

VIRGINIA:

VA BD OF NURSING

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

JAMIE DEBAISE, R.N. License No.: 0001-207166

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Jamie DeBaise, R.N., as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. DeBaise's license to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Jamie DeBaise, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-207166 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on June 15, 2007. Said license is set to expire on September 30, 2015. Her primary state of residence is Virginia.
- 2. In a letter dated September 25, 2013, Ms. DeBaise stated that she has been hospitalized on eight occasions over the last five years for suicidal ideation. Ms. DeBaise stated in an interview with a Department of Health Professions investigator on October 17, 2013, that she does not feel like she can return to work.
- 3. From August 19, 2013, to August 22, 2013, Ms. DeBaise was treated at The Pavillion at Williamsburg Place, Williamsburg, Virginia, and had a discharge diagnosis of bipolar disorder type 1, recent episode depressed, severe with psychotic features. Ms. DeBaise entered treatment because of auditory hallucinations telling her to harm herself and others.
- 4. From March 7, 2013, to March 11, 2013, Ms. DeBaise was treated at Chesapeake General Hospital, Chesapeake, Virginia, following an overdose of lithium. She obtained prescriptions for lithium from two different physicians and overdosed on the medication in an attempt to commit suicide. Ms.

DeBaise then entered Riverside Behavioral Health, Hampton, Virginia, on March 12, 2013, to March 18, 2013, under a temporary detention order. Ms. DeBaise was discharged from Riverside Behavioral Health with a diagnosis of depressive disorder, recurrent, severe, without psychotic features and borderline personality disorder.

- 5. On December 4, 2013, Ms. DeBaise signed a Participation Contract with the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program ("HPMP"). On January 6, 2014, she signed a Recovery Monitoring Contract with the HPMP. A compliance report from the HPMP dated March 4, 2014, stated that Ms. DeBaise attends two Caduceus meetings a month and participates in the toxicology screening program. The report further stated that all of Ms. DeBaise's treatment reports have been favorable.
- 6. Ms. DeBaise is currently being treated by a psychiatrist and a counselor. In a letter dated September 25, 2013, Ms. DeBaise's counselor stated that she is not ready for work, but she is doing everything possible to better herself, and she is motivated for treatment.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Findings of Fact Nos. 2, 3 and 4 constitute a violation of § 54.1-3007(6) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").

CONSENT

Jamie DeBaise, R.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 a in 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 professional nursing in Virginia.

ORDER

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

- 1. The Board shall TAKE NO ACTION at this time contingent on Ms. DeBaise's continued compliance with the HPMP for the period specified by the HPMP.
- 2. Any violation of the terms and conditions stated in this Order shall be reason for revoking the license of Ms. DeBaise, and an administrative proceeding shall be held to decide whether her license should be revoked. Ms. DeBaise shall be noticed to appear before the Board at such time as the Board is notified that:
- a. She is not in compliance with the terms and conditions of the HPMP, or has been terminated from participation in the HPMP;
- b. There is a pending investigation or unresolved allegation against Ms. DeBaise involving a violation of law or regulation or any term or condition of this Order; or
- c. Ms. DeBaise has successfully completed the above-referenced period of participation in the HPMP. However, upon receipt of evidence of her participation in and compliance with the HPMP, the Board, at its discretion, may waive her appearance before the Board and conduct an administrative review of this matter.

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3. This Order is applicable to Ms. DeBaise's multistate licensure privileges, if any, to practice professional nursing. For the duration of this Order, Ms. DeBaise shall not work outside of the Commonwealth of Virginia pursuant to a multistate licensure privilege without the written permission of the Virginia Board of Nursing and the Board of Nursing in the party state where she wishes to work. Any

requests for out of state employment should be directed, in writing, to the Executive Director of the Board.

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

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

ENTERED: March 28 201

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	SEEN AND AGREED TO: NOTARY PUBLIC PUBLIC PUBLIC
	Jamie DeBaise, R.N. ** REG. #7555937 ** MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 2/28/2017 EALTH OF
	COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY/CITY OF Chesapeale, TO WIT:
	Subscribed and sworn to before me, Mark Crabtree, a Notary Public, this 24 day of March, 2014.
	My commission expires 2/28/2017
	Registration Number 7555937
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