

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

North Carolina Medical Board

December 12, 2024

**3127 Smoketree Court
Raleigh, North Carolina**

The North Carolina Medical Board held its scheduled December 2024 meeting at its offices at 3127 Smoketree Court, Raleigh, NC 27604. Devdutta G. Sangvai, M.D., J.D., MBA, President and Presiding Officer, called the meeting to order on Thursday, December 12, 2024, at 8:02 a.m. Board members participating were: Devdutta G. Sangvai, M.D., J.D., MBA; Board President and Presiding Officer; Candace A. Bradley, D.O., MBA; J. Nelson Dollar, M.A.; W. Howard Hall, M.D.; Mark A. Newell, M.D., MMM; Miguel A. Pineiro, PA-C, MHPE; Anuradha Rao-Patel, M.D.; and Robert L. Rich, Jr., M.D. Also attending was Ms. Shannon Joseph, Independent Counsel, who assisted the Board.

Presidential Remarks:

Dr. Sangvai commenced the meeting by reminding the Board members of their duty to avoid conflicts of interest with respect to any matters coming before the Board as required by the State Government Ethics Act.

Dr. Bradley was recused from the hearing on the matter of Anne Litton White, M.D. No other recusals were noted for the record.

HEARINGS

WHITE, DIANE CAROL, M.D. – Fayetteville, North Carolina

The Board was represented by Mr. Marcus Jimison. Dr. White appeared virtually via Microsoft Teams and represented herself.

As a preliminary matter, Dr. White requested additional time to retain legal counsel and prepare for the hearing. Additionally, Dr. White agreed to waive the thirty-day period for a hearing and acknowledged that the summary suspension would remain in effect until such time as a hearing on the Order of Summary Suspension of License could be held.

The Board President and Presiding Officer, in consultation with Independent Counsel, granted a continuance of the hearing until a future day and time to be determined by the Board.

WHITE, ANNE LITTON, M.D. – Bermuda Run, North Carolina

The Board was represented by Ms. Bettina Roberts. Dr. White was represented by Mr. Joshua Walthall.

Dr. White's reinstatement application for a North Carolina medical license was denied pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stats. §§ 90-14(a)(6), 90-14(a)(11a), and 90-14(a)(13) on August 14, 2024. Dr. White requested a formal hearing before the Board.

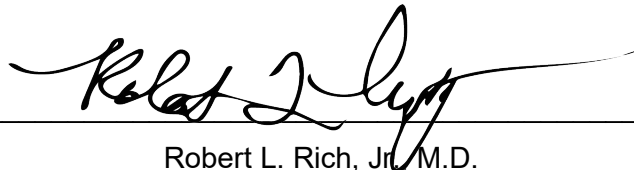
Following a hearing, the Board found that:

1. Each and every disciplinary action entered in connection with Dr. White, as stipulated and entered into evidence, was a basis to deny her application for a license to practice medicine within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-14(a)(13).
2. Dr. White did not satisfy the qualifications for licensure by the North Carolina Medical Board pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-14.1.

The Board voted to uphold the denial of Dr. White's reinstatement application for a North Carolina medical license.

Adjournment:

This meeting was adjourned at 11:54 a.m., December 12, 2024.



Robert L. Rich, Jr. M.D.

Secretary/Treasurer