

**State Medical Board of Ohio**  
**Formal Action Report – March 9, 2022**

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Please find below a summary of actions taken or initiated by the State Medical Board of Ohio and an update of Board matters pending or decided in courts as of March 9, 2022.

**PRE-HEARING SUSPENSIONS**

**BROWNLEE, Kory D., D.P.M., (#36.003315) – Delaware, Ohio**

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), Ohio Revised Code, license to practice podiatric medicine and surgery summarily suspended based on Board's determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that the doctor is in violation of Sections 4731.22(B)(26), 4731.22(B)(5), and 4731.22(B)(10) Ohio Revised Code, and that the doctor's continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 3/30/22. (See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.)

**CARROLL, Kayla A., M.T., (#33.016717) - Logan, Ohio**

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), Ohio Revised Code, license to practice massage therapy summarily suspended based on Board's determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that massage therapist is in violation of Section 4731.22(B)(26), Ohio Revised Code, and that her continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 3/9/22. (See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.)

**HOFFMAN, Melissa L., R.C.P., (#RCP.8814) - Cloverdale, Ohio**

Pursuant to Section 4761.09(G), Ohio Revised Code, license to practice as a respiratory care professional summarily suspended based on Board's determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that respiratory care therapist is in violation of Section 4761.09(A)(18), Ohio Revised Code, and that her continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 3/9/22. (See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.)

**MAIER, Adam C., D.O., (#34.011814) – Columbus, Ohio**

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), Ohio Revised Code, license to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery summarily suspended based on Board's determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that the doctor is in violation of Sections 4731.22(B)(15), and 4731.22(B)(19), Ohio Revised Code, and that the doctor's continued practice presents a danger

of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 3/30/22. (See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.)

### **CITATIONS/PROPOSED DENIALS**

**ASH, Zavier C., M.D.** Applicant - Snellville, Georgia

Based on the doctor's submission of an application to practice allopathic medicine and surgery, and also based on allegations that the doctor failed to respond to Board interrogatories, those actions and/or omissions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board under division (F) of this section, including failure to comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**BROWNLEE, Kory D., D.P.M., (#36.003315)** – Delaware, Ohio

Based on a November 10, 2010 Consent Agreement, and an April 13, 2011 Step II Consent Agreement; and also based on allegations that when the doctor: engaged in a scheme to obtain controlled substances by writing prescriptions for controlled substances in the name of several patients without their knowledge, and then attempting to pick up those prescriptions from several pharmacies; controlled substances being found by law enforcement in the doctor's residence; and also stealing controlled substances from the residence of one specified patient following a house call appointment, those actions individually and/or collectively constitute: impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice; making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the board; and the commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Deception to Obtain a Dangerous Drug; Illegal Possession of Drug Documents; and Theft (of a Dangerous Drug). Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/30/22.

**CARROLL, Kayla A., M.T., (#33.016717)** - Logan, Ohio

Massage therapist notified of right to request a hearing on the question of whether her failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board was due to circumstances beyond her control. Based on the legal presumption that the massage therapist's failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board constitutes an admission that she is unable to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of her habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability

to practice. Opportunity For Hearing on Failure to Submit to an Examination and Notice of Summary Suspension Based Upon Presumption of an Admission of Impairment mailed 3/10/22.

**FREEMAN, Mahogney, M.T.** Applicant - Cincinnati, Ohio

Based on the submission of an application to practice massage therapy, and on allegations that the massage therapist's plea of guilty and conviction to one felony count of Unlawful Possession of Dangerous Ordinance, and her plea of guilty and conviction to one felony count Aggravated Possession of Drugs in the Hamilton County Common Pleas Court, Hamilton County Ohio, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction for, a felony. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**GIBSON, Craig D., M.T., (#33.023899)** - Amarillo, Texas

