

## DISCIPLINARY ACTION REPORT

NASHVILLE, Tenn. -- Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-114 requires the Tennessee Department of Health to issue a monthly media release listing all disciplinary actions taken by the health related boards during the prior month. Below is a list of actions taken in June 2014. *Detailed information about disciplinary actions is available on our website at <http://health.state.tn.us/Licensure/index.htm>. Enter the name of the person. When the license information comes up, click either "disciplinary action" or "adverse licensure action" in the right column.*

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### **BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

Licensee: Diane Abbey, DDS, Memphis  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Kimberly Abbott, RDH, Gallatin  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Ila Black, RDA, Luttrell  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Angela Bishop, RDA, Ashland City  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: William D. Campbell, DDS, Seymour  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Sheila Chapman, RDH, Lakeland  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Jenifer Comer, RDH, Westmoreland  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Rachel Daugherty, RDA, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Lisa Doyle, RDH, Franklin  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits

Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Denea Eubanks, RDA, Antioch  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Adeola Faleye, DDS, Memphis  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Kimberly Hackett, RDH, Manchester  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Catherine Jones, RDH, Covington  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$525 civil penalty

Licensee: Robert Jordan, DDS, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Irene Kossa, RDA, Mount Juliet  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$250 civil penalty

Licensee: Stephanie Langston, RDA, Rossville, GA  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$50 civil penalty

Licensee: Dana Lasley, DA, Hixson  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$200 civil penalty

Licensee: Lezley Mcilveen, DDS, VA  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Wendi Meagher, RDH, Chattanooga  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Elizabeth Mitchell, DDS, Memphis  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Miranda Morrow, RDH, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Kayla Newson, RDA, Mount Pleasant

Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Vanessa Numikoski, RDA, Spring Hill  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Mandy Raines, RDA, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Jessica Ricks, RDA, Horn Lake, MS  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Crystal Rigsby, RDH, Old Hickory  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$300 civil penalty

Licensee: Corinne Scott, RDA, Russellville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Scott Self, DDS, Dyersburg  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Arlene Smith, RDA, Byhalia, MS  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Matthew R. Snyder, DDS, Bristol  
Violation: Unlawfully permitting a licensed dental hygienist, registered dental assistant and/or practical dental assistant operating under that dentist's supervision to perform any acts or services other than those authorized by the practice act.  
Action: License reprimanded, assessed \$1,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Lena Starks, RDA, Jackson  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Jennifer L. Stites, RDA, Spring Hill  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto or any criminal statute of the state of Tennessee  
Action: License reprimanded

Licensee: Gary D. Stump, DMD, Morristown  
Violation: Convicted of a felony  
Action: License placed probation for five years, assessed \$5,000 civil penalty

Licensee: Elisha Taylor, RDA, Shelbyville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: R. Keith Thetford, DDS, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

Licensee: Amber Turner, RDA, Chattanooga  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty

Licensee: Lynn Turri, RDA, Memphis  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$150 civil penalty

Licensee: Phyllis Williams, RDH, Greeneville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$450 civil penalty

Licensee: Christopher Young, DDS, Nashville  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits  
Action: Assessed \$600 civil penalty

### **BOARD OF MASSAGE LICENSURE**

Licensee: A Touch of a Feather Day Spa, Establishment, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Operating a massage establishment on a lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$400 civil penalty

Licensee: Denise Barnhill, LMT, Paris\*  
Violation: Practicing on a lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$1,600 civil penalty

Licensee: Aubrey Boyd, LMT, Memphis\*\*  
Violation: Failed to maintain sufficient continuing education credits; guilty of fraud in the practice of massage or fraud or deceit in the licensee's admission to the practice of massage  
Action: License reinstated with conditions; assessed \$775 civil penalty

Licensee: Jeffrey Scott Hackler, LMT, Knoxville  
Violation: Unethical or unprofessional conduct; violation of TENN. COMP. R. & REGS 0870-01-.19(1)  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered; assessed \$500 civil penalty plus costs

Licensee: Merle Norman Massage & Gifts, Establishment, Paris  
Violation: Operating a massage establishment on a lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$1,800 civil penalty

