

# DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS July 2019

Acting Secretary of State Kathy Boockvar announced that 108 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:

**PA Board of Accountancy** 

**PA Architects Licensure Board** 

**PA Board of Auctioneer Examiners** 

**PA Board of Barber Examiners** 

PA Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers

PA Board of Chiropractic

**PA Board of Cosmetology** 

**PA Board of Crane Operators** 

PA Board of Dentistry

PA Board of Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists

**PA Board of Funeral Directors** 

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PA Board of Nursing

**PA Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators** 

PA Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure

**PA Board of Optometry** 

**PA Board of Osteopathic Medicine** 

**PA Board of Pharmacy** 

PA Board of Physical Therapy

**PA Board of Podiatry** 

PA Board of Psychology

**Real Estate Commission** 

PA Board of Speech-Language and Hearing Examiners

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

PA Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons

**PA Board of Veterinary Medicine** 

# **Actions by County**

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

County	# of Actions	County	# of Actions
Adams	0	Lackawanna	4
Allegheny	9	Lancaster	3
Armstrong	0	Lawrence	0
Beaver	1	Lebanon	1
Bedford	2	Lehigh	1
Berks	3	Luzerne	5
Blair	2	Lycoming	0
Bradford	1	McKean	0
Bucks	6	Mercer	0
Butler	0	Mifflin	0
Cambria	4	Monroe	1
Cameron	0	Montgomery	8
Carbon	0	Montour	1
Centre	0	Northampton	2
Chester	3	Northumberland	3
Clarion	1	Perry	1
Clearfield	3	Philadelphia	5
Clinton	0	Pike	0
Columbia	0	Potter	0
Crawford	1	Schuylkill	1
Cumberland	3	Snyder	0
Dauphin	3	Somerset	1
Delaware	4	Sullivan	0
Elk	0	Susquehanna	0
Erie	3	Tioga	0
Fayette	0	Union	0
Forest	0	Venango	0
Franklin	0	Warren	1
Fulton	0	Washington	1
Greene	0	Wayne	1
Huntingdon	1	Westmoreland	4
Indiana	0	Wyoming	1
Jefferson	0	York	3
Juniata	0	<b>Total in-State actions</b>	98
Actions taken against professionals with non-PA addresses			10
Total			108

# **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**

## **York County**

Michael L Holley, license no. BL052147, of York, York County, had his license placed on probation for a year; was levied a civil penalty of \$250; and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he has been convicted of any felony. (6/24/19)

# PA Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers

No disciplinary actions taken.

# PA Board of Chiropractic

#### **Bucks County**

Alan B Gewanter, license no. DC002198L, of Doylestown, Bucks County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered his license, because he was convicted of a felony, a misdemeanor in the practice of chiropractic, or received probation without verdict, disposition in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges, in the courts of this Commonwealth, a Federal court, or a court of any other state, territory, possession or country. (7/18/19)

## **Cambria County**

Mark Allen Lauffer, license no. DC009318, of Ebensburg, Cambria County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1,000; costs of investigation of \$426.93; and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he engaged in or attempted to engage in the practice of chiropractic, or held himself out as a practitioner of chiropractic without a current and active license, and failed to notify the Board within 30 days of the cancellation of his professional liability insurance, or the termination of his self-insurance for professional liability. (7/18/19)

### **Chester County**

John Clark Macaulay, license no. DC002848L, of West Chester, Chester County, was levied a civil penalty of \$700; and must complete the missing continuing education credits, because he submitted a false or deceptive biennial registration to the Board, failed to certify on a form supplied by the Board that he completed continuing education requirements in violation of a Board regulation, and failed to provide proof of having completed at least 24 credits hours of continuing education in acceptable courses taken within the two-year period prior to renewal of the license. (7/18/19)

# PA Board of Cosmetology

# **Dauphin County**

Vina Nails, license no. CZ119100, of Harrisburg, Dauphin County, was ordered to cease and desist from possessing and using metal credo tools in the practice of nail technology and/or cosmetology; and they were levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500; and costs of investigation of \$59.85; because they operated as a nail technology salon in a grossly incompetent, unethical and dishonest manner through the possession and use of metal credo tools. (7/8/19)

Heather Ruth Schreiner, license no. CO262398, of Harrisburg, Dauphin County, was suspended for two years, immediately stayed in favor of probation; levied a civil penalty of \$500; and received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she has been convicted of a felony. (7/8/19)