Based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of one specified patient, that when the massage therapist touched and orally penetrated a patient's genitals during a session, those actions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's prohibition regarding sexual misconduct. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**HOFFMAN, Melissa L., R.C.P., (#RCP.8814)** - Cloverdale, Ohio

Based on allegations that when the respiratory care professional tested positive for alcohol at her place of employment and subsequently terminated, and failed to establish residential treatment admission with a Board-approved treatment provider, and failed to complete the recommended treatment and failed to provide to the Board information that the respiratory therapist is capable of practicing in accordance with acceptable and prevailing standards of care, those actions and/or omissions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**KERN, Paula M., M.T., (#33.021453)** - Kettering, Ohio

Based on allegations that when the massage therapist engaged in sexual misconduct with one identified patient, solicited for multiple dates and slept in the same bed on multiple occasions with the patient, and received monetary gifts from the patient in a total amount of forty three thousand, five hundred dollars (\$43,500.00), those actions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's prohibition regarding sexual misconduct, which also constitutes a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established; and a violation of any provision of a code of ethics of the American

medical association, the American osteopathic association, the American podiatric medical association, or any other national professional organizations that the board specifies by rule; and also constitute a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board under division (F) of this section, including failure to comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories, except that failure to cooperate with an investigation shall not constitute grounds for discipline under this section if a court of competent jurisdiction has issued an order that either quashes a subpoena or permits the individual to withhold the testimony or evidence in issue. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**LEE, Katherine B., M.D., (#35.065385) - Roseville, California**

Based on allegations that a prior action by the Medical Board of California which issued a 11/30/21 Decision and Order, which revoked the doctor's license, revocation stayed, and placed on probation that prior action and/or omission, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**MAIER, Adam C., D.O., (#34.011814) – Columbus, Ohio**

Based on a prior May 13, 2015 Probationary Consent Agreement and a April 13, 2020 Participation Agreement; and also based on allegations that the doctor failed to maintain continued treatment, failed to provide psychiatric reports to the Board on a quarterly basis, failed to ensure treating psychiatrist immediately notified the Board of the doctor's failure to comply with psychiatric treatment plan or the doctor's inability to practice, and failed to submit quarterly reports since July 2021, which individually and/or collectively constitute: a violation of the conditions of limitation placed by the board upon a license or certificate to practice; and an inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness, including, but not limited to, physical deterioration that adversely affects cognitive, motor, or perceptive skills. Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/30/22.

**SEMAN, Christopher R., D.O., (#34.007229) – East Palestine, Ohio**

Based on a prior action by the Medical Board which issued a 9/12/18 Order which indefinitely suspended the doctor's license, and also based on allegations that the doctor's history and treatment for substance abuse, and the doctor's notification to the Board to have his license reinstated, which individually and/or collectively constitute: impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice; and violating or

attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's rules regarding entering into a Board approved monitoring program following treatment; and violation of the conditions of limitation placed by the board upon a license or certificate to practice. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**SIEBENALER, Jack, M.D., (#35.053850) - Toledo, Ohio**

Based on allegations with respect to one identified patient, that the doctor did not continuously monitor vital signs, or utilize IV access during liposuction procedure, also based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of 12 identified patients, the doctor failed to comply with the rules applicable to performing liposuction procedures in an office setting, which those actions and/or omissions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: Liposuction in the Office Setting, which also constitutes a departure from, or failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

**YAN, Huazhen, M.T., (#33.024493) - Fishers, Indiana**

Based on allegations that when the massage therapist failed to respond and/or appear for an investigatory deposition, those actions and/or omissions, as alleged, individually and/or collectively constitute: a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board under division (F) of this section, including failure to comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories, except that failure to cooperate with an investigation shall not constitute grounds for discipline under this section if a court of competent jurisdiction has issued an order that either quashes a subpoena or permits the individual to withhold the testimony or evidence in issue. Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing mailed 3/10/22.

