

IN AND BEFORE THE OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF  
MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel,  
OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF )  
MEDICAL LICENSURE AND )  
SUPERVISION, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
WILLIAM PATRICK MAPPES, M.D. ) CASE NO. 84-6-360  
Medical License No. 10934, )  
Defendant. )

ORDER REINSTATING LICENSE  
UNDER TERMS OF PROBATION

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on September 1, 1990, at the office of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, 5104 N. Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, pursuant to notice given as required by law and the rules of the Board.

Daniel J. Gamino, Attorney, appeared for the Plaintiff; and William Patrick Mappes, M.D., Defendant, appeared in person, pro se, and waived his right to counsel and agreed to proceed without counsel.

The Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision en banc heard testimony, reviewed exhibits, and being fully advised in the premises, the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision finds as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. That Defendant, William Patrick Mappes, M.D., formerly held Oklahoma Medical License No. 10934.
2. That the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision en banc has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein and that notice has been given in all respects as required by law and the rules of the Board.
3. That following notice and hearing on or around October 20, 1989, the Board did suspend Oklahoma Medical License No. 10934 of Defendant, William Patrick Mappes, for a period of 180 days with the provision that during the time of suspension Defendant was to meet with the Oklahoma State Medical Association Physician Recovery Committee and work out details for the Defendant's successful completion of in-patient, substance abuse treatment in a physician-oriented rehabilitation program.
4. That the Defendant presented a letter from Daniel H. Angres, M.D., Executive Director, Parkside Recovery Center of Woodridge, Woodridge, Illinois, indicating that Defendant had successfully completed in-patient treatment from April 17, 1990, to July 13, 1990. Dr. Angres in his letter recommended that Defendant return to active medical practice as soon as possible.
5. Defendant also introduced a letter of July 18, 1990, from J. Darrel Smith, M.D., Director, Physician Recovery Program, Oklahoma State Medical Association, confirming Defendant's

successful completion of the Parkside Recovery Center program and recommending Defendant return to the practice of medicine.

6. That upon successful completion of in-patient treatment at Parkside Recovery Center of Woodridge, Dr. Mappes was diagnosed with an anxiety disorder and benzodiazepines were prescribed. On Dr. Mappes back injury, Dr. Ross Pope was prescribing pain medication for a specific and measurable back injury.

7. That on or around July 26, 1990, the Defendant did receive a Supervised Medical Doctor certificate from the Board Secretary to be effective from 7/26/90 to 9/2/90 to allow Defendant to practice under the supervision of Boyd K. Lester, M.D.

8. That the evidence indicates that the Defendant may be reinstated to his license as a physician and surgeon in Oklahoma, under terms and conditions of probation, that will protect public health, safety and welfare.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That under the legal authority of the Oklahoma Medical Practice Act, 59 O.S. Supp. 1989, Sec. 481 et seq., and the Board's Order of October 20, 1989, the Board has continuing jurisdiction over the Defendant, and has legal authority to reinstate his license.

2. That the evidence presented to the Board indicated that said license may be reinstated under terms and conditions of probation to protect public health, safety and welfare.

#### ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision as follows:

1. That the Defendant's Oklahoma Medical License No. 10934, should be and the same is hereby REINSTATED to the Defendant, William Patrick Mappes, M.D.

2. That Defendant's Oklahoma Medical License is hereby placed on probation to the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision for a period of five (5) years, beginning on September 1, 1990, under the following terms and conditions:

- (a) During the period of probation Defendant will not prescribe, administer or dispense any medications for his personal use, to specifically include controlled dangerous substances.
- (b) During the period of probation Defendant will take no medication except that which is authorized by a physician treating him for a legitimate medical need and Defendant shall have an affirmative duty to inform any physician treating him of Defendant's previous use of cocaine.
- (c) During the period of probation Defendant will abstain from consuming alcohol or any substance, specifically including but not limited to controlled dangerous substances, which would adversely affect his ability to practice medicine or surgery as interpreted by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

- (d) That Defendant may prescribe controlled dangerous substances only on serially numbered, duplicate prescription pads and shall make the copies available to representatives of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision at their request.

Defendant shall not administer or dispense any controlled dangerous substances.

During the period of probation Defendant will submit biological fluid specimens to include, but not limited to, blood and urine, for analysis, upon request of any investigator or other agent representing the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, and Defendant will pay for testing and analysis of those specimens.

During the period of probation Defendant will continue under the regular, psychiatric care of Dr. Boyd Lester and any of Defendant's subsequent behavior which causes Dr. Lester to discharge the Defendant will require an immediate response by the Board and possible revocation, suspension, and/or modification of terms of probation. Hereunder the Defendant does hereby specifically waive the normal physician/patient confidential relationship insofar as authorizing Dr. Lester to communicate records of treatment and conduct to the Board.

During the period of probation Defendant will furnish to the office of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision all current legal addresses and any change of address in writing.

That Defendant shall appear before the Board or a designated member thereof whenever requested to do so.

Defendant recognizes the terms of probation may be revoked at any time if the Board, upon further notice and hearing, concludes that he violated any terms or conditions thereof.

- (k) During the period of probation Defendant will submit to the Investigation Division of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision any required reports and forms on a timely and prompt basis.

Pursuant to Section 26, H.B. 1478, 1987 Legislature, Defendant shall promptly pay upon receipt of invoice from the Investigation Division of the Board the costs of investigation, prosecution and probation of this case.

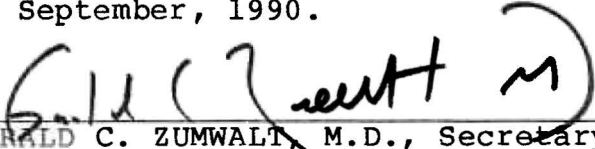
- (m) During the period of probation Defendant shall notify any hospital where he holds staff privileges, or clinic, or group where he practices, of the terms and conditions of this Board Order and supply a copy thereof.

- (n) That violation of any of the terms and conditions of probation shall be grounds for additional charges to be presented to the Board after notice to the Defendant.

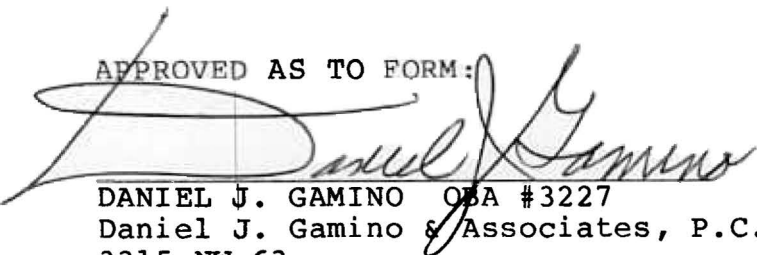
3. That the jurisdiction of the Board in this individual proceeding will continue until the terms and conditions of probation are modified or lifted by the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on their own motion or on the motion of the Defendant.

4. The Defendant further agrees that failure to meet any of the above terms of probation will constitute cause for the Board to initiate additional proceedings to suspend or revoke Defendant's Oklahoma Medical License, after additional due notice and hearing.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1990.

  
GERALD C. ZUMWALT, M.D., Secretary  
State Board of Medical Licensure  
and Supervision

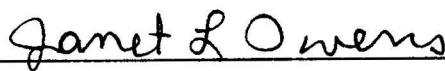
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing instrument was mailed, postage prepaid thereon, this 28 day of September, 1990, to:

WILLIAM PATRICK MAPPE, M.D.  
Drug Recovery, Inc.  
3000 United Founders Blvd., Suite 226  
Oklahoma City, OK 73112

  
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