

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

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
EX REL. THE OKLAHOMA BOARD)
OF MEDICAL LICENSURE)
AND SUPERVISION,)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.)
)
AMAR NATH BHANDARY, M.D.)
LICENSE NO. 19783)
Defendant.)

AUG 30 2013

OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

Case No: 12-02-4502

ORDER OF CONTINUANCE

The undersigned Secretary for the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, in consideration of the Defendant's request for a continuance, enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and orders:

1. Defendant's hearing on the Complaint and Citation pending was initially set for September 12, 2013.
2. Defendant was tried for one week in the United States District Court for the Western District of Oklahoma on 53 counts alleging wrongful death and overprescribing CDS medication. At the end of the week-long trial, the jury deliberated for an additional three full days. At the end of three days of deliberation, the jury was hung on all counts and the Court declared a mistrial.
3. Defendant has already entered a plea of guilty to the criminal allegations of Medicaid fraud in the United States District Court for the Western District of Oklahoma, Case No. CR-2012-77-HE and Defendant is now awaiting sentencing on that guilty plea. The presentence investigation will be forthcoming and formal sentencing is expected in late September or October, 2013.
4. Defendant has voluntarily signed an Agreement not to Practice dated March 12, 2012 which shall remain in full force and effect until this matter has been heard by the Medical Board.
5. For good cause shown, Defendant's request for a continuance is hereby granted and Defendant's hearing is rescheduled before the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision en banc at its next regularly scheduled meeting on

November 7, 2013.

Entered this 29th day of August, 2013.



Gerald C. Zumwalt, M.D.
Secretary and Medical Advisor
Oklahoma State Board of Medical
Licensure and Supervision

Certificate of Service

I certify that on the 30th day of August, 2013, a true and correct copy of this Order was provided via email to Mr. Daniel Camino, Jamestown Office Park, North Building, 3035 NW 63rd Street, Suite 214, Oklahoma City, OK 73116.



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