Alan Wilt & Renita Walker d/b/a Salon Details, cosmetology salon license no. CB103877L, of Harrisburg, Dauphin County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (4/10/19)

#### **Lackawanna County**

Lotus Nailbar & Spa, license no. CY197751, of Dickson City, Lackawanna County, was suspended for one year, immediately stayed in favor of probation, levied a civil penalty of \$2,000; costs of investigation of \$29.01; and they received a reprimand on their disciplinary record with the Board; because the salon operated as a nail technology salon in a grossly incompetent and unethical manner through the possession and use of Methyl Methacrylate substances in the practice of cosmetology. (7/8/19)

## **Northampton County**

Sy T Do, license no. CL012768L, of Easton, Northampton County, was suspended for no less than six months and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board because he was convicted of a felony under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, or a similar State or Federal law. (7/8/19)

#### **Out of State**

Lori Lynn Chambers, PA license no. CO274308, of Syracuse, New York, was suspended for a period of six months and she received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she has been convicted of a felony. (7/8/19)

# **PA Board of Crane Operators**

# **Bedford County**

New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co, Inc, an unlicensed corporation, of New Enterprise, Bedford County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1,000; and costs of investigation of \$1,020.68; because it employed, allowed, or directed an unlicensed individual to operate a crane. (7/24/19)

# **PA Board of Dentistry**

### **Allegheny County**

Ronald A. DiCarlo, license no. DS018546L, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, had his license to practice as a dentist temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth may be an immediate and clear danger to the public health and safety. (7/26/19)

## Lackawanna County

Kristine Probst Totsky, license no. DH009644L, of Carbondale, Lackawanna County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered her license, because she failed to practice as a registered dental hygienist with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of illness, drunkenness, excessive use of controlled substances, chemicals or any other type of material, or as the result of any mental or physical condition. (7/19/19)

## **Montgomery County**

Anthony Farole, license no. DS022779L, of Bala Cynwyd, Montgomery County, was levied a civil penalty of \$5,000; costs of investigation of \$1,359.96; received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board; and must cease and desist having assistants take x-rays of patients, unless the assistants have passed an examination in radiological procedures, because he delegated to a person duties that the dentist knows, or has reason to know, the person is not competent to perform or not authorized to perform. (7/19/19)

# **Philadelphia County**

Ping Cai, license no. DH013324L, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered her license; because she had a license to practice dentistry, dental hygiene, or certificate for expanded function dental assisting revoked, suspended or had other disciplinary action imposed or consented to by the proper licensing authority of another state, or had an application for license refused, revoked, or suspended by the proper licensing authority of another state. (7/19/19)

#### **Westmoreland County**

Beatriz Delaroche, license nos. DS030164L and DP030164A, of Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland County, was levied a civil penalty of \$10,000; and a reprimand was placed on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she violated the Board's regulation which require a dentist to possess a current permit issued by the Board before administering, or supervising the administration of general anesthesia, deep sedation, conscious sedation or nitrous oxide/oxygen analgesia in a dental office, engaged in unprofessional conduct, and failed to have the required clinical evaluation and inspection. (7/19/19)

# PA Board of Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists

## **Berks County**

John P Stoppi Jr, license and registration no. PE080432, of Wernersville, Berks County, was levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$500, and a public reprimand will be placed on his permanent disciplinary record with the Board, because he was guilty of misconduct, in that he had disciplinary action taken against a license he held to practice engineering, for conduct relating to the practice of engineering, by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory, or country. (7/10/19)

# **Montgomery County**

Mark J Irani, license and registration no. PG002108G, of Glenside, Montgomery County, was levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$7,500; and a public reprimand will be placed on his permanent disciplinary record with the Board, because he was guilty of misconduct in the practice of engineering in that he made misleading, deceptive, untrue or fraudulent misrepresentations in the practice of geology and in that he offered to practice the profession of geology without holding a current license. (7/10/19)

# **PA Board of Funeral Directors**

No disciplinary actions taken.

# PA Board of Landscape Architects

No disciplinary actions taken.

