitsch, Richard Carlton, MD; MD11610; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and gross or repeated acts of negligence. This Order prohibits Licensee from treating any patient with hyperbaric oxygen or performing hyperbaric oxygen therapy; and requires Licensee to complete a Board-approved documentation course.

***Hu, Chester Chi-Tak, MD; MD166528; Gresham, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; gross or repeated acts of negligence; and disciplinary action by another state. This Order reprimands Licensee; assesses a \$5,000 civil penalty; places Licensee on probation; requires Licensee to follow published guidelines for monitoring and managing pediatric patients before, during, and after sedation procedures in the dental setting; requires Licensee to follow terms of his Washington Order regarding following a pre-anesthesia procedure, implementing a checklist for use with pediatric patients, following a recovery procedure, and ensuring all support personnel involved in the perioperative anesthesia period of a pediatric case conform to certain standards of care; and subjects Licensee's practice to no-notice chart audits and office visits. Terms imposing probation and practice requirements will be held in abeyance as long as Licensee's Oregon license remains at a non-practicing status.

***Hubbs, Aaron Wayne, LAc; AC01137; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional conduct and willful violation a Board rule or order. This Order reprimands Licensee and requires Licensee to only practice at sites that are pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director.

***Keiper, Glenn Lee, Jr., MD; MD20444; Eugene, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice in this state; willful violation of any provision of the Medical Practice Act; and failure to report any adverse action by a court. This Order reprimands Licensee; assesses a \$5,000 civil penalty with \$2,500 held in abeyance; and requires Licensee to complete pre-approved courses on professional boundaries and ethics, documentation, and communications.

***Krishnamurthy, Priya, MD; MD150865; Tualatin, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreement with the Board. In this Agreement, Licensee agreed to complete a pre-approved course in patient communications; contract with a pre-approved practice management consultant to assess the operational policies and procedures of Licensee's medical practice and formulate an improvement plan, or hire a pre-approved practice management firm to manage all operations at Licensee's practice; complete a pre-approved course in practice management if Licensee should no longer own and operate her own practice; and maintain an on-going therapeutic relationship with a pre-approved healthcare provider.

Laurie, Michael Aaron, MD; MD19654; Eugene, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Corrective Action Agreement. This Order terminates Licensee's October 3, 2019, Corrective Action Agreement.

McMahon, Douglas Bogan, DO; DO19768; White City, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Corrective Action Order. This Order terminates Licensee's July 12, 2007, Corrective Action Order.

***Melnick, Jeffrey Bruce, PA; PA00251; Wilsonville, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and gross or repeated acts of negligence. With this Order, Licensee surrenders his physician assistant license while under investigation.

***Melvin, Kenneth Paul, MD; MD24232; Lake Oswego, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct. With this Order, Licensee surrenders his medical license while under investigation.

***Metzger, Chris Allen, MD; MD28806; Bend, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct; fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice in this state; violation of a rule adopted by the Board; and failure to self-report any official action to the Board. This Order assesses a \$2,000 civil penalty.

Overman, Kyle Austin, LAc; AC195425; Portland, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Consent Agreement for Re-Entry to Practice. This Order terminates Licensee's March 23, 2020, Consent Agreement for Re-Entry to Practice.

***Patterson, Emma Jean, MD; MD22571; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a non-disciplinary Corrective Action Agreement with the Board. In this Agreement, Licensee agreed to complete pre-approved courses in anger management and communications.

***Reyes, Vincent Pedro, MD; MD16883; Hillsboro, OR**

On December 29, 2020, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order to voluntarily cease performing femoral access for any procedure, any interventional cardiology procedure, or rotational atherectomies; and have a pre-approved, board-certified cardiologist serve as co-proceduralist for any pacemaker procedures pending the completion of the Board's investigation into his ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

***Schmidt, Linda Erika, MD; MD24604; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and impairment. This Order reprimands Licensee and requires Licensee to remain enrolled and in good standing in a monitoring program.

Schultz, George Edward, DO; DO21031; Medford, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Corrective Action Agreement. This Order terminates Licensee's July 12, 2018, Corrective Action Agreement, and April 2, 2020, Order Modifying Corrective Action Agreement.

***Sharma, Bhanoo, MD; MD150955; Hazel Crest, IL**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; willful performance of any surgical or medical treatment which is contrary to acceptable medical standards; administration of unnecessary treatment and utilizing medical service for diagnosis or treatment which is or may be considered inappropriate or unnecessary; and gross or repeated acts of negligence. With this Order, Licensee surrenders his medical license while under investigation.

Sticker, Carol Lynne, PA; PA194156; Portland, OR

On January 12, 2021, the Board issued an Order Modifying Consent Agreement for Re-Entry to Practice. This Order modifies Licensee's July 30, 2019, Consent Agreement for Re-Entry to Practice.

Treadwell, Amalia Beth Oster, LAc; AC159603; Portland, OR

On December 29, 2020, Licensee entered into a non-disciplinary Consent Agreement for Re-Entry to Practice with the Board. In this Agreement, Licensee agreed to complete an 80-hour mentorship with a Board-approved clinical supervisor.

***Vogt, Amber Janeen, DO; DO179860; Clackamas, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and impairment. This Order reprimands Licensee, and requires Licensee to remain enrolled and in good standing in a monitoring program.

Williams, Keith Barton, MD; MD16928; Medford, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Corrective Action Agreement. This Order terminates Licensee's July 11, 2019, Corrective Action Agreement.

Winder, Donald Edwin, Jr., PA; PA156714; Corvallis, OR

On January 7, 2021, the Board issued an Order Terminating Corrective Action Agreement. This Order terminates Licensee's April 7, 2016, Corrective Action Agreement.

***Zamora, Joanna Magdalena, MD; MD173312; Portland, OR**

On January 7, 2021, Licensee entered into a Stipulated Order with the Board for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct and impersonating another licensee or permitting or allowing any person to use Licensee's license. This Order reprimands Licensee and requires Licensee to remain enrolled and in good standing in a monitoring program.

The following Licensee were issued Complaint and Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action.

Note, in these instances the Board has not taken a final action.

- Jain, Sanjeev, MD; MD162938; Gresham, OR
- Sandefur, Eric Todd, DO; DO20320; Baker City, OR

The following Licensee was issued an Order **Rescinding** Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action.

- Sharma, Bhanoo, MD; MD150955; Hazel Crest, IL

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
ANDREW ARMSTRONG, MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. PG200540)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Andrew Armstrong, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On October 2, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession, or any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public, or any conduct, practice or condition which does or might adversely affect a physician's ability to safely and skillfully practice medicine; ORS 677.190(7) impairment, as defined by ORS 676.303; ORS 677.190(8) fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice medicine in this state; and ORS 677.190(17) willful violation of any rule adopted by the Board, specifically OAR 847-008-0058 Fraud or Misrepresentation, and OAR 847-065-0055 Health Professional Services Program (HPSP) Licensee responsibilities.

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3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee's conduct as described in the October 2, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS 677.190(7); ORS 677.190(8) misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice medicine in this state; and ORS 677.190(17), specifically OAR 847-008-0058 misrepresentation, and OAR 847-065-0055. Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

4.

Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order subject to the following terms and conditions:

4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

4.2 Licensee must remain enrolled and compliant with his monitoring agreement with the Health Professionals' Services Program (or any successor program authorized by the Board) as outlined in his agreement with the Program. This term will remain in effect as long as the status of Licensee's Oregon medical license authorizes him to practice medicine in any capacity in the state or until the Board, at its sole discretion, terminates or modifies this Order.

4.3 Licensee must maintain an on-going therapeutic relationship with healthcare providers pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director as outlined in Confidential Attachment A. Licensee must sign all necessary releases to allow direct communication between the Board and Licensee's healthcare providers, who will provide written quarterly reports to the Board's Medical Director. At the Board's discretion, the frequency of the required reports may be

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1 reduced. Additionally, after two years of continued compliance with this term, Licensee may
2 petition the Board for a reduction in the frequency of these reports.

3 4.4 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
4 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
5 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
6 contact information within 10 business days.

7 4.5 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
8 to the practice of medicine.

