



DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

April 1, 2020 – June 30, 2020

MCAFEE, CHRISTINE FRANCES – RCP 39107

Committed negligence and patterns of substandard care, as well as falsification of records on several occasions, by intentionally leaving patients unattended with an unlicensed polysomnographic technician for more than an hour at times and not noting the absence on time cards submitted. Pursuant to a Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, license revoked, stayed, and placed on three (3) years probation effective May 17, 2020.

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BAARTZ, LOUISE MITSUKO – RCP 38828

Committed negligence and unprofessional conduct, as well as falsified medical records by administering the wrong medication and/or dosage to a patient, failing to document the incident, and failing to monitor the patient for any adverse effects. Pursuant to a Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, license revoked, stayed, and placed on four (4) years probation effective May 24, 2020.

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RAMIREZ, DAISY – RCP 28316

Submitted to a biological fluid drug screen test which tested positive for methamphetamine and amphetamine. Pursuant to a Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, license revoked, stayed, and placed on five (5) years probation with 12 days suspension effective May 4, 2020. Pursuant to a Stipulated Surrender of License and Order, license surrendered effective May 31, 2020.

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ROCHA, MONICA MAE – RCP 34021

Convicted of grand theft. Pursuant to a Default Decision and Order, license revoked effective June 6, 2020.

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GOSSELIN, NICOLE R. – RCP 22631

Convicted of animal cruelty. Pursuant to a Default Decision and Order, license revoked effective June 6, 2020.

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EXPLANATION OF DISCIPLINARY LANGUAGE AND ACTIONS

Effective date of decision: The date the disciplinary decision goes into operation.

Default Decision: A decision based on the licensee's failure to respond to formal charges after it has been served, or failure to appear at an Administrative Hearing. All charges are deemed true. The decision results in the revocation of the license.

Disciplinary Order: An order for discipline adopted by the Board.

Probation: Allows the licensee to practice as a respiratory care practitioner under terms and conditions for a set amount of time.

Proposed Decision: A decision rendered by an Administrative Law Judge through an Administrative Hearing. A proposed decision must be adopted by the Board before it can go into effect.

Revoked: The right to practice is ended due to disciplinary action. The license is invalidated, voided, annulled, or rescinded. The individual can no longer practice as a respiratory care practitioner in California.

Revoked, Stayed: "Stayed" means the revocation is postponed. Professional practice may continue so long as the licensee complies with specified terms and conditions of probation.

Stipulated Settlement: A form of plea bargaining. The case is formally negotiated and settled prior to a hearing.

Stipulated Surrendered: The Board agrees to allow the licensee to surrender the license as a resolution to a disciplinary matter. The individual can no longer practice as a respiratory care practitioner in California.

EGBERT, RONALD JAMES – RCP 20468

Used alcoholic beverages, to an extent and in a manner dangerous or injurious to himself and others which impaired his ability to practice safely when reporting to work while under the influence of alcohol. Previously warned for a disturbing the peace conviction and a resisting arrest, threats to an officer, and battery on a peace officer arrest. Pursuant to a Default Decision and Order, license revoked effective June 17, 2020.

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