

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

FILED

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IN THE MATTER OF THE)
APPLICATION OF)
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THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, EX REL.)
THE OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF)
MEDICAL LICENSURE AND)
SUPERVISION,)

OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

ON BEHALF OF

MARK EDWARD RIGNEY, M.D.)

) Case No. 06-01-3053

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FOR MODIFICATION OF)
PROBATION TERMS FOR)
LICENSE NO. 22078)

ORDER MODIFYING PROBATION

This matter came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on September 17, 2009, at the Board office, 5104 N. Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, pursuant to notice given as required by law and rules of the Board.

Elizabeth A. Scott, Assistant Attorney General, appeared on behalf of the State of Oklahoma. Defendant, Mark Edward Rigney, M.D., appeared not.

The Board sitting *en banc* after hearing testimony, reviewing the request and other materials presented, and being fully apprised of the premises, made the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Orders:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Board *en banc* has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein, and notice has been given in all respects as required by law and the rules of the Board.
2. Dr. Rigney currently holds medical license no. 22078 under an indefinite term of probation which began July 23, 2009.
3. On September 17, 2009, the State of Oklahoma, on behalf of Dr. Rigney, requested that the terms of his probation be modified to allow him to practice in a controlled

environment approved in advance by the Board Secretary, rather than limiting his practice to the Urgent Care Plus clinic in Ponca City, Oklahoma.

4. The State presented sufficient evidence to support the requested modification.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW


1. The Board has jurisdiction to hear this matter pursuant to 59 O. S. § 480 *et seq.*
2. The State has presented satisfactory evidence to justify allowing Dr. Rigney to practice in a controlled environment approved in advance by the Board Secretary, rather than limiting his practice to the Urgent Care Plus clinic in Ponca City, Oklahoma.

ORDER

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

1. The State's application to modify the terms of Defendant's probation is **GRANTED**.
2. Dr. Rigney's probation shall continue indefinitely from July 23, 2009 under the terms and conditions set forth in the July 30, 2009 Order, with the exception that Dr. Rigney shall be allowed to practice in a controlled environment approved in advance by the Board Secretary, rather than limiting his practice to the Urgent Care Plus clinic in Ponca City, Oklahoma.
3. Failure to meet any of the terms of this Order will be grounds for the Board to initiate proceedings to suspend or revoke Dr. Rigney's medical license, after additional notice and hearing as required by law.
4. A copy of this written order should be sent to Dr. Rigney as soon as it is processed.

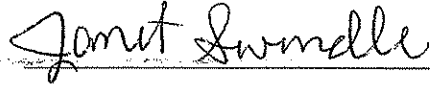
Dated this 9 day of ^{at} ~~September~~₆₂, 2009.



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

Certificate of Service

On the 9 day of ^{Oct}~~September~~, 2009, a true and correct copy of this order was mailed, postage prepaid, to Mark Edward Rigney, 2420 Robin Road, Ponca City, OK 74604.



Janet Swindle