9 4.6 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
10 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

11 4.7 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
12 signed by the Board Chair.

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14 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 25 day of November, 2020.

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17 ANDREW ARMSTRONG, MD

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19 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January 2021.

20 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
21 State of Oregon

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23 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
24 BOARD CHAIR

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2 BEFORE THE
3 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
4 STATE OF OREGON

4 In the Matter of)
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5 DOUGLAS JOHN AUSTIN, MD) CORRECTIVE ACTION AGREEMENT
6 LICENSE NO. MD20456)
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8 1.

9 The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing,
10 regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of
11 Oregon. Douglas John Austin, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

12 2.

13 On February 13, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed
14 Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed disciplinary action by imposing up to
15 the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the
16 revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against
17 Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or
18 dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice which does or
19 might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; ORS 677.190(13)
20 gross or repeated acts of negligence; ORS 677.190(17) willful violation of any Board rule,
21 specifically, OAR 847-015-0030 Material Risk Notification; and ORS 677.190(24) prescribing
22 controlled substances without a legitimate medical purpose or without following accepted
23 procedures for examination of patients or for record keeping.

24 3.

25 Licensee and the Board now desire to settle this matter by entry of this Agreement.
26 Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative
27 Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the
28 right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this

1 Agreement in the Board's records. The Board agrees to close the current investigation and does
2 not make a finding in regard to any violation of the Medical Practice Act. This Agreement is a
3 public document; however, it is not a disciplinary action. This document is reportable to the
4 National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

5 4.

6 In order to address the concerns of the Board and for purposes of resolving this
7 investigation, Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation
8 contingent upon Licensee agreeing to the following conditions:

9 4.1 Within 18 months of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
10 successfully complete the OHSU Addiction Medicine ECHO Certificate Program.

11 4.2 Within two months of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
12 complete the New England Journal of Medicine Pain Management and Opioids CME.

13 4.3 To augment the education components of terms 4.1 and 4.2, Licensee agrees to
14 submit clinic documents regarding the management of patients with chronic pain for review and
15 approval by the Board's Medical Director. These documents should include: patient selection
16 criteria including diagnoses appropriate for chronic pain treatment; standards for assessments of
17 ongoing pain; assessment of functional status; standard treatment plans including non-
18 prescription modalities; criteria for referral; and for any patient on chronic opioids, the policies
19 and procedures for pain contracts, material risk notices, monitoring urine drug screens, PDMP
20 checks, and for any patient on chronic methadone, annual EKGs.

21 4.4 Licensee agrees to follow the Oregon Health Authority's Pregnancy and Opioids
22 Workgroup Recommendations.

23 4.5 Within six months from the effective date of this Order, Licensee agrees to
24 complete a professional boundaries course that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical
25 Director.

26 4.6 Licensee agrees to inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all
27 practice sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status

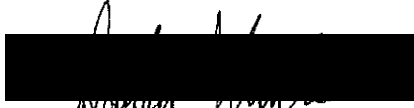
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1 within 10 business days. Additionally, Licensee agrees to notify the Compliance Section of any
2 changes in contact information within 10 business days.

3 4.7 Licensee agrees to obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations
4 pertaining to the practice of medicine.

5 4.8 Licensee agrees that any violation of the terms of this Agreement constitutes
6 grounds to take disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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8 IT IS SO AGREED THIS 18 day of December, 2020.

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11 DOUGLAS JOHN AUSTIN, MD

12 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

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14 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
15 State of Oregon

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17 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
18 BOARD CHAIR
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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
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DOUGLAS DWIGHT BAILEY, MD) INTERIM STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD14262)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Douglas Dwight Bailey, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon and holds an active medical license.

2.

The Board received credible information regarding Licensee that resulted in the Board initiating an investigation. The results of the Board’s investigation to date have raised concerns to the extent that the Board believes it necessary that Licensee agree to certain terms until the investigation is completed.

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In order to address the Board’s concerns, Licensee and the Board agree to the entry of this Interim Stipulated Order, which is not an admission of any wrongdoing on the part of the Licensee, and will remain in effect while this matter is under investigation, and provides that Licensee shall comply with the following conditions:

3.1 Licensee must not prescribe controlled substances or refill any prescriptions for controlled substances for any patient.

3.2 Licensee understands that violating any term of this Order will be grounds for disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

3.3 Licensee understands this Order becomes effective the date he signs it.

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At the conclusion of the Board's investigation, the Board will decide whether to close the case or to proceed to some form of disciplinary action. If the Board determines, following that review, not to lift the requirements of this Order, Licensee may request a hearing to contest that decision.

5.

This order is issued by the Board pursuant to ORS 677.410, which grants the Board the authority to attach conditions to the license of Licensee to practice medicine. These conditions will remain in effect while the Board conducts a complete investigation in order to fully inform itself with respect to the conduct of Licensee. Pursuant to ORS 677.425, Board investigative materials are confidential and shall not be subject to public disclosure, nor shall they be admissible as evidence in any judicial proceeding. However, as a stipulation this Order is a public document and is reportable to the National Practitioner Databank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 18th day of December, 2020.


DOUGLAS DWIGHT BAILEY, MD

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 23 day of December, 2020.

OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
State of Oregon


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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
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JESSICA RUTH CARLSON, MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD176604)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Jessica Ruth Carlson, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On August 19, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed taking disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) conduct or practice that does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient; and ORS 677.190(13) gross or repeated acts of negligence.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies any violation, but the Board finds that Licensee's conduct as described in the August 19, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), and ORS 677.190(13). Licensee

1 understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the
2 National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

3 4.

4 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
5 subject to the following terms and conditions:

6 4.1 Licensee must not perform any breast reconstruction surgery without a board-
7 certified plastic surgeon, who has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director, in
8 attendance for the duration of the procedure as a surgical assistant.

9 4.2 Within one year of the effective date of this Order, Licensee must complete a
10 comprehensive course on the management of breast disease that has been pre-approved by the
11 Board's Medical Director. The course must be offered by a physician continuing education and
12 training program affiliated with an accredited medical school in the United States. The proposed
13 course must cover such topics as indication for surgery including pre-operative diagnostics,
14 when to refer to appropriate specialists, choice of surgical approach, and best practices for post-
15 operative management and referral.

16 4.3 Between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2022, Licensee must complete eight
17 hours of AMA Category I CME in the management of breast disease that has been pre-approved
18 by the Board's Medical Director.

19 4.4 Between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2024, Licensee must complete eight
20 hours of AMA Category I CME in the management of breast disease that has been pre-approved
21 by the Board's Medical Director.

22 4.5 Within six months of the effective date of this Order, Licensee must complete a
23 documentation course that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director.

24 4.6 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
25 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
26 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
27 contact information within 10 business days.

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1 4.7 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
2 to the practice of medicine.

3 4.8 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
4 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

5 4.9 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
6 signed by the Board Chair.

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8 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 7th day of October, 2020.

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12 JESSICA RUTH CARLSON, MD

13 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

14 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
15 State of Oregon

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19 BOARD CHAIR

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
SATYAJEET YASHWANTRAO) STIPULATED ORDER
GAEKWAD, MD)
LICENSE NO. MD26995)

1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Satyajeet Yashwantrao Gaekwad, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On June 4, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient; and ORS 677.190(13) repeated acts of negligence.

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Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged

1 in conduct as described in the June 4, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary
2 Action, and that this conduct violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a)
3 unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice
4 which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient; and ORS
5 677.190(13). Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action
6 that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical
7 Boards.

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9 Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation and resolve this
10 matter by entry of this Stipulated Order, subject to the following conditions:

11 4.1 Licensee surrenders his Oregon medical license while under investigation.

12 4.2 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
13 to the practice of medicine.

14 4.3 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
15 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

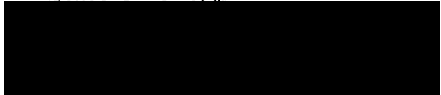
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17 This Order becomes effective the date it is signed by the Board Chair.

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19 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 11 day of December 2020.

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22 SATYAJEET YASHWANTRAO GAEKWAD, MD

23 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January 2021.