## **FINAL ORDERS**

**BADII, Roozbeh, M.D., (#35.127228) - Coronado, California**

License to practice allopathic medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, and subject to a three thousand dollar (\$3,000.00) fine, and conditions for reinstatement. Based on the finding that when the doctor received an Exclusion Notice by the United States Department of Health and Human Services; failed to provide requested patient records to the Board, and made statements contrary to his signed certification; and a prior action by the Maryland State Board of Physicians, which issued a 4/20/2020 Final Decision and Order, those actions individually and/or collectively constitute: the termination or suspension from participation in the Medicare or Medicaid programs by the Department of Health and Human Services or other responsible agency; a failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, including failure to

comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories, except that failure to cooperate with an investigation shall not constitute grounds for discipline under this section if a court of competent jurisdiction has issued an order that either quashes a subpoena or permits the individual to withhold the testimony or evidence in issue; and any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: and the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Order effective 3/23/22.

**DAWSON**, Brianne, R.C.P. Applicant - Steubenville, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for a license to practice respiratory care denied. Based upon the submission of an application to practice respiratory care, and on the finding that the applicant has not successfully completed an examination acceptable to the Board. Order effective 3/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**ESSMAN**, Thomas C., R.C.P., (#RCP.3994) - Worthington, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice as a respiratory care professional conditionally approved, conditioned upon passage of the Clinical Simulation Examination (CSE) within six months. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of a license to practice respiratory care, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of respiratory care for more than two years. Order effective 3/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**GEFFERT**, Elizabeth G., M.T., (#33.017928) - Cleveland, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 3/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**GOLDFEIN**, Aaron S., M.D., Applicant - Bloomfield Hills, Michigan

Application to practice allopathic medicine and surgery permanently denied. Based on the finding that the doctor's submission of an application to practice medicine and surgery, the doctor's plea of guilty in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan to a felony count of Conspiracy to Commit Health Care Fraud and Wire Fraud, a prior action by the Michigan Board of Medicine which adopted a 2/5/10 Consent Order and Stipulation, a prior action by the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct which adopted a 3/21/14

Modification Order, and on a prior action by the Michigan Board of Medicine which adopted a 5/17/17 Consent Order and Stipulation, individually and/or collective constitute: a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction for, a felony; any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Order effective 3/10/22.

**OPOKU, Diane D., R.C.P. Applicant - Columbus, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application for a license to practice respiratory care denied. Based upon the submission of an application to practice respiratory care, and on the finding that the applicant has not successfully completed an examination acceptable to the Board. Order effective 3/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

**PARVIN, Dara, M.D., (#35.135268) - Oakwood, Ohio**

License to practice allopathic medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to a one thousand (\$1,000.00) fine, and probationary terms, conditions, and limitations for at least one year. Based on the finding that the prior actions by the Iowa Board of Medicine which issued a 11/19/20 Combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement, individually and/or collective constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Order effective 3/10/22.

**STRACHAN, Tyler H., M.T. Applicant - Grove City, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application to practice massage therapy denied. Based on the submission of an application to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that he does not hold a diploma or certificate from a school, college, or institution in good standing as determined by the Board; and that curriculum does not meet the Board's curriculum requirements; and that he has not been licensed as a massage therapist in another state or jurisdiction in the five years preceding that submission of his application. Order effective 3/10/22.

**YOUNG, Karyn L., M.T., (#33.006408) - Lebanon, Ohio (Non-Disciplinary)**

Application for restoration of license to practice massage therapy conditionally approved, provided that the massage therapist takes and passes the Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination within six months. Based on the submission of an application for restoration of

license to practice massage therapy, and on the finding that the applicant has not been engaged in the active practice of massage therapy for more than two years. Order effective 3/10/22. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

