

In the Matter of

AGREED

Vocational Nurse License Number 176304

issued to ELVA GLORIA TREVINO

ORDER

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of ELVA GLORIA TREVINO, Vocational Nurse License Number 176304, hereinafter referred to as Respondent.

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Information received by the Board produced evidence that Respondent may be subject to discipline pursuant to Section 302.402(a)(2)&(10)(effective 9/1/2001), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order approved by Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director, on June 18, 2012.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Prior to the institution of Agency proceedings, notice of the matters specified below in these Findings of Fact was served on Respondent and Respondent was given an opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license(s).
- 2. Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
- 3. Respondent is currently licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.
- 4. Respondent received a Certificate in Vocational Nursing from Midland College, Midland, Texas, on May 10, 2000. Respondent was licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas on June 27, 2000.
- 5. Respondent's nursing employment history is unknown.

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6. On or about April 14, 2002, Respondent submitted an Application for Examination for License to the Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas in which she provided false, deceptive, and/or misleading information, in that she answered "No" to the question:

"Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor other than a minor traffic violation?"

On or about January 9, 1997, Respondent pled Guilty and was convicted of DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED, a Class B misdemeanor offense committed on December 26, 1996, in the County Court at Law of Midland County, Texas, under Cause No. CR74859. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was sentenced to confinement in the Midland County Jail for a period of ninety (90) days; however, imposition of the sentence of confinement was suspended, and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of one (1) year, and ordered to pay a fine and court costs.

On or about February 19, 1998, Respondent pled Nolo Contendere and was convicted of NO LIABILITY INSURANCE, a misdemeanor offense committed on February 4, 1998, in the County Court at Law of Midland County, Texas, under Cause No. 79026. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was ordered to pay a fine.

On or about April 2, 1998, Respondent pled Not Guilty and was convicted of DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED, a misdemeanor offense committed on February 4, 1998, in the County Court at Law of Midland County, Texas, under Cause No. 79027. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was ordered to pay a fine.

7. In response to Finding of Fact Number Six (6), Respondent states she was at her parent's house Christmas day, they were having a get together with family. She consumed alcohol. On her way home she was pulled over and arrested for DWI. At the time she thought she was able to drive and didn't know what a huge mistake she was making. She paid multiple fines, her driving license was suspended, she did community service and completed probation. She did everything the court asked her to do. In 1998 her driving license was still suspended, but because at the time she was a single parent she was having to pick up her son from day care. She was again pulled over and charged with driving without a license and no insurance. At the time she was still paying probation fees. She was not able to pay for her insurance. Times were hard. She made a lot of mistakes all that she learned from.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code, Sections 301.451-301.555, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter.

- 2. Notice was served in accordance with law.
- 3. The evidence received is sufficient to prove violation(s) of 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §239.11(8)&(29)(A)(effective through 9/28/2004.
- 4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(2)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Vocational Nurse License Number 176304, heretofore issued to ELVA GLORIA TREVINO, including revocation of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED that RESPONDENT SHALL receive the sanction of a REMEDIAL EDUCATION AND A FINE, and RESPONDENT SHALL comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Texas Occupations Code §§301.001 et seq., the Rules and Regulations Relating to Nurse Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §211.1 et seq. and this Order.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that, while under the terms of this Order, this Order SHALL apply to any and all future licenses issued to Respondent to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that while Respondent's license(s) is/are encumbered by this Order, Respondent may not work outside the State of Texas pursuant to a nurse licensure compact privilege without the written permission of the State of Texas and the Board of Nursing in the party state where Respondent wishes to work.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED that:

(1) RESPONDENT SHALL, within one (1) year of entry of this Order, successfully complete a course in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics. RESPONDENT SHALL obtain Board approval of the course prior to enrollment only if the course is not being offered by a pre-approved provider. Home study courses and video programs will not be approved. In order for the course to be approved, the target audience shall include nurses. It shall be a minimum of six (6) hours in length. The course's content shall include the Nursing Practice Act, standards of practice, documentation of care, principles of nursing ethics, confidentiality, professional boundaries, and the Board's Disciplinary Sanction Policies regarding: Sexual Misconduct; Fraud, Theft and Deception; Nurses with Substance Abuse, Misuse, Substance Dependency, or other Substance Use Disorder; and Lying and Falsification. Courses focusing on malpractice issues will not be accepted. RESPONDENT SHALL CAUSE the sponsoring institution to submit a Verification of Course Completion form, provided by the Board, to the Office of the Board to verify RESPONDENT'S successful completion of the course. This course shall be taken in addition to any other courses stipulated in this Order, if any, and in addition to any continuing education requirements the Board has for relicensure. Board-approved courses may be found at the following Board website address: http://www.bon.texas.gov/disciplinaryaction/stipscourses.html.

(2) RESPONDENT SHALL pay a monetary fine in the amount of two hundred fifty (\$250.00) dollars. RESPONDENT SHALL pay this fine within forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order. Payment is to be made directly to the Texas Board of Nursing in the form of cashier's check or U.S. money order. Partial payments will not be accepted.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED, that upon full compliance with the terms of this Order, all encumbrances will be removed from RESPONDENT'S license(s) to practice nursing in the State

of Texas and RESPONDENT shall be eligible for nurse licensure compact privileges, if any. BALANCE OF THIS PAGE INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK.

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RESPONDENT'S CERTIFICATION

I understand that I have the right to legal counsel prior to signing this Agreed Order. I waive representation by counsel. I have reviewed this Order. I neither admit nor deny the violation(s) alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Order, and any conditions of said Order, to avoid further disciplinary action in this matter. I waive judicial review of this Order. I understand that when this Order becomes final and the terms of this Order become effective, a copy will be mailed to me. I understand that if I fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, I will be subject to investigation and disciplinary sanction, including revocation of my license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

Signed this 12th day of October, 2012.

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ELVA GLORIA TREVINO, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of October, 2012

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Notary Public, State of Texas
My Commission Expires
May 31, 2014

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WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the <a href="https://linear.nih.google.com/linear.nih.goog



Effective this 16th day of October, 2012.

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN

Executive Director on behalf

of said Board