# PA Board of Massage Therapy

# **Bucks County**

Donna M Trotter, license no. MSG004964, of Bensalem, Bucks County, was levied a civil penalty of \$2,000, costs of investigation of \$391; must complete six hours of remedial education, and received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she knowingly aided, assisted, and hired an individual in the unlawful practice of massage therapy on November 24, 2017, and February 3, 2018. (6/11/19)

# PA Board of Medicine

### **Bedford County**

Kimberly A Donaldson, license no. RT000414A, of Saxton, Bedford County, was levied a civil penalty of \$250; and a reprimand was placed on her disciplinary record with the Board because she continued to practice while her license or certificate was expired, not registered, suspended or revoked. (7/23/19)

#### **Bucks County**

Sandra Leigh Gray, license no. YM006084L, of Morrisville, Bucks County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered her license, because she failed to comply with a Board Order requiring she successfully complete the Volunteer Recovery Program while complying with all of the terms and conditions of the program. (7/23/19)

April Lynn Smith, license no. MA054965, of Furlong, Bucks County, had her license to practice as a medical physician assistant in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania reinstated and immediately suspended until such time as she has completed all aspects of the criminal probation, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she was convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor relating to a health profession or received probation without verdict, disposition in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges, in the courts of this Commonwealth, a Federal court or another state, territory or country; and she has been convicted of a felony. (7/23/19)

# **Cambria County**

Luis Peter Tomacruz, license no. MD056605L, of Ebensburg, Cambria County, must complete 10 hours of remedial education because he engaged in unprofessional conduct and practiced negligently in his treatment and care of a patient. (7/23/19)

# **Montgomery County**

Andrew Mark Berkowitz, license no. MD036462E, of Huntingdon Valley, Montgomery County, had his license to practice as a medical physician and surgeon temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth may be an immediate and clear danger to the public health and safety. (7/1/19)

#### **Westmoreland County**

Sapan Kumar Polepalle, license no. MD424228, of Murrysville, Westmoreland County, had a reprimand placed on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he had a license or other authorization to practice the profession disciplined by the proper licensing authority of another state. (7/23/19)

#### **Out of State**

Okechukwu Dimkpa, PA license no. MD444927, of Salisbury, North Carolina, was levied a civil penalty of \$250; and a reprimand was placed on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he had a license or other authorization to practice the profession suspended, revoked, refused or otherwise disciplined by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory, possession or country, or a branch of the Federal Government. (7/23/19)

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# Secretary of the Commonwealth - Notaries Public

#### **Bucks County**

Patricia Knauff Pietrak, notary commission no. 1129611, of Newtown, Bucks County, was suspended for a period of six months, immediately stayed in favor of probation; must complete six hours of notary practice and procedure courses; and levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$800; because she failed to keep and maintain custody and an accurate chronological register of all official acts by that notary, failed to be familiar with the duties and responsibilities of a notary public and was not in good character, integrity and ability. (7/17/19)

### **Lackawanna County**

Kip A. Conforti, notary commission no. 1221194, of Clarks Summit, Lackawanna County, was suspended for six months, immediately stayed in favor of probation, was assessed a civil penalty of \$500 and costs of investigation of \$300; and ordered to complete six hours of continuing education, because he violated the Notary Public Law by failing to keep and/or maintain custody and control of an accurate chronological register; and filing to be familiar with the duties and/or responsibilities of a notary public. He also violated the Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts by failing to have numbered pages in his notarial journal; failing to include required information in his notarial journal for each and every entry; receiving fees in excess of the fee limit fixed by the Secretary; and, to the extent he did not receive fees in excess of those limits, failed to separately enter each notarial act into his notarial journal. (6/28/19)

## **Perry County**

Tammy Myers, notary commission no. 1244686, of Duncannon, Perry County, was suspended for 12 months, with three months to be served as active suspension followed by nine months of suspension stayed in favor of probation, must complete six hours of courses, and pay a civil penalty of \$500; and \$450 in continued monitoring costs, because she failed to require the personal appearance of the party who is executing the instrument subject to the notarial act, keep and maintain an accurate chronological register of all official acts, and record the notarization of a party's signature. (7/25/19)

# PA Board of Nursing

# **Allegheny County**

Anthony John Marx, license no. RN662289, last known of Gibsonia, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended, retroactive to June 26, 2017 and assessed \$700.00 in costs of investigation, based on being unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental and or physical illness or condition or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol or hallucinogenic, narcotic or other drugs with tend to impair judgment or coordination and failure to submit to a mental and physical examination. (10/2/18)