24 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
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27 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
Board Chair

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
MARION LEE GARDNER, JR. MD)
LICENSE NO. MD17617) CORRECTIVE ACTION AGREEMENT
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Marion Lee Gardner, Jr., MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On May 28, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed taking disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty, and assessment of costs, pursuant to ORS 677.205 against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS 677.190(13); ORS 677.190(17), specifically, OAR 847-015-0030; and ORS 677.190(24). Prior to the issuance of the Notice, on August 28, 2019, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order with the Board in which he agreed to limitations in his prescribing practices pending the completion of the Board's investigation.

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Licensee and the Board now desire to settle this matter by entry of this Agreement. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Agreement in the Board's records. The Board agrees to close the current investigation and does not make a finding in regard to any violation of the Medical Practice Act. This Agreement is a

1 public document; however, it is not a disciplinary action. This document is reportable to the
2 National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

3 4.

4 In order to address the concerns of the Board and for purposes of resolving this
5 investigation, Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation
6 contingent upon Licensee agreeing to the following conditions:

7 4.1 Within 30 days of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
8 contract with CPEP for the development of an education plan. Licensee agrees to bear the cost
9 of the completion of any CPEP recommendations, the development of an education plan, and any
10 post-education evaluation. Licensee agrees to sign all necessary releases to allow full
11 communication and exchange of documents and reports between the Board and CPEP. Licensee
12 agrees to ensure CPEP submits the education plan and reports directly to the Board.

13 4.2 Licensee agrees to sign the appropriate paperwork indicating that he agrees to
14 enroll in the education plan and return the signed documents to CPEP within 15 days of approval
15 of the educational plan by the Board's Medical Director. Licensee agrees to successfully
16 complete the CPEP education plan, including any post-education evaluation, within 18 months
17 from the date the educational plan is approved. Licensee agrees to comply with any educational
18 recommendations, practice modifications, and timelines set forth by CPEP. Licensee agrees to
19 bear all costs associated with the approved education plan and any post-education evaluation.
20 Any educational mentor must be pre-approved by CPEP and the Board's Medical Director.
21 Licensee agrees to sign all necessary releases to allow full communication and exchange of
22 documents and reports between the Board, CPEP, and any mentors. Licensee agrees to keep the
23 Board apprised of his compliance with the CPEP education plan throughout its duration.

24 4.3 Licensee agrees to provide the Board with written proof from CPEP upon
25 successful completion of the approved education plan, including successful completion of any
26 post-education evaluation, as defined above.

27 4.4 At the discretion of the Board or its designees, random, no notice chart audits and
28 office visits may be conducted by Board designees.

1 4.5 Licensee agrees to inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all
2 practice sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status
3 within 10 business days. Additionally, Licensee agrees to notify the Compliance Section of any
4 changes in contact information within 10 business days.

5 4.6 Upon a submitted request from CPEP that Licensee’s August 28, 2019, Interim
6 Stipulated Order be terminated in order to allow Licensee to complete the education plan, the
7 Board’s Medical Director may approve the termination of the Interim Stipulated Order. If no
8 request is received from CPEP, the Interim Stipulated Order will be terminated upon receipt of
9 documentation of Licensee’s successful completion of the education plan. Licensee will be
10 notified in writing if and when this termination occurs.

11 4.7 Licensee agrees to obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations
12 pertaining to the practice of medicine.

13 4.8 Licensee agrees that any violation of the terms of this Agreement constitutes
14 grounds to take disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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16 IT IS SO AGREED THIS 28th day of September, 2020.

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19 MARION LEE GARDNER, JR. MD

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21 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

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23 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
24 State of Oregon

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26 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
27 BOARD CHAIR
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1 in conduct as described in the September 17, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed
2 Disciplinary Action, and that this conduct violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS
3 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS 677.190(7); and ORS 677.190(17).
4 Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is
5 reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

6 4.

7 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order,
8 subject to the following terms:

9 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

10 4.2 Licensee must remain enrolled and in good standing in the Health Professionals'
11 Services Program as outlined in his agreement with the Program.


12 4.3 Licensee must pay a civil penalty of \$500 within 60 days from the effective date
13 of this Order.

14 4.4 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
15 to the practice of medicine.

16 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
17 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

18 4.6 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
19 signed by the Board Chair.

20 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 7th day of October, 2020

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22 ANDREW JOHN HAPUTA, MD

23 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January, 2021.

24 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
RICHARD CARLTON HEITSCH, MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD11610)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Richard Carlton Heitsch, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On September 3, 2020, the Board issued an Amended Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed taking disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 fine per violation, and assessment of costs, pursuant to ORS 677.205 against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public, ORS 677.188(4)(b) willful performance of any surgical or medical treatment which is contrary to acceptable medical standards, and ORS 677.188(4)(c) administration of unnecessary treatment; employment of outmoded, unproved or unscientific treatments; or otherwise utilizing medical service for diagnosis or treatment which is or may be considered inappropriate or unnecessary; and ORS 677.190(13) gross or repeated acts of negligence.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the

1 right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this
2 Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that
3 Licensee's conduct as described in the September 3, 2020, Notice violated ORS 677.190(1)(a),
4 as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a), (b), and (c); and ORS 677.190(13). Licensee understands that
5 this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National
6 Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

7 4.

8 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
9 subject to the following terms and conditions:

10 4.1 Licensee, or any person employed by Licensee, must not treat any patient with
11 hyperbaric oxygen or perform hyperbaric oxygen therapy for any patient.

12 4.2 Licensee must complete a course on medical documentation, that has been pre-
13 approved by the Board's Medical Director, within 120 days of the effective date of this Order.

14 4.3 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
15 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
16 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
17 contact information within 10 business days.

18 4.4 The Interim Stipulated Order of May 31, 2017, terminates upon the effective date
19 of this Stipulated Order.

20 4.5 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
21 to the practice of medicine.

22 4.6 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
23 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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1 4.7 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
2 signed by the Board Chair.

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4 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 7th day of November, 2020.

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7 RICHARD CARLTON HEITSCH, MD

8 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

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10 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
11 State of Oregon

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
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CHESTER CHI-TAK HU, MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD166528)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Chester Chi-Tak Hu, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician (lapsed status) in the State of Oregon.

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2.1 Licensee is a board-certified anesthesiologist who formerly practiced in the metro area of Portland, Oregon. Licensee holds a lapsed Oregon license and does not currently practice medicine in Oregon.

2.2 On October 4, 2018, Licensee entered into an Agreed Order with the Washington Medical Commission (WMC) regarding pediatric anesthesiology provided in an office setting. *The Washington Order is hereby incorporated into this Order by reference.*

2.3 On June 4, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed taking disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; ORS 677.190(13) gross or repeated acts of negligence; and ORS 677.190(15) disciplinary action by another state.

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Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee's conduct as described in the June 4, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS 677.190(13); and ORS 677.190(15). Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

4.

Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order subject to the following terms and conditions:

4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.


4.2 Licensee must pay a civil penalty of \$5,000 within 180 days from the effective date of this Order. Licensee may make payments, as long as no payment, excepting the final payment, is less than \$100.

4.3 Licensee is placed on probation and shall report in person to the Board at each of its quarterly meetings at the scheduled times for a probation interview, unless otherwise directed by the Board's Compliance Officer or its Investigative Committee. Additionally, at the Board's discretion, interviews may be held electronically between Licensee and the Board's Compliance Officer (or its designee) using Board established protocols for the location and electronic transmission of the meeting. Licensee is responsible for maintenance of the equipment and technology necessary for the electronic meetings to occur. Licensee will be notified if and when such meetings are scheduled in lieu of an in-person appearance. This term will be held in abeyance as long as Licensee's Oregon medical license is at a non-practicing status.

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1 4.14 Licensee may petition the Board in writing to modify or terminate this Stipulated
2 Order upon his release from the Washington Order. At the time of the submission of such a
3 request, Licensee must be in compliance with this Stipulated Order and provide proof that the
4 Washington Order has been terminated.

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6 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 18 day of December, 2020.

