

I do hereby certify this to be a complete, accurate, and true copy of the document which is on file or is of record in the offices of the Texas Board of Nursing.

IN THE MATTER OF PERMANENT § BEFORE THE TEXAS  
PERMANENT REGISTERED NURSE § BOARD OF NURSING  
LICENSE NUMBER 786784 §  
ISSUED TO STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN, § ELIGIBILITY AND  
RESPONDENT § DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

**ORDER OF THE BOARD**

TO: STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN  
2300 KATHRYN LN #1817  
PLANO, TX 75025

During open meeting held in Austin, Texas, on February 10, 2015, the Texas Board of Nursing Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee (hereinafter "Committee") heard the above-styled case, based on the failure of the Respondent to appear as required by 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that notice of the facts or conduct alleged to warrant disciplinary action has been provided to Respondent in accordance with Texas Government Code § 2001.054(c) and Respondent has been given an opportunity to show compliance with all the requirements of the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301 of the Texas Occupations Code, for retention of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

The Committee finds that the Formal Charges were properly initiated and filed in accordance with section 301.458, Texas Occupations Code.

The Committee finds that after proper and timely Notice regarding the violations alleged in the Formal Charges was given to Respondent in this matter, Respondent has failed to appear in accordance with 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that the Board is authorized to enter a default order pursuant to Texas Government Code § 2001.056.

The Committee, after review and due consideration, adopts the proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law as stated in the Formal Charges which are attached hereto and incorporated by reference for all purposes and the Staff's recommended sanction of revocation by default. This Order

will be properly served on all parties and all parties will be given an opportunity to file a motion for rehearing [22 TEX. ADMIN.CODE § 213.16(j)]. All parties have a right to judicial review of this Order.

All proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law filed by any party not specifically adopted herein are hereby denied.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 786784, previously issued to STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN, to practice nursing in the State of Texas be, and the same is/are hereby, REVOKED.

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

Entered this 10th day of February, 2015.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



BY:

KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN, FAAN  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

Attachment: Formal Charge filed December 2, 2014.

d17r(2014.12.05)

Re: Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 786784  
Issued to STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN  
DEFAULT ORDER - REVOKE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the \_\_\_\_ day of February, 2015, a true and correct copy of the foregoing DEFAULT ORDER was served and addressed to the following person(s), as follows:

Via USPS Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested

STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN  
2300 KATHRYN LN #1817  
PLANO, TX 75025

and

Via USPS First Class Mail

STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN  
5000 WHITESTONE LANE, APT 1414  
PLANO, TX 75024

BY:



KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN, FAAN  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

In the Matter of  
Permanent Registered Nurse  
License Number 786784  
Issued to STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN,  
Respondent

§  
§  
§  
§  
§

BEFORE THE TEXAS  
  
BOARD OF NURSING

### FORMAL CHARGES

This is a disciplinary proceeding under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent, STEFANIE MICHELLE ANDERSEN, is a Registered Nurse holding License Number, 786784 which is in current status at the time of this pleading.

Written notice of the facts and conduct alleged to warrant adverse licensure action was sent to Respondent at Respondent's address of record and Respondent was given opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license prior to commencement of this proceeding.

#### CHARGE I.

On or about April 25, 2012, and April 28, 2012, while employed as a Registered Nurse with the Medical Center of McKinney, McKinney, Texas, Respondent withdrew Dilaudid from the Medication Dispensing System, but failed to follow the facility's policy and procedure for the wastage of any of the unused portions of the medications, in that the Respondent wasted the remaining portions of the medications after her shift had ended, as follows:

Date	Patient	Narc Log	Waste
4/25/12	JK	2mg Dilaudid @ 1213	1mg Dilaudid @ 2020
4/28/12	MF	2mg Dilaudid @ 1726	1.5mg Dilaudid @ 1937

On April 25, 2012, Respondent clocked out at 1849.  
On April 28, 2012, Respondent clocked out at 1926.

Respondent's conduct was likely to deceive the hospital pharmacy and placed them in violation of Chapter 481 of the Texas Health and Safety Code (Controlled Substances Act).