Jessica Louise Lehmann, license no. RN588081, of Castle Shannon, Allegheny County, had her registered nursing license indefinitely suspended, retroactive to December 26, 2017, until such time as she can practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients and was assessed \$800 in costs of investigation, because of dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination, so long as such dependence shall continue. (6/21/18)

Lynn A. Pesanka, license no. RN517537L, of West Mifflin, Allegheny County, had her license revoked based on her being convicted of four felonies under the Controlled Substance Drug Device and Cosmetic Act and a crime of moral turpitude. (11/5/18)

Jamie Lynn McClelland, license nos. RN657752 and PN286453, of Pittsburgh or West Mifflin, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended, retroactive to June 6, 2018, and assessed costs of \$800, based on being unable to practice with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness or condition or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol or hallucinogenic, narcotic or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (9/27/18)

Colleen S Lloyd, license no. RN524694L, of Oakdale, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended because she is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental

or physical illness, condition, or dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

Matthew Orzechowski, license no. RN678136, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was automatically suspended for two years pursuant to the Drug Act, and suspended for three years, pursuant to the Professional Nurse Law, with both suspensions to run concurrently and immediately stayed in favor of probation, because he is unable to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

Tracy Lynn Krebs, license no. RN507668L, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, stayed in favor of probation, retroactive to June 6, 2018, because she was convicted, entered a plea of guilty, entered a plea of nolo contendere, or has been found guilty by a judge or jury, of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude, or has received probation without verdict in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges, in the courts of this Commonwealth, the United State or any other state, territory, possession or country. (7/25/19)

Bridget Eileen Hennon, license no. RN607264, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, was indefinitely suspended, immediately stayed in favor of probation, and levied a civil penalty of \$300; because she failed to report disciplinary action in another state within 90 days of the final disposition or on application for renewal of licensure, whichever is sooner. (7/25/19)

# **Beaver County**

Billie J. Leroy, license no. RN352419L, of Hopewell, Beaver County, or Dudley, Huntingdon County, had her professional nurse license automatically suspended, retroactive to November 9, 2018, based on being convicted of a misdemeanor under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (3/6/19)

#### **Berks County**

Linda M Merkel, license no. RN268037L, of Shoemakersville, Berks County, voluntarily surrendered her license to practice as a registered nurse in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because she is unable to practice the professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental or physical illness. (7/25/19)

#### **Blair County**

Heather Brooke Novak, license no. PN286146, of Claysburg or Tyrone, Blair County, had her practical nurse license automatically suspended, retroactive to August 7, 2018, based on being convicted of a misdemeanor under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (1/9/19)

#### **Bradford County**

Sherry A. Levindoski, license no. PN101478L, of Troy, Bradford County, was suspended for no less than three years, based on having violated the terms of a previous board order. (02/01/19)

# **Bucks County**

Michelle Renee Nicholls, license no. PN276429, of Warminster, Bucks County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is addicted

to alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination or has become mentally incompetent. (7/25/19)

# **Cambria County**

Amanda L. Ehrhart, license no. RN530899L, of Salix, Cambria County, was suspended for no less than three years, effective February 2, 2018, based on her conviction of three (3) misdemeanor offenses under the Drug Act. (4/9/18)

Carolyn Mary Gritzer, license no. RN664394, of Johnstown, Cambria County, was suspended for a period of no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or physiological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination, so long as such dependence shall continue. (7/25/19)

# **Chester County**

Janet L. Roark, license no. PN267155, of Nottingham, Avondale, or West Chester, Chester County, had her practical nursing license suspended indefinitely and assessed costs of investigation of \$525 because she is unable to practice practical nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients for being addicted to alcohol or hallucinogenic, narcotic or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination, so long as such dependence shall continue. (9/20/18)

Daniel M. Hamilton, license no. RN503349L, of Honey Brook, Chester County, was suspended for no less than three years retroactive to July 25, 2018, based on violating the terms of a previous Board order. (10/26/18)

#### **Clearfield County**

Kaitlyn Suzanne Petrick, license no. PN280055, of DuBois, Clearfield County, had her practical nurse license automatically suspended, retroactive to February 26, 2019, based on her felony conviction under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (3/27/19)