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9 CHESTER CHI-TAK HU, MD

10 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

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12 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
13 State of Oregon

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15 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
16 BOARD CHAIR

STATE OF WASHINGTON
MEDICAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the License to Practice
as a Physician and Surgeon of:

CHESTER C. HU, MD
License No. 00039238

Respondent.

No. M2017-645

**STIPULATED FINDINGS OF FACT,
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND
AGREED ORDER**

The Medical Quality Assurance Commission (Commission), through Ariele Page Landstrom, Commission Staff Attorney, and Respondent, represented by counsel, Scott M. O'Halloran, stipulate and agree to the following.

1. PROCEDURAL STIPULATIONS

- 1.1 On January 31, 2018, the Commission issued a Statement of Charges against Respondent.
- 1.2 In the Statement of Charges, the Commission alleges that Respondent violated RCW 18.130.180(4).
- 1.3 The Commission is prepared to proceed to a hearing on the allegations in the Statement of Charges.
- 1.4 Respondent has the right to defend against the allegations in the Statement of Charges by presenting evidence at a hearing.
- 1.5 The Commission has the authority to impose sanctions pursuant to RCW 18.130.160 if the allegations are proven at a hearing.
- 1.6 The parties agree to resolve this matter by means of this Stipulated Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Agreed Order (Agreed Order).
- 1.7 Respondent waives the opportunity for a hearing on the Statement of Charges if the Commission accepts this Agreed Order.
- 1.8 This Agreed Order is not binding unless it is accepted and signed by the Commission.
- 1.9 If the Commission accepts this Agreed Order, it will be reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank (45 CFR Part 60), the Federation of State Medical Boards' Physician Data Center and elsewhere as required by law.

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1.10 This Agreed Order is a public document. It will be placed on the Department of Health's website, disseminated via the Commission's electronic mailing list, and disseminated according to the Uniform Disciplinary Act (Chapter 18.130 RCW). It may be disclosed to the public upon request pursuant to the Public Records Act (Chapter 42.56 RCW). It will remain part of Respondent's file according to the state's records retention law and cannot be expunged.

1.11 If the Commission rejects this Agreed Order, Respondent waives any objection to the participation at hearing of any Commission members who heard the Agreed Order presentation.

2. FINDINGS OF FACT

For the purposes of this proceeding only, Respondent does not contest the allegations. Based upon the uncontested allegations, the Commission makes the following findings of fact:

2.1 On November 1, 2000, the state of Washington issued Respondent a license to practice as a physician and surgeon. Respondent's license is currently active. Respondent is board certified in anesthesiology.

2.2 At all times pertaining to the alleged facts below, Respondent was an independent contractor for a mobile anesthesiology company.

2.3 Patient A, a 4-year-old boy with developmental delays, was a patient of a children's dental clinic for approximately two (2) years and had visited on multiple occasions. Patient A's dental records indicate he was anxious and uncooperative, and treatment with general anesthesia was recommended.

2.4 Patient A received general anesthesia for two (2) dental procedures in November 2014 and July 2015. On both occasions, the owner of the mobile anesthesiology company administered the anesthesia with no complications.

2.5 On February 14, 2017, Patient A had an appointment with a dentist at the dental clinic. Patient A was uncooperative, so the dentist scheduled general anesthesia on March 10, 2017, to determine what kind of dental treatment was needed and to obtain x-rays. Patient A was seen by his primary care provider on March 1, 2017, and was cleared for general anesthesia in an office setting.

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2.6 On March 10, 2017, Patient A and his mother arrived at the dental clinic for Patient A's scheduled procedure. Respondent, the anesthesiologist administering general anesthesia for Patient A, checked the patient's vitals and listened to his heart. Patient A's mother informed Respondent that he would fight placement of a mask, so he gave Patient A an intramuscular shot of two hundred (200) milligrams of ketamine and two (2) milligrams of Versed in his arm.

2.7 Patient A was brought to the operatory room and induction of anesthesia took place with sevoflurane and nitrous oxide. Respondent masked and nasally intubated Patient A. Respondent placed an IV and throat pack. Patient A received propofol and nitrous oxide for ongoing anesthesia and fifty (50) micrograms of fentanyl.

2.8 Following the dental procedure Patient A was extubated and taken to a recovery room where he was initially monitored by Respondent. Monitoring was then turned over to a medical assistant – registered. No vitals were recorded in Patient A's medical records during the recovery phase, including pulse oximetry or blood pressure readings.

2.9 Respondent left the room to initiate anesthesia on the next scheduled patient. The medical assistant came into Patient A's recovery room periodically, checking on Patient A in 10-to-15-minute increments. At one point, noting that Patient A was not awake, the medical assistant took wet towels and put them on Patient A's face and back of his neck to stimulate him, but it did not arouse him. At that time, she noted slowed and shallow breathing. The medical assistant then notified Respondent.

2.10 Upon learning that Patient A had not regained consciousness, Respondent entered the recovery room. Respondent confirmed that Patient A's breathing was slow and shallow. Respondent left to briefly check on his other patient and then returned to reevaluate and rouse Patient A.

2.11 At that time, Respondent noted that Patient A's breathing was significantly depressed and his lip color had darkened. Respondent performed a jaw thrust (maneuver to prevent the tongue from obstructing the airway) and checked for chest rise. Respondent retrieved a pulse oximeter from the cupboard and placed it on Patient A's toe, but only received a faint pulse. He then placed it on Patient A's finger. Respondent noted very faint thready (weak) radial and carotid pulses.

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2.12 When Patient A's breath sounds stopped and the pulse oximeter was no longer picking up a pulse, Respondent called for the medical assistant. He then used bag-valve mask ventilation on Patient A. When Patient A's pulse did not improve with masking, Respondent started compressions. Then Patient A's breathing stopped.

2.13 Patient A was unresponsive, apneic (not breathing), and had his jaw clenched. An IV was started and Respondent administered epinephrine. Respondent continued rescue efforts and 911 was called. The paramedics continued resuscitative efforts as they transported Patient A to the hospital. Emergency department continued resuscitative efforts for thirty (30) minutes, but spontaneous circulation never returned. Patient A was unable to be revived and was pronounced dead.

2.14 Respondent, as the anesthesiologist for Patient A, was responsible for Patient A's recovery. Respondent's care of Patient A failed to meet the standard of care by failing to make use of appropriate monitoring equipment, such as a pulse oximeter to measure oxygen saturation and by failing to have an appropriately credentialed and trained individual assigned to monitor Patient A continuously until he showed signs of emerging from sedation. Respondent's failure to meet the standard of care put Patient A at grievous risk of harm and contributed to Patient A's death.

3. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based upon the Findings of Fact, the Commission makes the following Conclusions of Law.

3.1 The Commission has jurisdiction over Respondent and over the subject matter of this proceeding.

3.2 Respondent has committed unprofessional conduct in violation of RCW 18.130.180(4).

3.3 The above violation provides grounds for imposing sanctions under RCW 18.130.160.

4. AGREED ORDER

Based on the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, Respondent agrees to entry of the following Agreed Order.

4.1 **Compliance Orientation.** Respondent shall complete a compliance orientation in person or by telephone within sixty (60) days of the effective date of this

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Agreed Order. Respondent must contact the Compliance Unit at the Commission by calling (360) 236-2763, or by sending an email to: Medical.compliance@doh.wa.gov within twenty (20) days of the effective date of this Agreed Order. Respondent must provide a contact phone number where Respondent can be reached for scheduling purposes.

4.2 **Personal Appearances.** Respondent must personally appear at a date and location determined by the Commission in approximately nine (9) months after the effective date of this Agreed Order, or as soon thereafter as the Commission's schedule permits. Thereafter, Respondent must make personal appearances annually or as frequently as the Commission requires unless the Commission waives the need for an appearance. Respondent must participate in a brief telephone call with the Commission's Compliance Unit prior to the appearance. The purpose of appearances is to provide meaningful oversight over Respondent's compliance with the requirements of this Agreed Order. The Commission will provide reasonable notice of all scheduled appearances.

4.3 **Adherence to AAP and AAPD Guidelines.** Respondent must adhere to guidelines published by the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry (AAPD) for monitoring and managing pediatric patients before, during, and after sedated procedures in the dental clinic setting. Respondent must send quarterly attestations, for approval by the Commission, indicating that he is following the guidelines, and if there are any updates to the guidelines, briefly explain the updates in his next attestation. To the extent that these guidelines conflict with any requirements of this Agreed Order, Respondent must follow the AAP and AAPD guidelines.

