

**SANCTIONS
JUNE 2011**

Michael Adam, P.A., No License

Area of Practice: Physician Assistant (Martinez, GA)

Application for Licensure denied. The Board determined that there are sufficient grounds for denial of applicant's application for licensure. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

Prafull K. Dave, M.D., License #: D20922

Area of Practice: Neurology (Frederick, MD)

Reprimand; Probation with terms and conditions. The Board found that the physician failed to meet the standards of quality medical care and failed to keep adequate medical records in six patients reviewed. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

John R. Durocher, M.D., License #: D13205

Area of Practice: Internal Medicine (Rock Hall, MD)

Suspension for 3 months, then probation for a minimum of two years with a permanent prescribing restriction and additional terms and conditions. The Board found that the physician failed to meet the standards of quality medical care and failed to keep adequate medical records in eleven pain management patients reviewed. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

Maria C. Gaviria, M.D., License #: D32744

Area of Practice: Internal Medicine (Crownsville, MD)

Termination of probationary terms and conditions imposed by the Consent Order, dated February 26, 2009. The physician has successfully complied with the terms and conditions precedent. Date of Action: June 2, 2011

James L. Hooper, M.D., License #: D08910

Area of Practice: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (Owings Mills, MD)

Summary Suspension is terminated. Suspension for one year from the date of the order; upon termination of the suspension, Probation for a minimum of 2 years with conditions including limitations on prescribing CDS, supervision for a minimum of one year and a chart and/or peer review. The Board found that the physician prescribed drugs for illegitimate medical purposes, is guilty of unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine and that he is professionally incompetent to practice pain medicine. The physician repeatedly provided his patients with prescriptions for large amounts of Controlled Dangerous Substances, failed to perform or document any physical examination, and prescribed CDS without sufficient medical justification. Date of Action: June 7, 2011

Hani Jereis, R.T., No License

Area of Practice: Respiratory Therapist (Yonkers, NY)

Application for Licensure denied. The Board determined that there are sufficient grounds for denial of applicant's application for licensure. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

Herbert L. Muncie, Jr., M.D., License #: D14622

Area of Practice: Family Practice (Kenner, LA)

Termination of probationary terms and conditions imposed by the order dated May 22, 2008. The physician has successfully complied with the terms and conditions precedent. Date of Action: June 2, 2011

John D. Paulson, M.D., License #: D38946

Area of Practice: Obstetrics & Gynecology (Gaithersburg, MD)

Summary Suspension issued on April 4, 2011, is terminated. Suspension for 6 months with terms and conditions; if suspension is lifted, probation for a minimum of 5 years with an on-going prescribing restriction and additional terms and conditions. The Board found that the physician prescribed drugs for illegal or illegitimate medical purposes, is guilty of unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine and that he is professionally incompetent to practice pain medicine. The physician repeatedly prescribed high-dose opioid medications in the absence of medical necessity. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

Marc S. Posner, M.D., License #: D19640

Area of Practice: Family Practice & Geriatric Medicine (Baltimore, MD)

Suspension for 1 year, with an active suspension for a minimum of 6 months. Fine of \$10,000. After active suspension, Probation for a minimum of 2 years with an on-going prescribing restriction and additional terms and conditions. The Board found that the physician failed to meet the standards of quality medical care in three patients reviewed, failed to keep adequate medical records in two patients reviewed and violated a prior Consent Order by prescribing chronic pain medication in three patients reviewed. Date of Action: June 22, 2011

Robert J. Reynolds, M.D., License #: D61054

Area of Practice: Internal Medicine (Candler, NC)

Suspension, which was immediately stayed, is terminated. On December 31, 2008, based upon a disciplinary action by the North Carolina Medical Board, the physician entered into a Consent Order under which his medical license was suspended, but the suspension was immediately stayed. Date of Action: June 2, 2011

Donald C. Roane, M.D., License #: D10698

Area of Practice: Family Practice (Annapolis, MD)

Revocation; Summary Suspension issued on May 21, 2010 is terminated. The Board found the physician guilty of immoral conduct and unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine based upon sexual misconduct. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

William J. Roe, Jr., M.D., License #: D29579

Area of Practice: General Surgery (Baltimore, MD)

Termination of Consent Order dated January 6, 2011. The physician has successfully complied with the conditions imposed by the Consent Order dated January 6, 2011. Date of Action: June 14, 2011

Sam V. Sydney, M.D., License #: D30008

Area of Practice: Orthopedic Surgery (Baltimore, MD)

Probation for a minimum of 1 year with terms and conditions. The Board found that the physician failed to meet the standards of quality medical care in one patient reviewed. Date of Action: June 27, 2011

Nicola Tauraso, M.D., License #: D11324

Area of Practice: Pediatrics (Frederick, MD)

Permanent Revocation and a fine of \$50,000. The Board found that the physician prescribed drugs for illegal or illegitimate medical purposes, is guilty of unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine and that he is professionally incompetent to practice pain medicine. The physician repeatedly provided his patients with prescriptions for large amounts of CDS that they requested, in the absence of any illness that would reasonably call for those prescriptions, and in the absence of an adequate medical examination. Date of Action: June 9, 2011

Gerard M. Toso, M.D., No License

Area of Practice: Internal Medicine (Alexandria, VA)

Application for Licensure denied. The Board determined that there are sufficient grounds for denial of applicant's application for licensure. Date of Action: June 23, 2011

Brian C. Wallace, M.D., License #: D31136

Area of Practice: Internal Medicine (Baltimore, MD)

Reprimand; Probation for a minimum of 1 year with terms and conditions; Fine of \$5,000.

The Board found the physician guilty of unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine and that the physician failed to meet the standards of quality medical care and failed to keep adequate medical records in three patients reviewed. Date of Action: June 28, 2011

David J. Zuckerman, M.D., License #: D38315

Area of Practice: Obstetrics & Gynecology (Miami Beach, FL)

Letter of Surrender. The physician decided to surrender his license due to a medical disability and to avoid complying with the probationary terms of a prior Board Consent Order. Date of Action: June 23, 2011