Kaitlyn Suzanne Petrick, license no. PN280055, of Du Bois, Clearfield County, was indefinitely suspended for so long as she is on criminal probation/furlough, but in no event less than a minimum of two years active suspension, because she was convicted of a felony in the courts of this Commonwealth. (7/25/19)

Lisa Roseanne Peace, license nos. SP007104 and RN275738L, of Houtzdale, Clearfield County, received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she has been convicted, plead guilty, entered a plea of nolo contendere, or has been found guilty by a judge or jury of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in the Courts of this Commonwealth, and failed to report criminal charges to the Board within 30 days and disciplinary actions to the Board within 90 days. (7/25/19)

#### **Crawford County**

Anita Michelle Belfiore, license no. PN289853, of Cambridge Springs, Crawford County, was suspended for no less than fifteen months, with the first three months to be served as an active suspension, and ordered to complete three hours of continuing education related to ethics, based on committing unprofessional conduct, failing to respect and consider while providing nursing care, a patient's right to freedom from psychological and physical abuse, safeguard a patient's dignity, and safeguard patients from incompetent, abusive, or illegal practice. (8/13/18)

### **Cumberland County**

Marcy L. Copeland, license nos. RN577909 and PN260298L, of Mechanicsburg, Cumberland County, was suspended for no less than three years retroactive to April 19, 2018, based on violating the terms of a previous Board order. (7/16/18)

Beth A Goodballet, license no. RN285122L, of Camp Hill, Cumberland County, was indefinitely suspended, immediately stayed in favor of probation, and levied a civil penalty in the amount of \$500; because she had a license suspended or revoked or has received other disciplinary action by the proper licensing authority in another state. (7/25/19)

### **Delaware County**

Nasheka Lee Marchant, license no. PN261798, of Upper Darby, Delaware County, had her practical nurse license indefinitely suspended until such time as she demonstrates that she can practice practical nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients and was assessed \$914.43 in costs of investigation, based on committing fraud or deceit in the practice of nursing, misappropriating a patient's controlled substances and being addicted to alcohol or hallucinogenic, narcotic drugs or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (9/28/18)

Stephanie L Drain, license no. PN097043L, of Norwood, Delaware County, was indefinitely and actively suspended, retroactive to October 23, 2017; because she is addicted to alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination or has become mentally incompetent. (7/25/19)

Tara J Williamson, license no. RN505646L, of Drexel Hill, Delaware County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of physical or mental illness, condition, or physiological dependence upon drugs or alcohol. (7/25/19)

#### **Erie County**

Billy Jo Gent, license no. PN263860, of Erie, Erie County, was suspended for no less than three years retroactive to September 14, 2017, based on violating the terms of a previous Board order. (6/14/18)

## **Huntingdon County**

Angela N. Kutyba, license no. PN276130, of Huntingdon, Huntingdon County, had her practical nurse license suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to December 6, 2018, based on having violated the terms of a previous board order. (2/7/19)

# **Lackawanna County**

Patrice M. Neville, license no. PN267703, of Scranton, Lackawanna County, had her practical nurse license indefinitely suspended, retroactive to May 16, 2018, and was assessed \$1,575 in costs of investigation, based on having been charged with misdemeanor and felony offenses under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, and for being unable to practice as a practical nurse with reasonable skill and safety due to being addicted to alcohol, hallucinogenic, narcotic drugs or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination and failing to submit to an ordered mental and physical examination. (9/20/18)

### **Lancaster County**

Shane Allen Martin, license no. RN656918, of Narvon, Lancaster County, had his registered nurse license actively suspended, immediately stayed in favor of no less than three years of monitored probation, based on his failure to comply with the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order. (1/4/19)

Denisse Belmarie Ortiz, license no. PN299320, of Lancaster, Lancaster County, was indefinitely suspended because she is addicted to alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotics drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination or has become mentally incompetent. (7/25/19)

# **Lebanon County**

Maranda Taylor Deangelo, license no. PN305443, of Lebanon, Lebanon County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is addicted to alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination or has become mentally incompetent. (7/25/19)

## **Lehigh County**

Nicole Marie Legath, license nos. RN609643 and PN26636, of Allentown or Coplay, Lehigh County, had her license automatically suspended for one year, retroactive to November 6, 2018, based on a misdemeanor conviction for retail theft and a misdemeanor conviction under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (3/6/19)