4.4 **Practice Reviews.** If Respondent's practice includes pediatric patients, Respondent must permit a representative of the Commission, or pre-approved designee, to conduct a practice review of Respondent's records and practice within three (3) months of the effective date of this Agreed Order, and every three (3) months thereafter at the discretion of the Commission. The representative will randomly select records of pediatric patients to determine Respondent's compliance with this Agreed Order. The representative may also interview Respondent, Respondent's staff, Respondent's employer or administrator of a company with which he is associated. The Commission will

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notify Respondent of the review in advance, and at the time of notification, Respondent must provide the locations of: (1) his patient records and ensure that the representative will have access to the records; (2) the sites where he will be providing patient care; and (3) any other professionals that may be interviewed. Respondent agrees to cooperate with the representative during practice reviews and to permit the representative to review and copy patient records. The representative may also make announced visits to sites where he is providing patient care. In order to determine compliance with this Agreed Order, the representative may observe the recovery rooms for Respondent's patients and perform an inspection for required equipment in the rooms. Respondent must ensure the site to be visited by the representative is available for such a visit and allowed by the site's owner. The Commission may take additional action, in a separate case, if the practice reviews reveal ongoing concerns regarding Respondent's practice.

4.5 Pre-Anesthesia Procedure. Prior to initiation of deep sedation or general anesthesia for a pediatric patient, Respondent must:

(1) Ensure every pediatric patient has a preoperative anesthesia evaluation documented in advance of the procedure for which he will administer anesthesia that includes all relevant past medical, surgical, and anesthetic history; and

(2) Document whether each pediatric patient is an appropriate candidate for deep sedation or general anesthesia, including whether the patient has specific risk factors that may warrant additional consultation before deep sedation or general anesthesia, and how each patient meets criteria for deep sedation or general anesthesia in an outpatient environment;

(3) Document discussion regarding the risks of deep sedation or general anesthesia with a parent or guardian of a pediatric patient with any of the following risk factors: (a) Who is very young; (b) has special needs; (c) has airway abnormalities; or (d) has a chronic medical or other condition. This discussion must include reasoning why the pediatric patient can safely receive general anesthesia or deep sedation in an outpatient environment and any alternatives; and

(4) Document use of the checklist described in paragraph 4.6.

4.6 Checklist. Respondent in conjunction with his employer, or company with which he is associated, must develop and submit a checklist for approval by the

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Commission prior to implementation, which is intended to be completed each day by Respondent prior to the initiation of any pediatric patient care.

4.6.1 The checklist must include: (1) documentation of availability and functioning of monitors, medications, and equipment, including those needed for rescue interventions and resuscitation; (2) availability of trained staff for safe delivery of general anesthesia or deep sedation and for continuous postoperative monitoring; (3) discharge criteria; (4) an emergency protocol that details specific roles of each staff member and provider and how timely activation of emergency medical services (EMS) will occur in the event of an emergency.

4.6.2 The discharge criteria, at a minimum, must provide that the patient: (a) must be awake, alert, and behaving appropriately for age and developmental status; (b) have normal vital signs; (c) and there should be a capable parent or guardian present to assume care of the child.

4.6.3 The emergency protocol must address common complications in children who receive deep sedation or general anesthesia, including airway compromise and hypopnea.

4.7 **Recovery Procedure.** At the conclusion of each pediatric operative case, Respondent must accompany the patient to the recovery area.

4.7.1 If Respondent does not monitor the patient himself during the recovery period, he must provide a verbal signout to a qualified health professional as described in paragraph 4.8 working in the recovery area, who must continuously monitor the patient until the patient has satisfied all discharge criteria.

4.7.2 Respondent must also write orders establishing vital sign ranges that are expected and vital signs or other conditions that require immediate notification of the anesthesiologist. If the patient is not fully alert, Respondent must be present while the patient is connected to monitoring equipment, to include at least monitoring of the patient's oxygen saturation, heart rate, blood pressure, and respiratory rate monitoring.

4.7.3 Respondent must ensure, during the recovery period, a qualified health professional documents: (1) the patient's vital signs at specific intervals,

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which may not be less frequent than every fifteen (15) minutes; and (2) satisfaction of all discharge criteria.

4.8 Support Personnel. Respondent must ensure all support personnel working with him during the perioperative anesthesia period of a pediatric case conform to the standard of care regarding qualifications and duties set forth by the AAPD and APA, and this Agreed Order. In order to be qualified, the health professional described in paragraph 4.7 must have: (1) a current and valid license, registration, or certification in Washington, and the duties described in this Agreed Order must not fall outside the health professional's scope of practice; (2) a current certification in Pediatric Advanced Life Support; (3) experience in the care of children recovering from general anesthesia or deep sedation, who can recognize and intervene in a timely fashion if airway or respiratory compromise, seizure, cardiac arrhythmia, or other complication or emergency arises. The health professional present in the recovery room: (a) may not have any other duties except attending to and monitoring postoperative patients; (b) must be present in the recovery area at all times, unless replaced by an equivalently trained provider for breaks; and (c) have ready access to and be trained in the use of emergency equipment, and locate emergency equipment before the administration of anesthesia, including ensuring there is a functioning phone in the recovery room. If the patient shows any evidence of vital sign abnormality, airway compromise, and/or adverse change in condition, the health professional must cause Respondent to be immediately notified.

4.9 Paper. Respondent must research and write a scholarly paper that addresses the serious and life-threatening risks of procedural sedation and general anesthesia, with particular emphasis on pediatric patients. Those risks must include delayed management of serious complication for procedures done in a nonhospital setting, and death, with discussion of why its rarity as a complication from anesthesia is not an excuse for substandard care and monitoring. The paper must review the importance of: (1) appropriate selection of patients for general anesthesia or deep sedation in the dental clinic setting; (2) preoperative assessment and documentation; (3) completion of a daily checklist documenting adequate facility and staff preparation for emergencies; and (4) the importance of postoperative monitoring. The presentation must also include discussion of: (a) appropriate management of an incident in which a child exhibits respiratory depression

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in the recovery area following dental surgery in the nonhospital setting; and (b) appropriate response, interventions, resuscitation, and EMS activation. The paper must also include a discussion of post-incident review, including conducting emergency simulations for all anesthesia providers and staff working in nonhospital settings and steps for ongoing quality improvement. The paper must be typewritten, a minimum of two thousand (2,000) words, and contain an annotated bibliography. Respondent should be prepared to discuss his paper with the Commission at his initial personal appearance before the Commission. Respondent must submit the paper to the Commission for approval, in both electronic and printed format, within four (4) months from the effective date of this Agreed Order.

4.10 **Presentation.** Within six (6) months from the date of Respondent's initial personal appearance before the Commission, Respondent must present his paper to his employer's quality review committee or other group of physicians approved by the Commission's Medical Consultant, and submit proof of the presentation to the Commission for approval. The proof must include any presentation materials, a declaration that lists the date and time of the presentation, and the signatures of participants.

4.11 **Submissions Required By Agreed Order.** Respondent must submit documents and notifications required by this Agreed Order to both of the following addresses, unless otherwise specified:

1. Medical.compliance@doh.wa.gov
2. Compliance Officer
Medical Quality Assurance Commission
P.O. Box 47866
Olympia, WA 98504-7866

4.12 **Fine.** Respondent must pay a fine to the Commission in the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) within two (2) years of the effective date of this Agreed Order, in quarterly installments of six hundred twenty-five dollars (\$625). Payments are due on the first day every January, April, June, and October. The first payment is due at the beginning of the quarter following the effective date of this Agreed Order. The Respondent must pay the fine by certified or cashier's check or money order, made payable to:

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Medical Quality Assurance Commission
P.O. Box 1099
Olympia, Washington 98507-1099

4.13 **Obey all laws.** Respondent shall obey all federal, state and local laws and all administrative rules governing the practice of the profession in Washington.

