

## WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES



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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
GLORIA A. BLACKMON,	:	
RESPONDENT.	:	ORDER 0002036

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Division of Enforcement Case No. 11 RSA 043

The parties to this action for the purpose of Wis. Stat. § 227.53 are:

Gloria A. Blackmon  
5475 North 60th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Division of Enforcement  
Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708-8935

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department). The Department has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Department adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent Gloria A. Blackmon (dob March 5, 1975) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a substance abuse counselor-in-training, having license number 130-15629 first issued on August 25, 2008 and current through February 28, 2013. Gloria A. Blackmon's most recent address on file with the Department is 5475 North 60th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53218.

2. In 2009, a large number of prescription pads were stolen from Aurora Healthcare facilities and have been used over the last three years to fraudulently obtain controlled substances. A large, organized group of individuals used these stolen Aurora prescription pads

to forge prescription orders to obtain the prescription drug oxycodone from pharmacies in Milwaukee County. The oxycodone was then illegally sold to street vendors in the Milwaukee area. Respondent was one of 23 people who were arrested as a result of a several month long investigation and undercover operation involving the Drug Enforcement Administration, the U.S. Justice Department, and the Milwaukee Police Department.

3. In early 2011, Walgreens Pharmacies in Milwaukee County began receiving multiple forged prescription orders for the prescription drug oxycodone. All the prescription orders were typewritten as if they were had been on a typewriter, the typeface, punctuation, and capitalization were identical, and the orders read: "Oxycodone (30mg)n 120 tablets take one tablet every 6 hours or as needed for pain. (DON'T EXCEED 4x DAILY.)"

4. On June 16, 2011 Respondent attempted to obtain a prescription of oxycodone using a forged oxycodone prescription order at a Walgreens Pharmacy in West Allis. Respondent dropped off the prescription order at the pharmacy's drive thru window, but never returned to pick up the filled oxycodone prescription. Respondent's finger prints were found on this forged prescription order, and Respondent admitted to presenting this forged prescription order.

5. On June 30, 2011, Respondent obtained a prescription of oxycodone using a forged oxycodone prescription order at a Walgreens Pharmacy in Greenfield. Later that same day, the Milwaukee Police Department arrested Respondent while she was attempting to have a forged oxycodone prescription order filled at a Walgreens Pharmacy in Franklin. Respondent's finger prints were found on one of these forged prescription orders, and Respondent admitted to presenting both of these two forged prescription orders.

6. Respondent was criminally charged with one count of obtaining a controlled substance by misrepresentation, and two counts of attempting to obtain a controlled substance by misrepresentation.

7. On January 18, 2012, Respondent pleaded guilty and was convicted of one count of obtaining a controlled substance by fraud, a violation of Wis. Stat. § 961.43(1)(a), and one count of attempt to obtaining a controlled substance by fraud, a violation of Wis. Stat. § 939.32. A second charge of obtaining controlled substances by fraud, a violation of Wis. Stat. § 961.43(1)(a), was dismissed but read in. Respondent was sentenced to 12 months in state prison, and 18 months on extended supervision.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 440.88(6), and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

2. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent Gloria A. Blackmon violated Wis. Admin. Code § SPS 164.01(2)(b) by violating a law substantially related to practice as a substance abuse professional.

3. As a result of the violations noted in the Conclusions of Law, Respondent Gloria A. Blackmon is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 440.88(6).

ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
2. The VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of Gloria A. Blackmon's substance abuse counselor-in-training license (license no. 130-15629) is accepted.
3. Within 90 days from the date of this Order, Gloria A. Blackmon shall pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$400.00.
4. Payment of costs shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent to the Department Monitor at the address below:

Department Monitor  
Division of Enforcement  
Department of Safety and Professional Services  
P.O. Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708-8935  
Telephone (608) 267-3817; Fax (608) 266-2264  
DPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov

5. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

By:   
Michael J. Berndt, Chief Legal Counsel  
On Behalf of the Department

9/12/12  
Date