## **Luzerne County**

Andrea Gosiewski, license no. RN547300, of Ashley or Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County, had her professional nursing license revoked based on her felony convictions and violation of the CHRIA. (2/19/19)

Florence D. Milhalichko, license no. PN270189, of Edwardsville, Luzerne County, had her practical nurse license suspended for up to one year, retroactive to February 27, 2019, based upon her conviction under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (4/4/19)

Erin Tilley, license no. PN304971, of West Pittston, Luzerne County, was suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is addicted to alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination; or has become mentally incompetent. (7/25/19)

Max-An Benfield, license no. RN666989, of Mountain Top, Luzerne County, was automatically suspended for one year and indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, to run concurrently, immediately stayed in favor of no less than three years of probation, because she was unable to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

#### **Monroe County**

Deidra L. Ziegler, license no. RN658757, of Mountainhome, Monroe County, had her professional nursing license automatically suspended based upon her misdemeanor convictions under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (1/17/19)

### **Montgomery County**

Stephen S Sharkey, license no. PN107438L, of Ardmore, Montgomery County, voluntarily surrendered his license to practice as a practical nurse in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because he was convicted, pleaded guilty, entered a plea of nolo contendere, or was found guilty by a judge or jury, of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in the courts of this Commonwealth. (7/25/19)

Christine Marie Burke-Markley, license no. RN302224L, of Ambler, Montgomery County, was indefinitely suspended because she is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

Jessica Lynn Prowant, license no. RN635485, of Lansdale, Montgomery County, voluntarily surrendered her license to practice as a registered nurse in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because she is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness, condition or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

Carol Lynn Cerminara, license no. RN551271, of Maple Glen, Montgomery County, was indefinitely suspended, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she has had her license suspended, revoked, or has received other disciplinary action by the proper licensing authority in another state, territory, possession or country. (7/25/19)

Colleen Margaret Patterson, license no. RN672445, of Hatboro, Montgomery County, received a reprimand on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she had a license suspended, revoked, or has received other disciplinary action by the proper licensing authority in another state, territory, possession or country. (7/25/19)

#### **Montour County**

Amy R. Patton, license no. RN525173L, of Jim Thorpe, Montour County, had her registered nurse license suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to July 26, 2018, based on having violated the terms of a previous board order. (11/28/18)

#### **Northampton County**

Margaret Marlott, license no. RN176549L, of Hanover Township, Northampton County or Wyoming, Luzerne County, had her professional nurse license automatically suspended, retroactive to October 16, 2018, based on being convicted of a misdemeanor under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (1/9/19)

#### **Northumberland County**

Donna McCarthy, license no. PN1042547L, of Shamokin, Northumberland County, had her practical nurse license suspended for up to two years, retroactive to February 27, 2019, based upon her conviction under the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act. (4/4/19)

#### **Philadelphia County**

Helene Patricia Ogden, license no. RN577144, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, had her registered nurse license suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (11/30/18)

Angela Streeper, license no. RN627566, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of physical or mental illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon drugs or alcohol, and she violated a lawful disciplinary order of the Board. (7/25/19)

### **Schuylkill County**

Alison Marie Grutza, license no. PN279177, of Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, had her practical nurse license indefinitely suspended for a period of no less than one year and was ordered to pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$500 based on her conviction of a crime of moral turpitude, fraud in securing admission to the practice of nursing and having failed to timely report the crime to the Board. (3/29/19)

## **Somerset County**

William Floyd Cornell II, license no. RN605873, of Somerset, Somerset County, was suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because he is unable to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol. (7/25/19)

# **Washington County**

Kayla Brooks, license no. RN661413, of Houston, Washington County, was automatically and indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to December 6, 2018, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (7/25/19)

## **Westmoreland County**

Jamie Lynn Seglowich, license no. RN556208, of West Newton, Westmoreland County, voluntarily surrendered her license, because she is unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of physical or mental illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon drugs or alcohol; and has violated a lawful disciplinary order of the Board. (7/25/19)

## **Wyoming County**

Kristine Renee Rose, license no. RN626915, of Tunkhannock, Wyoming County, was suspended for no less than three years retroactive to December 6, 2018, based on findings she violated the terms of a previous board order. (3/18/19)