4.14 **Compliance Costs.** Respondent is responsible for all costs that Respondent incurs in complying with this Agreed Order.

4.15. **Violation of Order.** If Respondent violates any provision of this Agreed Order in any respect, the Commission may initiate further action against Respondent's license.

4.16 **Change of Address.** Respondent shall inform the Commission and the Adjudicative Clerk Office, in writing, of changes in Respondent's residential and/or business address within thirty (30) days of the change.

4.17 **Effective Date of Order.** The effective date of this Agreed Order is the date the Adjudicative Clerk Office places the signed Agreed Order into the U.S. mail. If required, Respondent shall not submit any fees or compliance documents until after the effective date of this Agreed Order.

4.18 **Termination.** Respondent may petition the Commission in writing to terminate this Agreed Order after three (3) years from the effective date of this Agreed Order. Respondent must provide proof that he has fully complied with the requirements of this Agreed Order. When Respondent files such a petition, the Commission will arrange a date and time for Respondent to personally appear before the Commission, unless the Commission waives the need for appearance.

5. COMPLIANCE WITH SANCTION RULES

5.1. The Commission applies WAC 246-16-800, et seq., to determine appropriate sanctions. Tier C of the "Practice Below Standard of Care" schedule, WAC 246-16-810, applies to cases where substandard practices resulted in severe patient harm or death. Respondent failed to meet the standard of care by failing to ensure that, during the recovery period; a qualified health professional was continuously monitoring Patient A; Patient A was being monitored by appropriate equipment for vital signs; vital signs were documented at regular intervals; and there was opportunity for prompt rescue

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interventions. Respondent's failure to meet the standard of care resulted in the death of Patient A. Therefore, Tier C applies.

5.2 Tier C requires the imposition of sanctions ranging from three years of oversight to permanent conditions, restrictions, or revocation. Under WAC 246-16-800(3)(d), the starting point for the duration of the sanctions is the middle of the range. The Commission uses aggravating and mitigating factors to move towards the maximum or minimum ends of the range.

5.3 The aggravating and mitigating factors in this case, listed below, justify moving toward the minimum end of the range.

5.3.1 Aggravating Factors. The Commission did not identify any aggravating factors.

5.3.2 Mitigating Factors. Respondent (1) has no discipline on file with the Commission; and (2) has been in practice for over twenty (20) years.

5.4 This Agreed Order provides three (3) years of oversight, which include personal appearances, adherence to guidelines development of a written protocol, practice reviews, documentation criteria, emergency preparedness and training, a paper, a presentation, and a fine. The sanctions set forth in this Agreed Order are sufficient to protect the public and ensure that similar alleged violations do not occur.

6. FAILURE TO COMPLY

Protection of the public requires practice under the terms and conditions imposed in this order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this order may result in suspension of the license after a show cause hearing. If Respondent fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this order, the Commission may hold a hearing to require Respondent to show cause why the license should not be suspended. Alternatively, the Commission may bring additional charges of unprofessional conduct under RCW 18.130.180(9). In either case, Respondent will be afforded notice and an opportunity for a hearing on the issue of non-compliance.

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7. RESPONDENT'S ACCEPTANCE

I, CHESTER C. HU, MD, Respondent, have read, understand and agree to this Agreed Order. This Agreed Order may be presented to the Commission without my appearance. I understand that I will receive a signed copy if the Commission accepts this Agreed Order.


CHESTER C. HU, MD
RESPONDENT

DATE

9/6/18


SCOTT M. O'HALLORAN, WSBA#25238
ATTORNEY FOR RESPONDENT

DATE

9/6/18

8. COMMISSION'S ACCEPTANCE AND ORDER

The Commission accepts and enters this Stipulated Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Agreed Order.

DATED: 10/4/18, 2018.

STATE OF WASHINGTON
MEDICAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION


PANEL CHAIR

PRESENTED BY:


ARIELE PAGE LANDSTROM, WSBA# 38357
COMMISSION STAFF ATTORNEY

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
AARON WAYNE HUBBS, LAc) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. AC01137)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including acupuncturists, in the State of Oregon. Aaron Wayne Hubbs, LAc (Licensee) is a licensed acupuncturist in the State of Oregon.

2.

On October 5, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional conduct, as defined by ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the profession or any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; and ORS 677.190(17) willful violation of any rule adopted by the Board, specifically OAR 847-001-0024(2), or willful violation of any Board order.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that he

1 engaged in the conduct described in the October 5, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed
2 Disciplinary Action, and that this conduct violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined by ORS
3 677.188(4)(a); and ORS 677.190(17), specifically OAR 847-001-0024(2). Licensee understands
4 that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National
5 Practitioner Data Bank and the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental
6 Medicine.

7 4.

8 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
9 subject to the following terms and conditions:

10 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

11 4.2 Licensee may only practice at sites that are pre-approved by the Board's Medical
12 Director.

13 4.3 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
14 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
15 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
16 contact information within 10 business days.

17 4.4 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
18 to the practice of acupuncture.

19 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
20 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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1 4.6 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
2 signed by the Board Chair.

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4 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 22 day of October, 2020.

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8 AARON WAYNE HUBBS, LAc

9 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January 2021.

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11 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
12 State of Oregon

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
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GLENN LEE KEIPER, JR., MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD20444)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Glenn Lee Keiper, Jr., MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On October 21, 2020, the Board issued a Second Amended Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed taking disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession or any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; ORS 677.190(8) fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice in this state; ORS 677.190(17) willful violation of a provision of this chapter; and ORS 677.190(26) failure to report any adverse action by a court.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this

1 Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that
2 Licensee's conduct as described in the October 21, 2020, Notice violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as
3 defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS 677.190(8); ORS 677.190(17); and ORS 677.190(26).
4 Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is
5 reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

6 4.

7 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
8 subject to the following terms and conditions:

9 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

10 4.2 Licensee must pay a civil penalty of \$5,000.

11 4.2.1 Of the civil penalty amount, \$2,500 is due within 90 days from the
12 effective date of this Order.

13 4.2.2 The remaining \$2,500 is held in abeyance so long as Licensee completes
14 terms 4.3, 4.4, and 4.5 of this Order within the specified time. If Licensee fails to
15 complete the educational courses specified within six months of the effective date of this
16 Order, the amount held in abeyance becomes immediately due.

17 4.3 Within six months of the effective date of this Order, Licensee must complete a
18 course in professional boundaries and ethics that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical
19 Director.

20 4.4 Within six months of the effective date of this Order, Licensee must complete a
21 documentation course that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director.

22 4.5 Within six months of the effective date of this Order, Licensee must complete a
23 communications course that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director.

24 4.6 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
25 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
26 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
27 contact information within 10 business days.

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1 4.7 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
2 to the practice of medicine.

3 4.8 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
4 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).


5 4.9 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
6 signed by the Board Chair.

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8 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 15 day of Dec, 2020.

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12 GLENN LEE KEIPER, JR., MD

13 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

14 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
15 State of Oregon

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
PRIYA KRISHNAMURTHY, MD)
LICENSE NO. MD150865) CORRECTIVE ACTION AGREEMENT
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Priya Krishnamurthy, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

Licensee is board-certified in internal medicine and endocrinology and has practiced medicine in Tualatin and Salem, Oregon. On July 10, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions under the authority of and as identified in ORS 677.205(1) and (2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession or any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; and ORS 677.190(17) willful violation of any rule adopted by the board, specifically OAR 847-012-0000(8) failure to provide patient medical records.

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Licensee and the Board now desire to settle this matter by entry of this Agreement. Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the

1 right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this
2 Agreement in the Board's records. The Board agrees to close the current investigation and does
3 not make a finding regarding any violation of the Medical Practice Act. This Agreement is a
4 public document; however, it is not a disciplinary action. This document is reportable to the
5 National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

6 4.

7 In order to address the concerns of the Board and for purposes of resolving this
8 investigation, Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation
9 contingent upon Licensee agreeing to the following conditions:

10 4.1 Within 120 days of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
11 successfully complete a course in patient communications that has been pre-approved by the
12 Board's Medical Director.

