

Acting Secretary Leigh M. Chapman announced that 70 disciplinary actions have been taken by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs' 29 professional licensing boards, and the Bureau of Election Services and Notaries:

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Actions by County

The specific actions listed below were taken against individuals or firms in these counties:

County	# of Actions	County	# of Actions
Adams	2	Lackawanna	4
Allegheny	9	Lancaster	4
Armstrong	0	Lawrence	0
Beaver	1	Lebanon	3
Bedford	0	Lehigh	1
Berks	2	Luzerne	4
Blair	2	Lycoming	0
Bradford	0	McKean	0
Bucks	3	Mercer	0
Butler	2	Mifflin	2
Cambria	0	Monroe	0
Cameron	0	Montgomery	0
Carbon	0	Montour	0
Centre	1	Northampton	2
Chester	1	Northumberland	0
Clarion	0	Perry	0
Clearfield	0	Philadelphia	6
Clinton	0	Pike	1
Columbia	0	Potter	0
Crawford	0	Schuylkill	0
Cumberland	0	Snyder	1
Dauphin	0	Somerset	0
Delaware	3	Sullivan	0
Elk	0	Susquehanna	0
Erie	2	Tioga	0
Fayette	0	Union	0
Forest	0	Venango	0
Franklin	0	Warren	0
Fulton	0	Washington	2
Greene	0	Wayne	0
Huntingdon	0	Westmoreland	1
Indiana	0	Wyoming	0
Jefferson	0	York	2
Juniata	0	Total in-State actions	60
Actions taken against professionals with non-PA addresses			9
Total			69

PA Board of Accountancy

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Architects Licensure Board

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Auctioneer Examiners

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Barber Examiners

Adams County

Glen Hadden, Jr., license no. TBL005290, of Gettysburg, Adams County, had his application to sit for the barber licensure examination granted and upon successful completion of the examination, his barber license was granted and then immediately placed on probation for no less than two years, based on his criminal conviction. (07/21/22)

Allegheny County

Justin Lutheran, license no. BL054311, of West Mifflin, Allegheny County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Delaware County

John Michael Melendez, license no. TBL005278, of Drexel Hill, Delaware County, had his application to sit for the barber licensure examination granted and, upon successful completion of the examination, his barber license was granted and then immediately placed on probation for no less than two years based on his criminal conviction. (07/11/22)

Kenneth J. Hopely, license no. BM094773, of Drexel Hill, Delaware County, had his application for licensure as a barber manager granted and immediately placed on probation for one year, based on his criminal conviction. (6/17/2022)

Lancaster County

Level Up Barbershop, LLC, license no. BO434660, of Lancaster, Lancaster County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Lebanon County

Nelson E. Gonzalez, license no. BL053270, of Palmyra, Lebanon County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/29/22)

Lehigh County

Los Compadres Barber Shop, license no. BO107858, of Allentown, Lehigh County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1,000; and must cease and desist from employing unlicensed individuals, because it employed an unlicensed individual and operated a barber shop without supervision of designated manager barber or other designated licensee. (6/27/22)

Washington County

Anthony Lane, license nos. ML050117L and MB0120456L of Charleroi, Washington County, had his licenses to practice as a barber manager and a barber temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth presents a clear and immediate danger to the public health and safety. (7/19/22)

Out of State

James Dennis, license nos. BM093661 and BL053022, of New Castle, DE, was suspended for five years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because he was convicted of Recklessly Endangering Another Person (M2) and Manufacture/Delivery/Possession with Intent to Manufacture or Deliver (F), and because he failed to provide written notice to the Board within 30 days of these guilty pleas as well as his guilty plea to Disarming Law Enforcement Officer – Without Lawful Authorization(F). (6/27/22)

PA Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Chiropractic

Beaver County

Paul Lane Caton, license no. DC004124L, and certificate no. AJ004124L, of Beaver Falls, Beaver County, had his license indefinitely suspended retroactive to December 13, 2021, and was assessed costs of investigation because he is unable to practice chiropractic with reasonable skill and safety to patients and for violating a Board order. (08/05/22)

