

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

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IN RE: JENNIFER M. ANDERSON, L.P.N.
License No.: 0002-076010

AMENDED CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Jennifer M. Anderson, L.P.N., as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Anderson's license to practice practical nursing in Virginia.

The Board adopts the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Jennifer M. Anderson, L.P.N. was issued License No. 0002-076010 to practice practical nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on June 15, 2007. Said license is set to expire on September 30, 2016, her primary state of residence is Virginia
2. During the course of her employment as a practical nurse at Westminster Canterbury of Richmond, Richmond, Virginia, on June 8, 2014, Ms. Anderson instructed a medication aide to increase a resident's dose of Xanax (alprazolam, Schedule IV) from .25 mg to .5 mg, without a physician's order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board finds that Finding of Fact No. 2 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(2) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code") and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(a) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing.

CONSENT

Jennifer M. Anderson, L.P.N., by affixing her signature hereon, agrees to the following:

1. She has been advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;

2. She acknowledges that without her consent, no legal action can be taken against her except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 2.2-4000(A) *et seq.* of the Code;

3. She acknowledges that she has the following rights, among others: the right to an informal fact finding conference before the Board, the right to reasonable notice of said hearing, the right to representation by counsel, and the right to cross-examine witnesses against her;

4. She waives all such right to an informal conference;

5. She admits to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained herein and waives her right to contest such Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in any subsequent proceeding before the Board;

6. She consents to the entry of the following Order affecting her right to practice practical nursing in Virginia.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of his Order, and in lieu of further proceedings, hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. Jennifer M. Anderson, L.P.N. is hereby REPRIMANDED.

2. Ms. Anderson shall provide the Board with verification that she has completed the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (“NCSBN”) course “Professional Accountability & Legal Liability for Nurses” within 90 days of the entry of this Order.

3. Ms. Anderson shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a practical nurse commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 *et seq.* of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

4. Any violation of the terms and conditions of this Order or of any law or regulation affecting the practice of practical nursing, in the Commonwealth of Virginia shall constitute grounds for the suspension or

revocation of the license of Ms. Anderson and an administrative proceeding shall be convened to determine whether such license shall be suspended or revoked.

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P. Douglas

Jay P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E.
Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: April 16th, 2015

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Jennifer M. Anderson
Jennifer M. Anderson, L.P.N.

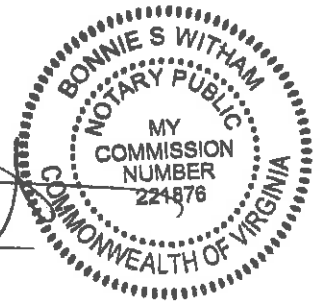
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
COUNTY/CITY OF Richmond, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Bonnie S. Witham, a Notary Public, this 10 day of April, 2015

My commission expires My Commission Expires July 31, 2018

Registration Number 221876

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By Melina Taylor
Virginia Board of Nursing