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A) and 217.12(4),(10)(C)&(11)(B).

#### CHARGE II.

On or about May 26, 2012, while employed as a Registered Nurse with the Medical Center of McKinney, McKinney, Texas Respondent falsely documented end of shift vital signs for Patient Medical Record Numbers 44685747, 44716030, 44727179, 44729659, and 44730614, without first assessing the patients. Respondent's conduct resulted in an inaccurate medical record, and was likely to injure the resident in that subsequent care givers did not have accurate information on which

to base their decisions for further care.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A)&(1)(D), and 217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(C)&(4).

### CHARGE III.

On or about February 26, 2014, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Cross Country Trav Corps, Boca Raton, Florida, and on assignment with Baylor Medical Center at McKinney, McKinney, Texas, Respondent lacked fitness to practice professional nursing in that she was observed to be drowsy and incoherent. Respondent was seen exiting the bathroom with a bloody bandage on her wrist and bloody needles and syringes were found in her belongings. Respondent's condition could have affected her ability to recognize subtle signs, symptoms, or changes in patients' conditions, and could have affected her ability to make rational, accurate, and appropriate assessments, judgments, and decisions regarding patient care, thereby placing the patients in potential danger.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(12), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(E),(4)&(5).

### CHARGE IV.

On or about July 30, 2014, Respondent entered a plea of Guilty to and was convicted of THEFT PROP >=\$50<\$500, a Class B Misdemeanor offense committed on or about February 26, 2014, in the Collin County Criminal Court, under Cause No. 001-82422-2014. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was placed on probation for a period of fifteen months (15), and ordered to pay a fine and court costs.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(3)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(13).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that staff will present evidence in support of the recommended disposition of up to, and including, revocation of Respondent's license/s to practice nursing in the State of Texas pursuant to the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301, Texas Occupations Code and the Board's rules, 22 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 213.27 - 213.33 and TEX. OCC. CODE Ch. 53. Additionally, staff will seek to impose on Respondent the administrative costs of the proceeding pursuant to Section 301.461, Texas Occupations Code. The cost of proceedings shall include, but is not limited to, the cost paid by the Board to the State Office of Administrative Hearings and the Office of the Attorney General or other Board counsel for legal and investigative services, the cost of a court reporter and witnesses, reproduction of records, Board staff time, travel, and expenses. These shall be in an amount of at least one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1200.00).

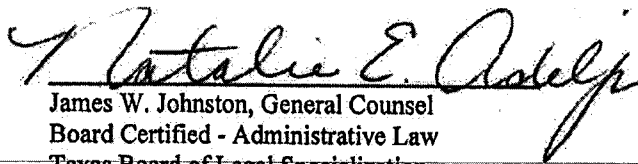
NOTICE IS GIVEN that all statutes and rules cited in these Charges are incorporated as part of this pleading and can be found at the Board's website, [www.bon.texas.gov](http://www.bon.texas.gov).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that to the extent applicable, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on Adopted Disciplinary Guidelines for Criminal Conduct and on Adopted Disciplinary Sanction Policies for Nurses with Substance Abuse, Misuse, Substance Dependency, or other Substance Use Disorder, for Lying and Falsification, for Fraud, Theft and Deception, which can be found at the Board's website, [www.bon.texas.gov](http://www.bon.texas.gov).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on the Disciplinary Matrix, which can be found at [www.bon.texas.gov/disciplinaryaction/discp-matrix.html](http://www.bon.texas.gov/disciplinaryaction/discp-matrix.html).

Filed this 2nd day of December, 20 14.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



James W. Johnston, General Counsel  
Board Certified - Administrative Law  
Texas Board of Legal Specialization  
State Bar No. 10838300

Jena Abel, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 24036103

Natalie E. Adelaja, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 24064715

John R. Griffith, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 24079751

Robert Kyle Hensley, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 50511847

John F. Legris, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 00785533

John Vanderford, Assistant General Counsel  
State Bar No. 24086670

333 Guadalupe, Tower III, Suite 460  
Austin, Texas 78701  
P: (512) 305-6811  
F: (512) 305-8101 or (512)305-7401

D/2014.08.18