Licensee: Angie Spears, LMT, Savannah  
Violation: Practicing on a lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$1,100 civil penalty

Licensee: Nakia Swafford, LMT, Chattanooga  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Sarah Welch, LMT, Chattanooga  
Violation: Practicing on a lapsed license  
Action: Assessed \$500 civil penalty

*\*Licensee disciplined in May 2014*

*\*\* Licensee disciplined in February 2014*

### **BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Licensee: Odie Battles, Jr., MD, Memphis  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

### **BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS' COMMITTEE ON PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS**

Licensee: Larry Sims, PA, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

### **BOARD OF NURSING**

Licensee: Kimberly Adorno, LPN, Clarksville  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Heather Ashe, RN (Revoked), Dyersburg  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: Continued on revocation with suspension, as a secondary action, for failure to pay child support

Licensee: Lisa Ball-Bowen, LPN, Gatlinburg  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Brandy Carroll, LPN, Waynesboro  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Vicky L. Carter, LPN, Bluff City  
Violation: Violation of Board Order  
Action: License revoked

Licensee: Jason Cates, RN, Maynardville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Jamie Coleman, LPN, Hixson  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Tabatha Cook, RN, Hendersonville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Dwight S. Cullen, LPN, Gallatin  
Violation: Unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties; mentally incompetent; has violated or attempted to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisted in or abetted the violation of or conspired to violate any provision of this chapter or any lawful order of the board issued pursuant thereto; and unprofessional conduct, to wit: intentionally or negligently causing a physical or emotional injury to a patient; abandoning or neglecting a patient requiring nursing care; use of any intoxicating beverage or the illegal use of any narcotic or dangerous drug while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; being under the influence of alcoholic beverages, or under the influence of drugs which impair judgment while on duty in any health care facility, school, institution or other work place location; and engaging in acts of dishonesty which relate to the practice of nursing  
Action: License summarily suspended

Licensee: Eric Dance, LPN, Philadelphia, PA  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Heather Dickey, LPN, Knoxville  
Violation: Violation of Board Order  
Action: Stay of revocation lifted; license revoked

Licensee: Heather Farley, RN, Soddy Daisy  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Leanne M. Hardin, LPN, Erin  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Christie B. Harrington, LPN, Greenfield  
Violation: Violation of Board Order  
Action: Stay of revocation lifted; license revoked

Licensee: Samantha Hensley, RN, Knoxville  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Nikki Jackson, RN, Stevenson, AL  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kelly McGhee, RN, Oliver Springs  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Melinda McGrath, LPN, Burlison  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Christie McSwain, LPN, Madison  
Violation: Failed to pay child support  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Michael Slayman, LPN, Dickson  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Kyle James Simmons, LPN, Spring Hill, FL  
Violation: Certified copy of a final order from the disciplining state shall constitute *prima facie* evidence of a violation of this section and shall be sufficient grounds upon which to deny the license or application, pursuant to T.C.A. 63-1-120; and unprofessional conduct, to wit: guilty of a crime; unfit or incompetent by reason of negligence, habits or other cause; addicted to alcohol or drugs to the degree of interfering with nursing duties  
Action: Application for licensure as a practical nurse denied

Licensee: Terry Stone, Jr., RN, Ringgold, GA  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Cason Tallent, RN, Franklin  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Regina Carol Wilhoit, RN, Mosheim  
Violation: Violation of Board Order  
Action: Stay of revocation lifted; license revoked

#### **BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Licensee: Stacy L. Arrigo, Podorthist, Morristown\*  
Violation: Failed to timely renew license

Action: Assessed \$1,100 civil penalty

Licensee: Lennie A. Furr, Pedorthist, Hixon

Violation: Failed to timely renew license

Action: Assessed \$100 civil penalty

*\*Licensee disciplined in February 2014*

**BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS, MARITAL FAMILY THERAPISTS AND  
LICENSED CLINICAL PASTORAL THERAPISTS**

Licensee: Helen S. Goff, LPC, Nashville

Violation: Practicing on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$2,200 civil penalty