#### **York County**

Eleanor Reider Armold, license no. PN094338L, of York, York County, voluntarily surrendered her license to practice as a practical nurse in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because she was convicted, pleaded guilty, entered a plea of nolo contendere, or was found guilty by a judge or jury, of a felony or crime of moral turpitude in the courts of this Commonwealth, the United States, or any other state, territory, or country, or received probation without verdict, disposition in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges, has been dishonorably discharged, or has been discharged under circumstances amounting to dishonorable discharge from the military forces of the United States or of any other country. (7/25/19)

#### **Out of State**

Lisa Melissa Robbins, PA license no. RN713224, of Church Creek, Maryland, had her application for licensure granted and immediately placed on probation, for at least one year, upon the successful completion of the requirements and probation imposed by a criminal court in another state. (11/5/18)

Christine Ciccarelli Brady, PA license no. RN553758, of Wilmington, Delaware, was temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that her continued practice within the Commonwealth may be an immediate and clear danger to the public health and safety. (7/25/19)

Cecil Salinas, PA license no. RN701857, of San Antonio, Texas, had his license to practice as a registered nurse temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth may be an immediate and clear danger to the public health and safety. (7/25/19)

Corey John Wehr, PA license no. RN554499, of Worthington, Minnesota, voluntarily surrendered his nursing license in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because he had a license suspended, revoked, or has received other disciplinary action by the proper licensing authority in another state. (7/25/19)

Holly Ann Haft, PA license no. RN672898, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, was suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination, so long as such dependence shall continue. (7/25/19)

Sharla Kay Peterson, PA license nos. RN669444 and SP015497, of Vancouver, Washington, voluntarily surrendered her professional nursing license, because she violated the law by failing to report disciplinary action taken against her nursing license in another state within 90 days of receiving notice of the disciplinary action or on the biennial renewal application, whichever is sooner. (7/25/19)

Jenna Elizabeth Speziale, PA license no. RN692416, of Poland, Ohio, was levied a civil penalty of \$500, and a reprimand was placed on her disciplinary record with the Board, because she was disciplined in the state of Ohio and failed to notify the Board of the disciplinary action taken in Ohio within 90 days of receiving notice of the discipline. (7/25/19)

# **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**

#### **Out of State**

Greg Edward Zehner, PA license no. RP441285, of North Bellmore, New York, had his license to practice as a pharmacist temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth may be an immediate and clear danger to the public health and safety. (7/29/19)

# PA Board of Physical Therapy

## **Northampton County**

Arnee Sanchez Rubi, license no. PT017527, of Northampton, Northampton County, permanently voluntarily surrendered his license, because he was convicted of indecent assault, a crime of moral turpitude; has been convicted of a misdemeanor relating to the practice of the profession, and committed a "sexual violation". (7/18/19)

## **Northumberland County**

Craig Jon Edson, license no. PT000678E, of Milton, Northumberland County, was ordered to complete 10 hours of continuing education on the topic of ethics, and received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he was convicted of retail theft, a crime of moral turpitude. (7/18/19)

## **York County**

Shantelle Sharee Lewis, certificate no. TE011090, of York, York County, was suspended for a period that runs concurrent with her criminal probation, stayed in favor of probation, because she was found guilty, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, to a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in a Federal court or in the courts of this Commonwealth or any other state, territory or country; and failed to provide written notice to the Board within 30 days of her guilty plea. (7/18/19)

# **PA Board of Podiatry**

No disciplinary actions taken.

# PA Board of Psychology

No disciplinary actions taken.

# **Real Estate Commission**

# **Lancaster County**

Ronald A Koleda, license no. RS329286, of Ronks, Lancaster County, was indefinitely suspended for a period of no less than one year because he failed to notify the Commission of pleading guilty to or being convicted of a misdemeanor or felony within 30 days of the verdict or plea. (7/23/19)

### **Northumberland County**

Turbotville Cemetery Company Inc, registration no. CE000429L, of Turbotville, Northumberland County, was levied the cost of investigation of \$643.34; and a reprimand was placed on its disciplinary record with the Commission, because it violated the Act of the Burial Grounds Law by failing to have a current and valid registration certificate issued by the State Real Estate Commission before disposing of any lot in its cemetery or before carrying on any other cemetery business. (7/23/19)