Northampton County

Nicholas Anthony Bufanio, license nos. DC006741L and AJ006741L, of Bethlehem, Northampton County, was suspended for four years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, levied a civil penalty of \$2,000; and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he was convicted of Health Care Fraud. (6/30/22)

PA Board of Cosmetology

Adams County

Daysha Joellen Lavalliere, license no. CO291545, of Gettysburg, Adams County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/29/22)

Allegheny County

Mary E. Sharpe, license no. CM013165L, of McKeesport, Allegheny County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Bucks County

Tara L. Carlidge, license no. CO237955L, of Levittown, Bucks County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Lackawanna County

Lauren Foley, license no. CO267105, of South Abington Twp, Lackawanna County, had her cosmetologist license suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Mifflin County

Kathryn Knepp, cosmetology license no. CO300712, of Lewistown, Mifflin County, had her license suspended for no less than two years, retroactive to June 29, 2022, for violating probation terms imposed by a prior Board order. (8/11/22)

Brenda Lockett's Fairytale Nails, license no. CY195733, of Burnham, Mifflin County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/29/22)

Philadelphia County

Brittany Y. Lussier, license no. CO296808, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, had her cosmetologist license suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Out of State

Bobbi Vines, PA license no. CO303832, of Los Angeles, California, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

Cynthia Lynn Hager, PA license no. CO265558, of Wilmington, Delaware, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/28/22)

PA Board of Crane Operators

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Dentistry

Allegheny County

Andy Pin-Kang Shieh, license no. DS037428, of Warrendale, Allegheny County, was levied a civil penalty of \$2,000; costs of investigation of \$242.62; received a reprimand on his disciplinary

record with the Board, and must complete at least eight hours of remedial education, because he engaged in unprofessional conduct by departing from, or failing to conform to, the standards of acceptable and prevailing dental practice in which proceeding actual injury to the patient need not be established. (7/15/22)

Ronald A Dicarlo, license no. DS018546L, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was automatically suspended for no less than six months, levied a civil penalty of \$5000; and costs of investigation of \$6,112.04; because he was convicted of Failure to Keep Records of Distribution of Controlled Substances, a crime directly related to his occupation, trade or profession and he poses a substantial risk to the public health and safety of his patients. Clients, or the public, or a substantial risk of further criminal convictions; failed to prepare, maintain, and/or retain accurate, legible, and complete dental records which met the minimum requirements; he departed from, or failed to conform to, the standards of acceptable and prevailing dental practice, in which proceeding actual injury to the patient need not be established; and based upon his guilty plea to one count of Failure to Keep Records of Distribution of Controlled Substances, an ungraded misdemeanor. (7/15/22)

Lackawanna County

Christopher Jarrett Gushue, license no. DS040197, of Clarks Summit, Lackawanna County, was levied a civil penalty of \$2,500; and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he had a license to practice dentistry revoked, suspended or had other disciplinary action imposed or consented to by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory or country or had an application for license refused, revoked or suspended by the proper licensing authority or another state, territory or country. (7/15/22)

[PA Board of Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists](#)

No disciplinary actions taken.

[PA Board of Funeral Directors](#)

Bucks County

Carol F. Galzerano, F.D., F.S., license no. FD138252, FS015224, & FB014445 of Levittown, Bucks County was ordered to pay a civil penalty of \$500; and costs of investigation of \$122.88; because she retained possession of a decedent's body longer than ten days without first obtaining special permission from the Board to do so. (6/23/22)

[PA Board of Landscape Architects](#)

No disciplinary actions taken.

[PA Board of Massage Therapy](#)

Luzerne County

Erich Paul Merrel-Stiller, L.M.T., license no. MSG001120, of White Haven, Luzerne County, was ordered to cease and desist from the practice of massage therapy and was assessed a civil

penalty of \$2500 and a cost of investigation of \$1586.49, based on practicing after the expiration of his license.

PA Board of Medicine

Chester County

Christine Elizabeth Hayes, license no. BH000643, of West Chester, Chester County, had her license to practice as a behavior specialist revoked by the State Board of Medicine, retroactive to August 2, 2022, because she was convicted of five felony offenses in violation of the Medical Practice Act. (08/26/22)

Navigation Commission for the Delaware River and its Navigable Tributaries

No disciplinary actions taken.