### **CONSENT AGREEMENTS**

**BADIK, Michael D., D.O., (#34.009920) - Fostoria, Ohio**

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, but not less than one year, commencing on 4/9/22, and subject to a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000.00) fine, general probationary requirements, and conditions for reinstatement including entering into a subsequent consent agreement. Based on the doctor's admission that when he treated eleven specified patients, the doctor inappropriately treated and/or failed to appropriately treat; and/or departed from, or failed to conform to, minimal standards of care for similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, those actions individually and/or collective constitute: a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease; violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's general prohibitions and the Board's rules for prescribing for subacute and chronic pain; and a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**BANNON, Joseph M., D.O., (#34.013357) – Saint Clairsville, Ohio**

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, but not less than one hundred twenty days (120) days, and subject to a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000.00) fine, general probationary requirements, and conditions for reinstatement. Based on the doctor's admission that when he attacked and strangled his girlfriend, and then untruthfully answered several questions during an interview with a Board investigator, those acts individually and/or collectively constitute: failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the board, including failure to comply with a subpoena or order issued by the board or failure to answer truthfully a question presented by the board in an investigative interview, an investigative office conference, at a deposition, or in written interrogatories, except that failure to cooperate with an investigation shall not constitute grounds for discipline under this section if a court of competent jurisdiction has issued an order that either quashes a subpoena or permits the individual to withhold the testimony or evidence in issue; and the commission of an act involving moral turpitude that constitutes a misdemeanor in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Ohio Revised Code Section 2919.25(A), "No person shall knowingly cause or attempt to cause physical harm to a family or household member". Agreement effective 3/9/22.



**MAGOLINE, Michael R., M.D., (#35.071501) - Bath, Ohio**

License to practice allopathic medicine and surgery suspended for a definite period of thirty (30) days, a subject to a four thousand five hundred dollar (\$4,500.00) fine, and probationary terms, conditions, and limitations for one year. Based on the doctor's admission that when he was arrested, and subsequently entered a plea of no contest to Soliciting a Person to Engage in Sexual Activity for Hire, a third degree misdemeanor, in the Akron Municipal Court, those acts individually and/or collectively constitute the commission of an act involving moral turpitude that constitutes a misdemeanor in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**SALMERON, Daniel, M.D., (#35.133888) - Boston, Massachusetts**

License to practice allopathic medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to a one thousand dollar (\$1,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's admission that while working for a telemedicine company, he experienced eye impairment issues, as well as family issues, and was unable to satisfactorily complete more than three hundred medical records that subsequently led to disciplinary actions in Rhode Island, Texas, Michigan, Mississippi, New York, and West Virginia, those actions individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**SPARE, Joseph T., M.D., (#35.036582) - Marion, Ohio**

License to practice allopathic medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to a five thousand dollar (\$5,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's admission with respect to the care and treatment of three minor patients, that his deficiencies in his medical documentation with regard to medication adjustments and patient response to medications, as well as the degree in which he considered lab and test results as a part of the treatment plans individually and/or collectively constitute: a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease, which also constitutes a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**VOLUNTARY PERMANENT SURRENDERS, RETIREMENTS, REVOCATIONS,  
WITHDRAWALS**

**FALTAOUS, Mark A., M.D.** Applicant – Huntington, West Virginia

Permanent withdrawal of application to practice allopathic medicine and surgery authorized by doctor, in lieu of further investigation regarding a possible violation of Section 4731.22(B)(19), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**GRONBECK, Donald A., M.D., (#35.120593)** – Xenia, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice allopathic medicine and surgery authorized by doctor. The doctor admits to violating Ohio Revised Code 4731.22(B)(20) to wit: O.A.C. 4731-26-02, sexual misconduct with patients, and O.R.C. 4731.22(B)(6). The doctor stipulates and agrees that he is taking the action in lieu of further formal disciplinary proceedings in Case No. 22-CRF-0017, pursuant to Sections 4731.22(B)(3), and (B)(10), Ohio Revised Code, as set forth in the Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for Hearing issued by the Board on January 19, 2022. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**HOLKO, Miranda A., M.T., (#33.023330)** - Cortland, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice massage therapy authorized by massage therapist in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(26), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**NEAVES, Raquel I., M.T., (#33.025311)** - Columbus, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice massage therapy authorized by massage therapist in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(20), Ohio Revised Code, violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the board, to wit: the Board's prohibitions related to engaging in sexual contact with a client. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**NORVELL, Garrett D., M.D., (#35.132253)** – Westerville, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice allopathic medicine and surgery authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(10), Ohio Revised Code, the commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Ohio Revised Code 2907.321(A)(1) and 2907.321(A)(5) pandering obscenity involving a minor. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

