Alabama BME Newsletter and Report

Report of Public Actions of the Medical Licensure Commission and Board of Medical Examiners

Medical Licensure Commission April 2007

None to date.

Board of Medical Examiners April 2007

- ◆ On April 11, 2007, the Board accepted the voluntary surrender of the certificate of qualification and license to practice medicine in Alabama of **Samuel W. Beenken**, **MD**, license number MD.15438, Montevallo, AL.
- ◆ On April 20, 2007, the Board entered an Order removing all restrictions on the certificate of qualification for a license to practice medicine in Alabama of Joe Frank Howell, MD, license number MD.5737, Prattville, AL.
- ◆ On March 31, 2007, Oliver Wilson Crawford Jr., MD, license number MD.28100, Ozark, AL, entered voluntary restrictions against his certificate of qualification for a license to practice medicine in Alabama. This action was effective April 25, 2007, the date of initial licensure.

Medical Licensure Commission May 2007

- ◆ On May 16, 2007, the Commission entered an Order terminating the probationary status of the license to practice medicine in Alabama of William J. Lupinacci, MD, license number MD.10601, Bessemer, AL.
- ◆ On May 22, 2007, the Commission entered a Consent Order placing on probation the license to practice medicine or osteopathy in Alabama of Paul A. Brundage, DO, license number DO.699, Cleveland, TN.
- ◆ On May 24, 2007, the Commission granted the application for reinstatement of license of Janie T. Bush Teschner, MD, license number MD.14227, Gadsden, AL, subject to the condition that she shall not actively engage in the practice of medicine except within the confines of a residency or other training program.

Board of Medical Examiners May 2007

◆ On May 16, 2007, the Board denied the application for a certificate of qualification to practice medicine in Alabama of John T.
Mazzeo, MD, Irving, TX. Dr.
Mazzeo has appealed the Board's decision to the Medical Licensure Commission.

Medical Licensure Commission June 2007

◆ On June 11, 2007, the Commission entered an Order removing the probationary status of the license to practice medicine in Alabama of **Julian H. Fields, MD**, license number MD.23125, Gilbertown, AL, subject only to the condition that he shall not practice obstetrics.

Board of Medical Examiners June 2007

◆ On June 20, 2007, the Board accepted the voluntary surrender of the certificate of qualification and license to practice medicine in Alabama of Samuel Nick Shaw, MD, license number MD.23886, Brandon, MS. Dr. Shaw is no longer authorized to practice medicine in Alabama.

For some patients, though conscious that their condition is perilous, recover their health simply through their contentment with the goodness of the physician.

- Hippocrates

Notice regarding CME:

Physicians and PAs are required to maintain documentation of CME attendance and hours earned for a minimum of three years. More information can be obtained from the Newsletter Links section of the Board's website, www.albme.org.

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