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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

DEBRA L. BEHSELICH, L.P.N.

ORDER GRANTING REGISTERED NURSE LICENSE SUBJECT TO LIMITATIONS

Applicant.

ORDER 0000745

TO: Debra L. Behselich 1909 Butler Avenue Superior, WI 54880

On October 5, 20111, the Wisconsin Board of Nursing has reviewed the application of Debra L. Behselich for a registered nurse license. The information of record indicates that the applicant held a license as a practical nurse in the state of Wisconsin and Minnesota. The information further indicates that the applicant's practical nurse license was disciplined by the Wisconsin Board of Nursing on March 24, 2011, on the basis of a corrective action by the Minnesota Board of Nursing issued on December 12, 2010. The applicant has completed the requirements under the Minnesota corrective action but she has not completed the requirements of the Wisconsin order.

Pursuant to the terms of the Wisconsin Board of Nursing order, the applicant was required to work as a nurse under direct supervision, in a work setting pre-approved by the Board, and to arrange for the submission of quarterly work reports from her nursing employers, for a period of at least two (2) years from the date of the order. The information of record indicates that the applicant has not been employed as a nurse since the date of the disciplinary order and has not fulfilled the supervision and work reports requirement. The information indicates that since the date of the order the applicant completed her nursing education and now seeks to acquire licensure as a registered nurse.

ORDER

Based upon the information presented, including the applicant's prior discipline, the Wisconsin Board of Nursing hereby APPROVES the application of Debra L. Behselich for licensure as a registered nurse subject to the requirements which she did not fulfill under the Board's disciplinary order against her practical nurse license.

1. Specifically, the registered nurse license of Ms. Behselich shall be LIMITED as follows:

- Ms. Behselich shall provide her nursing employers with a copy of this Order before engaging in any nursing employment.
- b. For a period of at least two (2) years from the date of this order, Ms. Behselich shall work only under direct supervision, and only in a work setting pre-approved by the Board. Ms. Behselich shall not work in a home health, agency, hospice or pool position.
- c. For a period of at least two (2) years from the date of this Order, Ms. Behselich shall arrange for quarterly reports from her nursing employer(s) reporting the terms and conditions of her employment and evaluating her work performance.
- d. Pursuant to Uniform Nurse Licensure Compact regulations, Ms. Behselich's nursing practice is limited to Wisconsin during the pendency of this limitation. This requirement may be waived upon the prior written authorization of both the Wisconsin Board of Nursing and the regulatory board in the state in which Respondent proposes to practice.
- Ms. Behselich shall notify the Department Monitor of any change of nursing employment during the time in which the Order is in effect. Notification shall occur within fifteen (15) days of a change of employment and shall include an explanation of the reasons for the change.
- 2. Any reports, petitions and other information by this Order shall be mailed, e-mailed, faxed or delivered to:

Department Monitor Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services 1400 East Washington Ave. P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935 Fax: (608) 266-2264

Telephone: (608) 267-3817

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