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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING
IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST:

TERRY L. HENSEL, RN,
LS0101047NUR

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
RESPONDENT

Division of Enforcement Case No. 99 NUR 331

The parties to this action for the purposes of section 227.53 of the Wisconsin statutes are:

Terry L. Hensel
625 Meadow Lane #18
Burlington WI 53105

Board of Nursing
PO Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing
Division of Enforcement
PO Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final decision of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Terry L. Hensel (D.O.B. 02/26/59) is duly licensed as a registered nurse in the state of Wisconsin (license #125174).
2. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Board of Nursing is 625 Meadow Lane #18, Burlington, WI 53105.
3. At all times relevant to this action, Respondent was working as a registered nurse at Holton Manor, 638 North Brood Street, Elkhorn, Wisconsin.
4. On or about October 28, 1999, Respondent verbally abused patient SE. SE was a difficult patient who himself verbally abused nursing staff.
5. In resolution of this matter, Respondent consents to the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Board of Nursing has jurisdiction over this matter, pursuant to sec. 441.07, Stats.
2. The Wisconsin Board of Nursing is authorized to enter into the attached stipulation, pursuant to sec. 227.44(5), Stats.
3. The conduct described above constitutes a basis for discipline under secs. 441.07(1)(d) and Wisconsin Administrative Code § N 7.04(4). Furthermore, the Findings of Fact set forth above in paragraph 4 constitute an agency finding of abuse within the meaning of secs. 48.685 and 50.065, Stats.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the license of Terry L. Hensel shall be LIMITED as follows:

1. Within six (6) months from the date of this order, Respondent shall submit documentation of successful completion of at least ten (10) hours of continuing education, therapy or other training acceptable to the Board in the areas of anger and stress management. To be acceptable, the course, therapy or training shall be pre-approved by a member or designated agent of the Board of Nursing. Acceptable documentation shall include certification from the sponsoring organization as well as a statement signed by Respondent verifying his attendance and completion of course and/or therapy requirements.
2. Within six (6) months from the date of this order, Respondent shall submit documentation of successful completion of at least ten (10) hours of continuing education or other training acceptable to the Board in the area of patient management. Respondent has submitted documentation of training in patient management that he obtained subsequent to the incident referred to in paragraph 4, above. The Board finds that this training satisfies the requirements of this paragraph.
3. Respondent shall be responsible for all expenses incurred for training and other reporting as required by this order.
4. Within six (6) months from the date of this order, Respondent shall submit documentation acceptable to the Board of successful return demonstration of a full and working knowledge of patient rights, as set forth in Wisconsin Admin. Code §51.61.
5. Following completion of the continuing education, therapy or other training referred to in paragraph 1 above, Respondent shall submit an evaluation of the training to the Division of Enforcement to assist the Division in developing future disciplinary policies and guidelines.

Department Monitor

6. The Department Monitor is the individual designated by the Board as its agent to coordinate compliance with the terms of this Order, including receiving payment of costs and forfeitures, as well as coordinating all requests for approval of education or other petitions. The Department Monitor may be reached as follows:

Department Monitor
Division of Enforcement
PO Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935
FAX (608) 266-2264
TEL. (608) 261-7938

Termination of limitations

7. Upon complete, successful and timely compliance with the terms of this Order, the Board shall restore Respondent's license to full and unrestricted status.

Summary Suspension

8. In the event that Respondent fails to timely comply with the requirements set forth in paragraphs 1, 2 and 5 above, his Wisconsin license to practice as a registered nurse shall be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until he has complied with the terms of this Order. Violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a summary suspension of Respondent's license pursuant to the procedures set forth in Wis. Admin. Code RL Ch. 6. The Board in its discretion may in the alternative impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order.

9. This Order shall become effective upon the date of its signing.

BOARD OF NURSING

By: Ann Brewer

1-4-01

On behalf of the Board

Date