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1. Dale R. Alt, D.C., ("Respondent") was born on December 24, 1959 and is licensed as a chiropractor in the State of Wisconsin (license #2007-12). This license was first granted on May 18, 1985.

2. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 127 Park Avenue, Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

3. At all times relevant to this proceeding, Respondent worked as a chiropractor in his own clinic, Alt Chiropractic, located in Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

4. On January 11, 2005, the status of Respondent's chiropractic license changed from "active" to "expired" as a result of non-payment of his renewal fees.

5. On May 4, 2005, Respondent paid renewal fees to complete his renewal process. The status of Respondent's license was then changed from "expired" to "active."

6. On January 2, 2009, the status of Respondent's chiropractic license changed from "active" to "expired" as a result of non-payment of his renewal fees.

7. On January 20, 2009, Respondent paid renewal fees to complete his renewal process. The status of Respondent's license was changed from "expired" to "active" on January 22, 2009.

8. On December 20, 2010, the status of Respondent's chiropractic license changed from "active" to "expired" as a result of non-payment of his renewal fees.

9. On January 10, 2011, Respondent paid renewal and late fees to complete his renewal process. The status of Respondent's license was changed from "expired" to "active" on January 13, 2011.

10. During these three periods of expired status, Respondent continued to practice chiropractic without an active license. During these periods, Respondent maintained adequate and appropriate continuing education and other requirements necessary to practice chiropractic in the State of Wisconsin.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 446.03, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation and Order, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

2. Respondent has violated Wis. Stat. § 446.02(1)(a) by engaging in the practice of chiropractic without being licensed by the Chiropractic Examining Board as described above, which subjects Respondent to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 446.03(5).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Respondent, Dale R. Alt, D.C., (license #2007-12) is REPRIMANDED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that:

2. Respondent's license to practice chiropractic is LIMITED as follows:
 - a. Within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, Respondent shall provide written notice, via certified mail, return receipt requested, to Medicare and Medicaid, specifically detailing the periods of unlicensed practice.
 - b. After all parties have been notified, and after all signed receipts have been received by the Respondent, no later than ninety (90) days from the date of this Order, Respondent shall prepare a sworn affidavit attesting that he notified each party in writing and attach copies of the signed returned receipt for each party so notified.
 - c. This affidavit shall be submitted to the Department Monitor at the address below.

3. Within ninety (90) days from the date of this Order, Respondent shall pay the Department costs of this matter in the amount of SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$600.00). Payment shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent to the Department Monitor at:

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

4. 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. 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. In the event Respondent fails to comply with the notification requirements, timely submit an affidavit evidencing satisfactory completion of notification requirements or timely submit payment of the costs, the Respondent's license (#2007-12) may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has paid costs and submitted evidence of satisfactory compliance of the written disclosure.

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

Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board

By: 
A member of the Board

1/24/13
Date