**WALSH, Michele C., M.D., (#35.052102) - Highland Heights, Ohio**

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice allopathic medicine and surgery authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(15), Ohio Revised Code, and in lieu of continued compliance with the 10/13/21 Consent Agreement. Agreement effective 3/9/22.

### **PROBATIONARY REQUESTS AND MODIFICATIONS**

**GIANFRATE, Gianmarino, D.O., (#58.031534) - Boardman, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of personal ethics course, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**GIBSON, Benjamin R., M.D., (#35.097558) - Zanesville, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of monitoring physician, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22. Frequency of chart review established as ten charts per month.

**HISSONG, Mitchum A., M.T., (#33.025368) - Caledonia, Ohio**

Massage therapist's request for approval of massage therapist and patient boundaries educational course, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**JOHNSON, Peter C., M.D., (#35.066160) - Oregon, Ohio**

Doctor's request for an updated practice plan, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**LAWRENCE, Susan D., D.O., (#34.005458) - Athens, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of a reduction in testing frequency from a minimum of four times per month to a minimum of two times per month; and discontinuance of chart review requirement, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**MALKOVITS, Vincent J., D.O., (#34.006675) - Youngstown, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of an additional monitoring physician, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**PAPACHRISTOU, Marios D., M.D., (#35.143985) - Warrendale, Pennsylvania**

Doctor's request for approval of physicians to complete return-to-work assessments., granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

**YIN, David M., M.D., (#35.125265) - Bay Village, Ohio**

Doctor's request for approval of medical records course, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22.

### **RELEASE FROM PROBATION**

**HSU, Gerry V., P.A., (#50.005962RX) - Cincinnati, Ohio**

Physician assistant's request for release from the terms of the 3/13/19 Board Order, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22. Release effective 3/15/22. Upon release, the permanent license limitation / restriction will remain in place, requiring the physician assistant to have a third-party present while examining or treating female patients.

**JETLEY, Ajay V., M.D., (#35.096587) - Cresskill, New Jersey**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 10/13/21 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22. Release effective immediately.

**LOOS, Bryan D., M.D., (#35.062744) -Olmsted Falls, Ohio**

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 2/10/21 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22. Release effective 3/14/22.

**YASKEY, Regina A., M.D., (#35.124510) - Solon, Ohio**

Doctor's release from the terms of the 11/10/21 Consent Agreement, granted by vote of the Board on 3/9/22. Release effective immediately.

### **COURT ACTIONS**

**EVERHART, Larry S., M.D., (#35.036113) – Powell, Ohio**

Decision and Order Affirming the Board's Order, filed on 2/11/22, in the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County, Ohio.

Please note that revocation and suspension Orders are not always effective immediately. If you have questions about effective dates or conditions governing a doctor's practice before a Board Order takes effect, please contact the office.

Ohio law permits appeal of a Board Order to the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas. Due to this possibility and the potential for a stay that might delay the imposition of a Board action, you may wish to contact us periodically to verify a given practitioner's licensure status.

Most current citation letters, Board Orders, consent agreements and voluntary surrenders or retirements are available on the Medical Board's website under "Lookup a License." If you have questions or need additional details about Citations, Board Orders, or Court Actions, please contact the Case Control Office. If you have questions regarding a Consent Agreements, probationary modification or a probationary request, please contact the Compliance Office. Our offices may be reached at (614) 466-3934.