

# North Carolina Medical Board

## Quarterly Disciplinary Report | November 2009 – January 2010

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<b>REVOCATIONS</b>			
<b>BROWN, Douglas Allen, MD</b> (009800794) Newport News, VA	11/06/2009	Disciplined in VA; false statements on med school and employment applications; improper prescribing of controlled substances	In response to a motion for reconsideration, prior order amended to revoke MD's NC license retroactive to January 7, 2009
<b>COFFMAN, Donald Ralph, MD</b> (000016272) Norlina, NC	01/26/2009	Felony conviction	NC medical license revoked
<b>DERBES, Linda Kaufman, MD</b> (009500112) Honolulu, HI	12/02/2009	Disciplined in CA for prescribing issues and for failure to comply with CA discipline	NC medical license revoked
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>			
<b>BRAY, Anthony David, MD</b> (009400023) Greensboro, NC	12/04/2009	Failure to report a 2008 arrest for simple assault, prior criminal arrests, prior boundary violation, prior improper handling of controlled substances	Indefinite suspension of NC medical license
<b>MARKO, Bruce Howard, MD</b> (009601782) Charlotte, NC	11/23/2009	Fee splitting; performing surgeries "off the books."	NC medical license suspended for 12 months, but immediately stayed; Must comply with conditions
<b>MCANALLEN, Terry Joseph, DO</b> (200301013) Boone, NC	11/09/2009	Consumed alcohol in violation of NCPHP contract	Indefinite suspension of NC medical license
<b>MERRITT, Thomas Rodman, MD</b> (000024118) Fremont, MI	01/04/2010	The Board is concerned about the quality of certain surgical cases, one involving a retained instrument	NC medical license suspended for six months, immediately stayed. MD must submit self for assessment to PACE
<b>NOWLAN, Ashley, PA</b> (001001770) High Point, NC	01/06/2010	Substance abuse; PA is under contract with NCPHP	NC physician assistant license indefinitely suspended
<b>TROMBLEY, Richard Walter, PA-C</b> (000101702) Salisbury, NC	01/22/2010	Alcohol dependence	NC physician assistant license
<b>WALDMAN, Richard Alan, MD</b> (000039134) Whiteville, NC	11/23/2009	Failure to comply with prior Board order to obtain CME in medical records documentation	NC medical license suspended 60 days, immediately stayed
<b>WESTON, Jonathan Dunbar, MD</b> (000023809) Winston-Salem, NC	01/12/2010	MD performed an incomplete dilation & evacuation outpatient procedure on a patient, who suffered uterine perforation during the procedure	NC medical license is suspended for 12 months, immediately stayed provided MD comply with conditions, including refraining from performing outpatient surgical procedures
<b>WILKINSON, Heather Lee, DO</b> (200400777) Hilton Head, SC	11/23/2009	Abuse of the drug Percocet; attempting to obtain by fraud	NC medical license indefinitely suspended
<b>WINTON, Robert Emmett, MD</b> (000022994) Durham, NC	11/23/2009	MD exchanged multiple emails of a personal nature with a psychiatric patient	NC medical license suspended for one year; this is stayed except for a period of 30 days. MD must pay \$5,000 fine and serve one year probation
<b>CONSENT ORDERS</b>			
<b>CATO, Allen Easley, Jr., MD</b> (000016670) Durham, NC	01/12/2010	Prescribing to family and coworkers in violation of Board policy	MD is reprimanded and shall complete 10 hours of CME in prescribing
<b>FENN, James David, MD</b> (201000133) Elizabeth City, NC	01/29/2010	Disciplined in state of VA; Failed to note VA discipline on NC medical license application	MD is reprimanded; Concurrent with issuance of NC medical license, MD is suspended for six months, immediately stayed