13 4.2 Within 90 days of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
14 contract with a practice management consultant pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director to
15 assess the operational policies and procedures of Licensee's medical practice and formulate an
16 improvement plan ("the plan"). The approved consultant shall have no current or previous
17 personal, financial, or employment relationship with Licensee. The plan shall be approved by
18 the Board's Medical Director prior to implementation, with implementation to commence not
19 more than 30 days from approval. The consultant shall assess the progress of the plan's
20 implementation and provide a quarterly report on Licensee's progress. All consultant reports
21 shall be forwarded to the Board within one week. The fourth quarterly report shall include a
22 summary of the consultant's findings, including assessment of: Licensee's practice; progress
23 made on plan implementation; and, Licensee's ability to maintain improvements made. After
24 submission of at least four quarterly reports and a positive assessment by the consultant,
25 Licensee may request modification or termination of this Agreement.

26 4.3 Alternatively to term 4.2, Licensee may hire a practice management firm
27 approved by the Board's medical director to manage all operations at her practice.

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1 4.4 Should Licensee no longer own and operate her own practice, in lieu of terms 4.2
2 and 4.3, Licensee agrees to successfully complete a course in practice management that has been
3 pre-approved by the Board’s Medical Director, within 120 days of the effective date of this
4 Agreement. However, should Licensee elect to acquire and operate her own practice or acquire a
5 controlling interest in and operate a practice within two years of selecting the terms of this
6 provision 4.4, then licensee must comply with either 4.2 or 4.3 within 90 days of electing to
7 acquire her own practice or acquire a controlling interest in and operate a practice.

8 4.5 Licensee agrees to maintain an on-going therapeutic relationship with a healthcare
9 provider(s) pre-approved by the Board’s Medical Director. Licensee agrees to sign all necessary
10 releases to allow direct communication between the Board and Licensee’s healthcare providers,
11 who will provide regular written reports to the Board at intervals determined by the Board’s
12 Medical Director.

13 4.6 All costs of the terms of this Agreement shall be borne by Licensee.

14 4.7 Licensee agrees to inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all
15 practice sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status
16 within 10 business days. Additionally, Licensee agrees to notify the Compliance Section of any
17 changes in contact information within 10 business days.

18 4.8 Licensee agrees to obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations
19 pertaining to the practice of medicine.

20 4.9 Licensee agrees that any violation of the terms of this Agreement, or any failure
21 to fully and timely complete any term, constitutes grounds to take disciplinary action under ORS
22 677.190(17).

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1 4.10 This Agreement is effective the date it is signed by the Board Chair or the Board
2 Chair's designee.

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4 IT IS SO AGREED THIS 10 day of December, 2020.

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6 PRIYA KRISHNAMURTHY, MD

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8 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January 2021.

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10 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
State of Oregon

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
JEFFREY BRUCE MELNICK, PA) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. PA00251)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physician assistants, in the State of Oregon. Jeffrey Bruce Melnick, PA (Licensee) is a licensed physician assistant in the State of Oregon.

2.

On February 26, 2019, the Board opened an investigation after receiving credible information regarding the termination of Licensee's employment contract due to concerns regarding practicing below the standard of care, incomplete paperwork, and unprofessional behavior. The Board's investigation to date has raised concerns that Licensee's professional conduct and patient care may constitute violations of the Medical Practice Act.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged in conduct that violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public; and ORS 677.190(13)

1 gross or repeated acts of negligence. Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and
2 is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the
3 Federation of State Medical Boards.

4 4.

5 Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation and resolve this
6 matter by entry of this Stipulated Order, subject to the following conditions:

7 4.1 Licensee surrenders his Oregon medical license while under investigation.

8 4.2 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
9 to the practice of medicine.

10 4.3 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
11 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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13 This Order becomes effective the date it is signed by the Board Chair.

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15 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 18 day of NOVEMBER 2020.

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[Redacted Signature]

JEFFREY BRUCE MELNICK, PA

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19 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January 2021.

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OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
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KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
Board Chair

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
KENNETH PAUL MELVIN, MD) STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD24232)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Kenneth Paul Melvin, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On June 1, 2020, the Board opened an investigation after receiving credible information regarding allegations which would constitute a violation of the Medical Practice Act. On November 23, 2020, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order in which he voluntarily withdrew from practice and placed his license in Inactive status pending the completion of the Board's investigation.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged in conduct that violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188 conduct unbecoming a person licensed to practice medicine or detrimental to the best interest of the public, as further defined in OAR 847-010-0073(3)(b)(G), and ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized

1 standards of ethics of the medical profession or any conduct or practice which does or might
2 constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public. Licensee understands that
3 this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National
4 Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

5 4.

6 Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation and resolve this
7 matter by entry of this Stipulated Order, subject to the following conditions:

8 4.1 Licensee surrenders his Oregon medical license while under investigation.

9 4.2 The November 23, 2020, Interim Stipulated Order terminates effective the date
10 the Board Chair signs this Stipulated Order.

11 4.3 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
12 to the practice of medicine.

13 4.4 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
14 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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16 This Order becomes effective the date it is signed by the Board Chair.

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18 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 28th day of December 2020.

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21 KENNETH PAUL MELVIN, MD

22 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January 2021.

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24 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
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27 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
Board Chair

BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)	
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CHRIS ALLEN METZGER, MD)	STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD28808)	
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Chris Allen Metzger, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician (inactive) in the State of Oregon.

2.

On October 1, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions identified in ORS 677.205(2), to include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession; ORS 677.190(8) fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a license to practice in this state; ORS 677.190(17) violation of any rule adopted by the Board, specifically OAR 847-008-0058(1) fraud or misrepresentation, and OAR 847-010-0073(1)(a)(B) reporting requirements; ORS 677.190(26) failure to report to the Board any adverse action taken against him by another licensing jurisdiction; and ORS 677.415(4) failure to self-report any official action to the Board.

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative

1 Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the
2 right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this
3 Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that
4 Licensee's conduct as described in the October 1, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed
5 Disciplinary Action violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); ORS
6 677.190(8); ORS 677.190(17), specifically OAR 847-008-0058(1), and OAR 847-010-
7 0073(1)(a)(B); ORS 677.190(26); and ORS 677.415(4). Licensee understands that this Order is
8 a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data
9 Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

10 4.

11 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
12 subject to the following terms and conditions:

13 4.1 Licensee must pay a civil penalty of \$2,000 within 60 days of the effective date of
14 this Order.

15 4.2 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
16 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
17 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
18 contact information within 10 business days.

19 4.3 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
20 to the practice of medicine.

21 4.4 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
22 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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1 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
2 signed by the Board Chair.

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4 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 7 day of Oct, 2020.

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7 CHRIS ALLEN METZGER, MD

8 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

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10 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
EMMA JEAN PATTERSON, MD) CORRECTIVE ACTION AGREEMENT
LICENSE NO. MD 22571)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Emma Jean Patterson, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

Licensee is board-certified surgeon who practices in Portland, Oregon. On October 28, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Notice) in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions under the authority of and as identified in ORS 677.205(1) and (2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession or any conduct or practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient.

3.

Licensee and the Board now desire to settle this matter by entry of this Agreement. Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Agreement in the Board's records. The Board agrees to close the current investigation and does not make a finding in regard to any violation of the Medical Practice Act. This Agreement is a

1 public document; however, it is not a disciplinary action. This document is reportable to the
2 National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

3 4.

4 In order to address the concerns of the Board and for purposes of resolving this
5 investigation, Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation
6 contingent upon Licensee agreeing to the following conditions:

7 4.1 Within six months of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
8 complete a course in anger management that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical
9 Director.

10 4.2 Within six months of the effective date of this Agreement, Licensee agrees to
11 complete a communications course that has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director.

12 4.3 Licensee agrees to inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all
13 practice sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status
14 within 10 business days. Additionally, Licensee agrees to notify the Compliance Section of any
15 changes in contact information within 10 business days.


16 4.4 Licensee agrees to obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations
17 pertaining to the practice of medicine.

18 4.5 Licensee agrees that any violation of the terms of this Agreement constitutes
19 grounds to take disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

20 IT IS SO AGREED THIS 18 day of November, 2020.

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23 EMMA JEAN PATTERSON, MD

24 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 7th day of January, 2021.