# **Philadelphia County**

Frederic D Musilli, license no. RM421769, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was levied a civil of \$2000; and must complete at least six hours of remedial education, because he violated the Act in that a licensee may not give assurance or advice concerning an aspect of a real estate transaction that he knows or reasonably should be expected to know, is incorrect, inaccurate or improbable by failing to advise the consumer to seek expert advice on matters about the transaction that are beyond the licensees' expertise, as required by the Commission Regulations. (7/23/19)

Victor L Coates, license no. RS323007, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, had his license revoked, because he was convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction in this state, any other state, or Federal court, of forgery, embezzlement, obtaining money under false pretenses, bribery larceny, extortion, conspiracy to defraud, or any similar offense or offenses, or felony, pleading guilty, or nolo contendere to any such offense, and has been convicted any felony under Criminal History Record Information Act. (7/23/19)

# PA Board of Speech-Language and Hearing Examiners

No disciplinary actions taken.

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

#### **Berks County**

Albert V Pohl III, license no. PC001016, of Reading, Berks County, was suspended for a period of no less than 18 months; levied a civil penalty of \$2000; and must complete at least 20 hours of remedial education on the topic of boundary issues and ethics, because he violated the act in that he engaged in unprofessional conduct by hugging and kissing a patient on the lips during several counseling sessions. (7/9/19)

## **Blair County**

Jennifer Ann Rhodes, license no. SW127519, of Duncansville, Blair County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered her license, because she is unable to practice with reasonable skill and safety by reason of illness, drunkenness, excessive use of drugs, narcotics, chemicals or any other type of material, or a result of any mental or physical condition. (7/9/19)

#### **Cumberland County**

Anita L Mallicone, license no. CW013267, of Shippensburg, Cumberland County, was indefinitely suspended because she violated the Act in that she was convicted of six felonies. (7/9/19)

# **Delaware County**

Thomas M McCluskey, license no. SW128417, of Chester, Delaware County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered his license, because he violated the Act in that he failed to maintain appropriate standard of care by engaging in a sexual and romantic relationship with a patient. (7/9/19)

### **Erie County**

Laura Elizabeth Terry, license no. PC007441, of Erie, Erie County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of probation, because she is unable to practice with reasonable skills and safety because she suffers from alcohol use disorder. (7/9/19)

Sara Elizabeth French, license no. PC003467, of Waterford, Erie County, was placed on probation for a period of no less than one year, and levied a civil penalty of \$1500; because she failed to avoid a nonprofessional relationship with clients and/or former clients, when there is no potential benefit to the client. (7/9/19)

# **Warren County**

Amanda Danielle Wellner, license no. CW017686, of Warren, Warren County, voluntarily and permanently surrendered her license to practice as a social worker in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, because she departed from or failed to conform to the standards of acceptable and prevailing practice by engaging in a personal, social or romantic relationship with and engaged in sexual intimacies with a current client. (7/9/19)

# PA Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons

No disciplinary actions taken.

# **PA Board of Veterinary Medicine**

#### **Clarion County**

Brian Keith Byers, license no. BV012182, of New Bethlehem, Clarion County, was levied a civil penalty of \$2,000; costs of investigation of \$4,578.93; must take 30 hours of remedial education, and he received a reprimand on his disciplinary record with the Board, because he departed from acceptable and prevailing standards of veterinary practice in the care of an animal. (7/12/19)

### **Wayne County**

Henry Joseph Nebzydoski, license no. BV003884L, of Pleasant Mount, Wayne County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1,500; because he failed to conform to the standards of acceptable and prevailing veterinary medical practice; and violated the Board's regulation which states "Veterinarians shall practice in accordance with current advancements and acceptable and prevailing standards of care in veterinary medicine." (7/12/19)

#### **Westmoreland County**

Mellissa Lynn Voll-Stouffer, license no. BV009435L, of Greensburg, Westmoreland County, was levied a civil penalty of \$4,000; costs of investigation of \$1,000; and must complete at least seven hours of remedial education, because she violated the Board's regulations which state that "Veterinarians shall practice in accordance with current advancements and acceptable and prevailing standards of care in veterinary medicine, including using current proven techniques, drugs and scientific research that may

affect treatment decisions. Veterinarians shall practice in accordance with advancements and acceptable and prevailing standards of veterinary medical practice in this Commonwealth related to the pharmacologic properties, indications and contraindications of drugs and biologics"; and failed to maintain veterinary medical records. (7/12/19)

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