Secretary of the Commonwealth – Notaries Public

Lancaster County

Philip G. Weaver, notary commission number 1175546, of New Holland, Lancaster County, is prohibited from reapplying for appointment and commission as a notary public for four years, based on his June 19, 2018 plea of guilty to a felony offense involving fraud, dishonesty, or deceit. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under the Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts, 57 Pa.C.S. §323(a)(3), in that Respondent lacks the honesty, integrity, competence, or reliability to hold the office of notary public.

Philadelphia County

Mayra E. Rivas, notary commission no. 1275202, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, voluntarily surrendered her notary commission, agreed that she shall not apply for a notary commission for a period of at least four years, and that if she should apply for a notary commission after the four years have passed, she will be required to appear at a hearing before the Bureau to assess her suitability to act with the competence, integrity and qualifications of a notary public because she failed to maintain a journal of all notarial acts performed, evidence all notarial acts by certificate, and use an official stamp that met content and formatting requirements. (6/22/22)

John B. McKenna, notary commission no. 1108412, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, agreed that he shall not apply for a notary commission for a period of at least four years and that if he should apply for a notary commission after the four years have passed, he will be required to appear at a hearing before the Bureau to assess his suitability to act with the competence, integrity and qualifications of a notary public because he failed to make an entry in a journal of notarial acts contemporaneous with the performance of each notarial act and failed to use an official stamp which met content and formatting requirements. (6/22/22)

PA Board of Nursing

Allegheny County

Julie Lynn Corbin, RN, license no. RN704802, last known of Monroeville, Allegheny County, had her license suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to September 3, 2021, for violating the terms of a previous board order. (08/17/22)

Jana Nicole Cameron, RN, license no. RN571839, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was suspended pursuant to the Order of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County dated August 10, 2022, which the court issued under section 4355 of the Domestic Relations Code. The suspension is effective immediately. (08/18/22)

Berks County

Marlene Cesar, RN, CRNP, license no. RN629292 and certification no. SP011573, of Reading, Berks County, had her license and certification indefinitely suspended and immediately stayed to one year of probation, based on disciplinary action taken against her license by the proper licensing authority of another state and her conviction of a crime of moral turpitude directly related to the practice of the nursing profession. (07/22/22)

Blair County

Bradley Carter, RN, license no. RN694593, of Hollidaysburg, Blair County, had his professional nursing license reinstated to probation for no less than 3 years, based on compliance with a previous Board order. (08/18/2022)

Butler County

Michelle Lynn Kriess, RN, license no. RN582229, of Butler, Butler County, had her license indefinitely suspended for a period no less than three years, based on her inability to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients. (07/06/22)

Michelle Lynn Kriess, RN, license no. RN582229, of Butler, Butler County, had her license suspended for one year, retroactive to June 10, 2021, based on her violation of a prior Board Order. (08/15/22)

Centre County

Sandra Anne McGee, RN, license no. RN585506, of Bellefonte, Centre County, had her license reinstated to probationary status in the DMU, for no less than 3 years, based on her compliance with a previous board order. (08/8/22)

Erie County

Anjanette Elizabeth Hoehn, RN, license no. RN530238L, of Edinboro, Erie County, had her license reinstated to probation for no less than of 3 years, based on compliance with a previous Board order. (8/15/22)

Lackawanna County

Tanya L. D'Anjou, LPN, license No. PN266628, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, had her license reinstated to probationary status after complying with the terms of a prior Board Order. (08/09/22)

Luzerne County

Rose Nallon, RN, license no. RN181744L, of Nuangola, Luzerne County, had her license indefinitely suspended and was assessed \$385.00 in costs of investigation because she is unable to practice with reasonable skill and safety to patients and for violating a Board Order. (07/14/22)

Amanda Ann Ferdinand, LPN, license No. PN294641, of Hazle Township, Luzerne County, had her license indefinitely suspended, based on her conviction of a crime of moral turpitude directly related to the nursing profession. (07/22/22)