Licensee: Robin E. Turnmire, LMFT, Maryville

Violation: Practicing on an expired license

Action: Assessed \$900 civil penalty

**BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

Licensee: Jerry A. Strong, CAET, Memphis

Violation: Failed to pay child support

Action: License suspended

**DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

Licensee: Geoffrey A. Alford, EMT-IV, Cosby

Violation: Guilty of a crime

Action: License reprimanded and placed on probation for 1 year

Licensee: Michael W. Baltz, EMT-P, Mount Juliet

Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and violation of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 140 or any rule promulgated by the Board

Action: EMT-P instructor/Coordinator license voluntarily surrendered, EMT-P licenses suspended with terms

Licensee: Ronald E. Bielling, III, EMT-P, McMinnville

Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care

Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Stacey Bonner, EMT-P, McMinnville  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect he delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Daniel J. Brock, EMT-IV, New Tazewell\*  
Violation: Guilty of a crime  
Action: License voluntarily surrendered

Licensee: Cynthia E. Chaffin, EMT-P, Cookeville  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part; and failure to report patient care which accurately reflects the evaluation and treatment of each patient  
Action: License is reprimanded and placed on probation with terms

Licensee: Michael K. Culling, EMT-P, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect he delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: William S. Durkin, Jr., EMT-IV, Murfreesboro  
Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
Action: License suspended

Licensee: Rome R. Gregory, EMT-P, Memphis  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board  
Action: License revoked

Licensee: Christina Coleman McIntyre, EMT-P, Memphis  
Violation: Violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect he delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
Action: License placed on probation to run concurrent with TnPAP

Licensee: Graham L. Morris, EMT-IV, Collierville  
Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other

drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
 Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Robert K. Mullicane, EMR, Smyrna  
 Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
 Action: License suspended

Licensee: Joseph E. Robinson, EMT-IV, Millington  
 Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
 Action: License suspended with terms

Licensee: Stefanie M. Short-Gentry, EMT-IV, Ooltewah  
 Violation: Failed to pay student loan  
 Action: License suspended

Licensee: Timothy J. Thrift, EMT-IV, Kingsport  
 Violation: Unethical practices or conduct; violation or attempted violation or assisting in or abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision of this part or any rule or regulation of the board; and habitual intoxication or personal misuse of any drugs or the use of intoxicating liquors, narcotics, controlled substances or other drugs or stimulants in such a manner as to adversely affect the delivery, performance or activities in the care of the patients requiring medical care  
 Action: License revoked

*\*Licensee disciplined in April 2014*

### **ABUSE REGISTRY**

Name: Rodney Ellison  
 Abuse: Supervision Neglect  
 Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Edward Dewayne Fisher  
 Abuse: Physical/Emotional  
 Profession: Psychiatric Technician

Name: Tomeka Ra'Shawn Fleming  
 Abuse: Misappropriation  
 Profession: CNA (Revoked)

Name: Pamela Gray  
 Abuse: Financial Exploitation  
 Profession: Private Employee

Name: Dorothy Howard  
Abuse: Physical/Verbal  
Profession: Caregiver

Name: John Jarnigan  
Abuse: Physical  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Ronald Mandela Olwal  
Abuse: Physical/Treatment Neglect  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Gertrude Marie Palmer  
Abuse: Theft/Misappropriation  
Profession: CNA (Revoked)

Name: Thomas Daniel Robinson  
Abuse: Supervision/Treatment Neglect  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Hayley Shelton  
Abuse: Neglect  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Chressa Thomas  
Abuse: Emotional/Psychological  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Cynthia Uwajimgba  
Abuse: Neglect  
Profession: Caregiver

Name: Madeline Wells a/d/a Madeline Mischelle Miles  
Abuse: Supervision and Communication Neglect  
Profession: Personal Assistant and CNA (Revoked)

Name: Eric Williams  
Abuse: Physical/Emotional/Psychological/Treatment Neglect  
Profession: Direct Support Staff

Name: Jaylene Williams  
Abuse: Supervision Neglect  
Profession: Independent Support Coordinator

Name: Michael Wilson  
Abuse: Sexual  
Profession: Jailer