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IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY	:	
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
	:	
SHELLY M. BRADT, LPN,	:	LS0409162NUR
RESPONDENT.	:	01 NUR 98

The parties to this action for the purposes of Wis. Stats. sec. 227.53 are:

Shelly M. Bradt
610 Fair St.
West Bend, WI 53090

Wisconsin Board of Nursing
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing
Division of Enforcement
P.O. Box 8935
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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. Shelly M. Bradt (D.O.B. 10/10/71) is duly licensed in the state of Wisconsin as a practical nurse (license #32050). This license was first granted on 11/20/93.
2. On 6/7/99, 7/26/99, 11/22/99, 1/20/00, 9/19/00, 9/26/00, 11/15/00, respondent used her position as a nurse at the West Bend Clinic to obtain computerized information stored in a patient health care record about an acquaintance with whom respondent had a personal conflict, who was not her patient, and for whom she had no professional responsibility. On 6/7/99, 11/22/99, and 8/23/00, she obtained information about the minor daughter of the acquaintance. On 8/23/00, she obtained information about the elder of the minor sons of the acquaintance. On 11/22/99 and 8/23/00, she obtained information about the younger of the minor sons of the acquaintance. None of these children was her patient, and she had no professional responsibility for any of them. Upon discovery of these facts, respondent was terminated by the Clinic.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

By the conduct described above, respondent is subject to disciplinary action against her license to practice as a nurse in the state of Wisconsin, pursuant to Wis. Stats. §146.84(2)(a)1., §441.07(1)(d), and Wis. Adm. Code § N 7.04(1).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the license of Shelly M. Bradt to practice as a nurse in the state of Wisconsin is SUSPENDED for thirty days, effective September 30, 2004. Respondent shall deliver her biennial certificates to the Department Monitor during the period of her suspension, and shall certify in writing that she has not practiced nursing during the period of suspension, before her certificates are returned to her.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that respondent is REPRIMANDED for her unprofessional conduct in this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that respondent shall pay the COSTS of investigating and prosecuting this matter, in the amount of \$1,700, before her license is next renewed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to §227.51(3), Stats., if the Board of Nursing determines that there is probable cause to believe that respondent has violated the terms of this Final Decision and Order of the Board of Nursing, the Board may order that the license of respondent to practice nursing in the State of Wisconsin be summarily suspended pending investigation of the alleged violation.

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

Jacqueline Johnsrud
A Member of the Board

9-16-04
Date