Jamie Lindsey Kennedy-Pirl, LPN, license no. PN266733, of Hanover Township, Luzerne County, had her license reinstated to probation for no less than of 3 years, based on compliance with a previous Board order. (8/25/22)

Northampton County

Cathleen Marie Bacon, LPN, license No. PN266699, of Easton, Northampton County, had her practical nursing license reinstated to probation for no less than 3 years, based on compliance with a previous Board order. (08/19/22)

Snyder County

David H. Lamas, license No. RN336746L, of Selinsgrove, Snyder County, had his license suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to March 23, 2022, based on violating the terms of a prior Board Order. (08/24/22)

Washington County

Marissa L. Crile, License No. PN305678, last known of Amity, Washington County, was indefinitely suspended until she completes her criminal probation based on her conviction of a felony crime directly related to the profession. (07/5/22)

Westmoreland County

Allen R. Latherow, license No. PN282539, of Trafford, Westmoreland County, was suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to June 7, 2019, based on violating the terms of a prior Board Order. (8/23/22)

Out of State

Julieann O'Lone, RN, PA license no. RN599054, of Egg Harbor Township, New Jersey, had her license reinstated to probationary status in the DMU, for no less than 3 years, based on her compliance with a previous board order. (08/9/22)

Philip J. Killgore, RN, PA license no. RN648829, last known of Durant, Oklahoma, had his nursing license suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (07/11/22)

Patty Jo Olson, RN, PA license no. RN730635, of Apache Junction, Arizona, had her license indefinitely suspended until she provides evidence that her Arizona registered nurse license has been reinstated to unrestricted status and was assessed a \$500 civil penalty for having been disciplined in another state and failing to report the same to the Board. (7/22/22)

Jessica Lee Roberts, RN, license no. RN640581 of Ballwin, Missouri, had her license suspended, with the suspension stayed in favor of probation, based on disciplinary action being taken against her license to practice nursing by the proper licensing authority of another state. (07/26/22)

Charlotte Ann Swiger, RN, PA license no. RN597188, of Wellsburg, West Virginia, had her professional nursing license indefinitely suspended based on her being unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients without monitoring. (07/28/22)

Charles D. Klar, III, license No. RN550798, of Weirton, West Virginia, had his license suspended for no less than five years, retroactive to June 16, 2021, based on violating the terms of a prior Board Order. (08/23/22)

PA Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Optometry

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Osteopathic Medicine

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Pharmacy

Allegheny County

Andrea Lynne Spano, license no. RP448711, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years retroactive to December 21, 2021, immediately stayed in favor of no less than three years of probation, because she is unfit to practice pharmacy because of intemperance in the use of alcoholic beverages, controlled substances or any other substance which impairs the intellect and judgment to such an extent as to impair the performance of professional duties. (6/28/22)

Erie County

Matthew Alexander Camera, license no. RP443104, of Erie, Erie County, was suspended for three years, stayed in favor of no less than three years of probation, because he is unfit to practice pharmacy because of intemperance in the use of alcoholic beverages, controlled substances or any other substance which impairs the intellect and judgment to such an extent as to impair the performance of professional duties. (6/28/22)

PA Board of Physical Therapy

Philadelphia County

Jason Talley, PT, license no. PT027192, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, had his license revoked and was assessed a \$10,000 civil penalty, based on his guilty pleas to two misdemeanors related to the practice of physical therapy. (7/22/22)

PA Board of Podiatry

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Psychology

No disciplinary actions taken.

Real Estate Commission

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Speech-Language and Hearing Examiners

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons

Allegheny County

Jaison N. Kelly, license no. MV211099, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was suspended for no less than one year, immediately stayed in favor of probation, levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500; and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he was convicted of Criminal Attempt to commit Theft by Deception-False Impression, a misdemeanor of the first degree, a crime directly related to his occupation, trade or profession. (7/12/22)

Joshua J. Pagliei, vehicle salesperson license number MV189958, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was revoked and levied a \$2,000 civil penalty based upon his conviction for a felony crime of moral turpitude. (07/13/22)