25 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
26 State of Oregon
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28 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
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VINCENT PEDRO REYES MD) INTERIM STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD16883)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the state of Oregon. Vincent Pedro Reyes, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon and holds an active medical license.

2.

The Board received credible information regarding Licensee that resulted in the Board initiating an investigation. The results of the Board's investigation to date have raised concerns to the extent that the Board believes it necessary that Licensee agree to certain terms until the investigation is completed.

3.

In order to address the Board's concerns, Licensee and the Board agree to the entry of this Interim Stipulated Order, which is not an admission of any wrongdoing on the part of the Licensee, and will remain in effect while this matter is under investigation, and provides that Licensee shall comply with the following conditions:

3.1 Licensee must not perform or provide any of the following: femoral access for any procedure; any interventional cardiology procedure, including but not limited to coronary angioplasty or cardiac stent placement; or rotational atherectomies.

3.2 Licensee must have a board-certified cardiologist who has been pre-approved by the Board's Medical Director serve as co-proceduralist for any pacemaker procedures performed

1 by Licensee. Licensee must report any complications from any pacemaker procedure to the
2 Board's Medical Director within one calendar week.

3 3.3 Licensee understands that violating any term of this Order will be grounds for
4 disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

5 3.4 Licensee understands this Order becomes effective the date he signs it.

6 4.

7 At the conclusion of the Board's investigation, the Board will decide whether to close the
8 case or to proceed to some form of disciplinary action. If the Board determines, following that
9 review, not to lift the requirements of this Order, Licensee may request a hearing to contest that
10 decision.

11 5.

12 This order is issued by the Board pursuant to ORS 677.410, which grants the Board the
13 authority to attach conditions to the license of Licensee to practice medicine. These conditions
14 will remain in effect while the Board conducts a complete investigation in order to fully inform
15 itself with respect to the conduct of Licensee. Pursuant to ORS 677.425, Board investigative
16 materials are confidential and shall not be subject to public disclosure, nor shall they be admissible
17 as evidence in any judicial proceeding. However, as a stipulation this Order is a public document
18 and is reportable to the National Practitioner Databank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

19 IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 29 day of December, 2020.

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22 VINCENT PEDRO REYES MD

23 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 29 day of December, 2020.

24 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
24 State of Oregon

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of
LINDA ERIKA SCHMIDT, MD
LICENSE NO. MD24604

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STIPULATED ORDER

1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including physicians, in the State of Oregon. Linda Erika Schmidt, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the State of Oregon.

2.

On September 24, 2020, the Board issued a Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action in which the Board proposed to take disciplinary action by imposing up to the maximum range of potential sanctions under the authority of and as identified in ORS 677.205(1) and (2), which may include the revocation of license, a \$10,000 civil penalty per violation, and assessment of costs, against Licensee for violations of the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS 677.190(1)(a) unprofessional or dishonorable conduct, as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the medical profession, or any conduct, practice, or condition which does or might adversely affect a physician's ability safely and skillfully to practice medicine; and ORS 677.190(7) impairment, as defined in ORS 676.303(1)(b) and OAR 847-010-0073(3)(c)(A).

3.

Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order. Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged

1 in conduct as described in the September 24, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed
2 Disciplinary Action, and that this conduct violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit: ORS
3 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); and ORS 677.190(7). Licensee understands
4 that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action that is reportable to the National
5 Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

6 4.

7 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order,
8 subject to the following terms:

9 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

10 4.2 Licensee must remain enrolled and in good standing in the Health Professionals'
11 Services Program as outlined in her agreement with the Program.

12 4.3 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
13 to the practice of medicine.

14 4.4 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
15 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

16 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
17 signed by the Board Chair.

18 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 12th day of October, 2020

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20 LINDA ERIKA SCHMIDT, MD

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22 IT IS SO ORDERED this 12th day of January, 2021.

23 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
24 State of Oregon
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26 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
27 Board Chair

1 Order and that breached the standard of care and constituted gross negligence due to his failure
2 to provide aftercare and monitor patients after liposuction procedures, his inadequate and
3 dangerous response to adverse events, and accepting patients for surgery who had
4 contraindications to liposuction.

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6 Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order.
7 Licensee understands that he has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative
8 Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a
9 contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the
10 Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged
11 in conduct that violated the Medical Practice Act, to wit ORS 677.188(4)(a) any conduct or
12 practice which does or might constitute a danger to the health or safety of a patient or the public,
13 ORS 677.188(4)(b) willful performance of any surgical or medical treatment which is contrary to
14 acceptable medical standards, and ORS 677.188(4)(c) administration of unnecessary treatment
15 and utilizing medical service for diagnosis or treatment which is or may be considered
16 inappropriate or unnecessary; and ORS 677.190(13) gross or repeated negligence in the practice
17 of medicine. Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action
18 that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical
19 Boards.

20 4.

21 Licensee and the Board agree that the Board will close this investigation and resolve this
22 matter by entry of this Stipulated Order, subject to the following conditions:

23 4.1 Licensee surrenders his Oregon medical license while under investigation.

24 4.2 The January 8, 2015, Stipulated Order terminates effective the date the Board
25 Chair signs this Stipulated Order.

26 4.3 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
27 to the practice of medicine.

1 4.4 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
2 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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4 This Order becomes effective the date it is signed by the Board Chair.

5 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 28th day of October 2020.

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8 BHANOO SHARMA, MD

9 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January 2021.

10 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
11 State of Oregon
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14 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
15 Board Chair

1 Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order.
2 Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative
3 Procedures Act (Oregon Revised Statutes chapter 183), and fully and finally waives the right to a
4 contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this Order in the
5 Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that Licensee engaged
6 in conduct as described in the October 28, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary
7 Action, and that this conduct violated the Medical Practice Act, ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined in
8 ORS 677.188(4)(a); and ORS 677.190(7), as defined in ORS 676.303(1)(b) and OAR 847-010-
9 0073(3)(c)(A). Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary
10 action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State
11 Medical Boards.

12 4.

13 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order,
14 subject to the following terms:

- 15 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.
- 16 4.2 Licensee must remain enrolled and in good standing in the Health Professionals'
17 Services Program as outlined in her monitoring agreement with the Program, or any successor
18 program.
- 19 4.3 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
20 to the practice of medicine.
- 21 4.4 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
22 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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1 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that this Order becomes effective the date it is
2 signed by the Board Chair.

3 IT IS SO STIPULATED this 31st day of October, 2020

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6 AMBER JANEEN VOGT, DO

7 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of January, 2021.

8 OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
9 State of Oregon

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12 KATHLEEN M. HARDER, MD
13 Board Chair

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2 Licensee and the Board desire to settle this matter by entry of this Stipulated Order.
3 Licensee understands that she has the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative
4 Procedures Act (chapter 183), Oregon Revised Statutes. Licensee fully and finally waives the
5 right to a contested case hearing and any appeal therefrom by the signing of and entry of this
6 Order in the Board's records. Licensee neither admits nor denies, but the Board finds that
7 Licensee's conduct as described in the October 28, 2020, Complaint and Notice of Proposed
8 Disciplinary Action violated ORS 677.190(1)(a), as defined in ORS 677.188(4)(a); and ORS
9 677.190(10). Licensee understands that this Order is a public record and is a disciplinary action
10 that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical
11 Boards.

12 4.

13 Licensee and the Board agree to resolve this matter by the entry of this Stipulated Order
14 subject to the following terms and conditions:

15 4.1 Licensee is reprimanded.

16 4.2 Licensee must remain enrolled and in good standing in the Health Professionals'
17 Services Program as outlined in her monitoring agreement with the Program, or any successor
18 program.

19 4.3 Licensee must inform the Compliance Section of the Board of any and all practice
20 sites, as well as any changes in practice address(es), employment, or practice status within 10
21 business days. Additionally, Licensee must notify the Compliance Section of any changes in
22 contact information within 10 business days.

23 4.4 Licensee must obey all federal and Oregon state laws and regulations pertaining
24 to the practice of medicine.

25 4.5 Licensee stipulates and agrees that any violation of the terms of this Order shall
26 be grounds for further disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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