**DISCIPLINARY REPORT**

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<b>FOSTER, Charlie Henry Jr., MD</b> (200001376) Cary, NC	11/30/2009	Some areas of practice in need of re-remediation; medical records documentation, etc.	MD is reprimanded and placed on probation for one year
<b>HYMAN, Miles Donald, MD</b> (009900258) Franklin, NC	11/25/2009	Inadequate supervision of a PA; failure to find an MD colleague to supervise prescribing as required by 2008 consent order	MD shall not supervise PAs or NPs; He shall submit charts of patients who have been prescribed a controlled substance to CPEP for review for six months
<b>GOLI, Devainder, MD</b> (000033051) Burlington, NC	12/18/2009	A corporation MD was associated with pleaded guilty to one count of conspiracy to issue a fraudulent IRS 1099 form for 2007	MD is reprimanded
<b>LAND, Phillip Barton, PA-C</b> (000102750) Greensboro, NC	12/9/2009	PA entered into a 2008 consent order indefinitely suspending his license; he failed to report an arrest for going armed to the terror of the public; he is also dependent on opiates	PA issued a dated license to expire on June 9, 2010. He must maintain a contract with NCPHP and comply with other conditions
<b>MACPHAIL, John Adam, MD</b> (200902130) Marion, NC	12/29/2009	MD withheld salient information from his NC medical license application	MD is issued a NC medical license, with a reprimand
<b>RAWAL, Kapil, MD</b> (000026975) Raleigh, NC	01/27/2010	Slow to fulfill patient requests for copies of medical records; history of depression; MD in treatment and under contract with NCPHP	MD is reprimanded
<b>SLOAND, Timothy Peter, MD</b> (200301292) Gastonia, NC	11/25/2009	MD has a history of alcohol abuse, for which he has successfully completed inpatient treatment	MD is issued a temporary medical license to expire 11/30/2010; he must maintain a contract with NCPHP
<b><u>DENIALS OF LICENSE/APPROVAL</u></b>			
<b>COPELAND, Deborah Swinney, PA</b> (000102046) Greensboro, NC	12/08/2009	PA has a history of substance abuse. Her license was revoked in October 2009 because she engaged in hydrocodone diversion	Application for reinstatement of NC physician assistant license denied
<b>URBAN, Edward John, MD</b> (000027410) Pompano Beach, FL	12/08/2009	MD found guilty of two felony counts of tampering with evidence and two felony counts and one misdemeanor count of Medicaid fraud in 2001. His NC license was revoked in 2003	Application for reinstatement of NC medical license denied
<b><u>SURRENDERS</u></b>			
<b>CHASE, Bradford Alan, PA</b> (000103564) High Point, NC	11/05/2009		Voluntary surrender of NC physician assistant license
<b>CARLSON, James Lennart, MD</b> (200200010) Cerro Gordo, NC	12/14/2009		Voluntary surrender of NC medical license
<b>GERLACH, David Campbell, MD</b> (009500591) Burlington, NC	01/27/2010		Voluntary surrender of NC medical license
<b>SMITH, Bryan Dorsey, MD</b> (200201531) Durham, NC	01/08/2010		Voluntary surrender of NC medical license
<b><u>PUBLIC LETTERS OF CONCERN</u></b>			
<b>ALUKO, Akinyele Olawale, MD</b> (000033606) Charlotte, NC	12/2/2009	The Board is concerned that MD performed a cardiac catheterization that resulted in a long segment of J wire being retained in the patient.	Public letter of concern issued
<b>BARAKAT, Ahmad Badi, MD</b> (009701241) Raleigh, NC	11/19/2009	The Board is concerned that MD was delayed in diagnosing a patient's left leg ischemia.	Public letter of concern issued
<b>BOLAR, Randall Jay, MD</b> (000028735) Clarksville, TN	01/22/2010	The Board is concerned that MD was disciplined in Ohio for failure to timely report a malpractice payment and a six-day hospital suspension	Public letter of concern issued
<b>BOUTON, Brian Barrett, MD</b> (200902077) Leesburg, VA	12/10/2009	MD did not accurately answer a question on NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>CALOGERO, Thomas John III, MD</b> (200501817) Granite Falls, NC	01/06/2010	Inappropriate prescribing to significant other or family in conflict with Board policy	Public letter of concern issued

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<b>CHILDERS, Jeffrey Brennon, MD</b> (200500692) Raleigh, NC	12/16/2009	The Board is concerned that MD was twice charged with impaired driving; in both cases, charges were dismissed	Public letter of concern issued
<b>CLASSEN, James Anthony, MD</b> (000033010) Fayetteville, NC	12/18/2009	The Board is concerned about the quality of a gastric bypass performed by MD	Public letter of concern issued
<b>FOTUCHANG, Charles Anuju, MD</b> (200902129) Riverdale, GA	12/29/2009	MD failed to report a 2003 arrest on NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>GRANT, Dorrette, MD</b> (200000063) Fayetteville, NC	01/20/2010	MD attempted to perform a cesarean section on a patient after a failed attempt to induce labor. It was later determined the patient was not pregnant but suffered from hysterical pregnancy	Public letter of concern issued
<b>GREEN, Andrew Todd, MD</b> (200902051) Wilson, NC	12/04/2009	MD failed to provide complete information on NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>GESZLER, Gerianne, MD</b> (000030552) Fayetteville, NC	01/04/2010	The Board is concerned that MD's management of a patient with pseudocyesis (hysterical pregnancy) may have fallen below accepted standards	Public letter of concern issued
<b>HEARN, Andrew Taylor, MD</b> (200600019) Burlington, NC	11/09/2009	MD arrested for DWI in Jan. 2008 in Naples, FL, and pled "no contest" to DWI in June 2009	Public letter of concern issued
<b>KHOT, Prakash Nilkanth, MD</b> (000019016) King, NC	12/14/2009	Board is concerned that MD closed his practice without adequate notice to patients	Public letter of concern issued
<b>KLINE, David Erwin, MD</b> (200902065) Englewood, CO	12/09/2009	MD withheld pertinent information from NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>MCCUTCHEN, William III, DO</b> (200501619) Loris, SC	12/18/2009	MD failed to disclose a malpractice payment when completing his annual license renewal. He failed to disclose that a malpractice case was pending.	Public letter of concern issued
<b>OKOH, James Ikemefuna, MD</b> (200701576) Eden Prairie, MN	01/13/2010	The Board is concerned that MD, performed a wrong site surgery.	Public letter of concern issued
<b>PADDOCK, Heather Noelle, MD</b> (2009-02086) Durham, NC	12/14/2009	MD disciplined in FL for alleged failure to properly monitor a patient during placement of a chest tube	Public letter of concern issued
<b>ROLLS, Jason Andrew, MD</b> (200902112) Greenville, NC	12/22/2009	MD failed to accurately answer a question on his NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>SHADZEKA, Edwin, MD</b> (201000124) Hyattsville, MD	01/27/2010	Withheld material information from his NC medical license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>SKUDLARICK, John Lewis, MD</b> (000022515) Rutherfordton, NC	11/17/2009	The Board is concerned that, following a pacemaker insertion, MD failed to remove a guidewire	Public letter of concern issued
<b>THAMPY, Unnikrishnan Narayanan, MD</b> (200902054) Greensboro, NC	12/07/2009	MD withheld pertinent information from NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>VELASQUEZ, Indira, MD</b> (200902007) Teaneck, NJ	11/24/2009	MD did not accurately answer a question on her NC license application	Public letter of concern issued
<b>YAGGER, Scott David, DO</b> (200800677) Land O'Lakes, FL	01/14/2010	The Board is concerned about the quality of care MD provided to a patient who presented to the emergency room with chest pain	Public letter of concern issued

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