Berks County

RV Liquidators, license no. VD033757, of Shoemakersville, Berks County, was levied a civil penalty of \$3,000; because they sold 11 recreational trailers and/or vehicles from a location that was not authorized by its license. (7/12/22)

Blair County

Robert M. McKnight, license no. MV246311, of Altoona, Blair County, had his vehicle salesperson license indefinitely suspended based upon his conviction for felony and misdemeanor crimes of moral turpitude. (07/13/22)

Bucks County

Car Farm Auto Group, LLC, vehicle dealer license number VD029650, of Levittown, Bucks County, was levied a civil penalty of \$9,400 based upon employing vehicle salespeople who were not properly licensed. (07/13/22)

Delaware County

Angelo Anthony Cavallero, license no. MV139514L, of Newtown Square, Delaware County, permanently voluntarily surrendered his license, because he was convicted of Rape, a felony of the first degree and due to the nature of the criminal conviction, licensure of Mr. Cavallero poses a substantial risk to the health and safety of his clients or the public or a substantial risk of further criminal convictions. (7/12/22)

Lackawanna County

Michelle L Vandemark, license no. MV266611, of Old Forge, Lackawanna County, received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she was twice convicted of Receiving Stolen Property, a misdemeanor of the first degree, a crime directly related to her occupation, trade or profession and she poses a substantial risk to the health and safety of the individual's patients or clients or the public or a substantial risk of further criminal convictions. (7/12/22)

Lancaster County

Ruth E. Gonzalez, a.k.a Ruth Hutchinson, a.k.a Ruth Berrios, a.k.a Ruth Berrios-Gonzalez, license no. MV242174, of Lititz, Lancaster County, and Red Lion, York County, had her vehicle salesperson license revoked based upon her conviction for misdemeanor crimes of moral turpitude directly related to the vehicle profession, making a substantial misrepresentation of material fact and engaging in conduct in connection with the sale of vehicles which clearly demonstrates unprofessional conduct or incompetency to operate as a licensee. (07/13/22)

John D. Calixto, vehicle salesperson license number MV280148, of Lancaster, Lancaster County, had his application for a vehicle salesperson license granted and placed on probation for a period of two years based upon his criminal convictions. (08/26/22)

Lebanon County

Dominic J. Fratangeli, license no. MV243906, of Lebanon, Lebanon County, had his vehicle salesperson license revoked and was assessed a civil penalty of \$5,000 based upon his conviction for felony crimes of violence. (07/13/22)

Tristan R. Artz, vehicle salesperson license number MV241878, of Myerstown, Lebanon County, was revoked and levied a \$5,000 civil penalty based upon his conviction for felony and misdemeanor crimes of moral turpitude. (07/13/22)

Philadelphia County

Justin A. Cutler, vehicle salesperson license number MV239527, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was revoked based upon his conviction for felony crimes of moral turpitude directly related to the vehicle profession. (07/14/22)

Pike County

Justin T Christ, license no. MV215472, of Milford, Pike County, permanently voluntarily surrendered his license, because he failed or refused to account for moneys or other valuables belonging to others which have come into his possession arising out of the sales of vehicles; and he committed any act or engaged in conduct in connection with the sale of vehicles which clearly demonstrates unprofessional conduct or incompetency to operate as a licensee under the Act; and he failed to pay over taxes or fees collected for the Commonwealth at the time and in the manner required by law. (7/12/22)

York County

Ruth E. Gonzalez, a.k.a Ruth Hutchinson, a.k.a Ruth Berrios, a.k.a Ruth Berrios-Gonzalez, license no. MV242174, of Lititz, Lancaster County, and Red Lion, York County, had her vehicle salesperson license revoked based upon her conviction for misdemeanor crimes of moral turpitude directly related to the vehicle profession, making a substantial misrepresentation of material fact and engaging in conduct in connection with the sale of vehicles which clearly demonstrates unprofessional conduct or incompetency to operate as a licensee. (07/13/22)

Antonio Owens, vehicle salesperson license number MV280147, of Ocala, Florida, had his application for a vehicle salesperson license granted and placed on probation for a period of eighteen months based upon his criminal convictions. (08/26/22)

PA Board of Veterinary Medicine

No disciplinary actions taken.

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