

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, )  
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Plaintiff, )  
v. )  
 )  
DAVID D. SNYDER, M.D. ) CASE NO. 91-03-1161  
Medical License No. 7094, )  
 )  
Defendant. )

FINAL ORDER

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on November 1, 1991, 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 David D. Snyder, M.D., Defendant, appeared in person and by counsel, Mona Lambird, of Andrews, Davis, Legg, Bixler, Milsten & Price, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. That Defendant, David D. Snyder, M.D., holds Oklahoma Medical License No. 7094.

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 the Board heard testimony from the Defendant and statements of counsel and reviewed a letter addressed to Darrell Smith, M.D., dated October 21, 1991, from James W. Blevins, M.D., Georgia Alcohol & Drug Associates, 1669 Phoenix Parkway, Suite 102, Atlanta, Georgia, concerning assessment of possible chemical dependence performed on the Defendant. The letter indicates that Defendant was not found to be chemically dependent.

4. The Board found that terms and conditions of a Voluntary Submittal to Jurisdiction agreed upon by the Defendant was an appropriate disposition of this case and accepted same.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That the Board has jurisdiction in its discretion and judgment over this matter pursuant to the Oklahoma Medical Practice Act, 59 O.S. Supp. 1990, Sec. 481 et seq., and by the Voluntary Submittal to Jurisdiction agreed upon by the Defendant.

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ORDER

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

1. That the Board recognize that the Defendant already voluntarily submitted himself for in-patient evaluation at Talbott/Marsh Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia, and that the outcome of his in-patient evaluation showing him to not be chemically dependent was forwarded to Dr. Darrel Smith and provided to the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

2. That the Defendant, David D. Snyder, M.D., holding Oklahoma Medical License No. 7094, should be and is hereby placed on a term of probation to the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision for a period two (2) years beginning November 1, 1991, 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 testing for substance abuse at Talbott/Marsh Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia.
- (c) During the period of probation Defendant will not prescribe, administer or dispense any medication for his spouse or any immediate family member.
- (d) 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.
- (e) That Defendant shall appear before the Board or a designated member thereof whenever requested to do so.
- (f) 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.
- (g) Pursuant to Section 26, H.B. 1478, 1987 Legislature, Defendant shall promptly pay within 30 days of receipt of invoice from the Investigation Division of the Board the costs of investigation, prosecution and probation of this case, unless the Defendant affirmatively obtains a deferment of all or part of said fees upon presentation of evidence that is acceptable to the Board Secretary.
- (h) 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. 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 13 day of Feb, 1992<sup>+</sup>

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing instrument was mailed, postage prepaid thereon, this 18 day of February, 1992, to:

David D. Snyder, M.D.  
c/o Mona Lambird  
Andrews, Davis, Legg, Bixler  
Milsten & Price  
500 West Main  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Janet L. Owens

I do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of the original Final  
Order

now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and Official Seal  
of the Oklahoma State Board of  
Medical Licensure and Supervision  
this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1992

Janet L. Owens