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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	<b>FINAL DECISION AND ORDER</b>
BEVERLY E. WOLFGRAM, R.N., A.P.N.P.,	:	
RESPONDENT.	:	<b>ORDER 0002410</b>

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance<sup>1</sup> Case Nos. 10 NUR 290, 11 NUR 274, 11 NUR 603

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

Beverly E. Wolfgram  
4605 Regent Street  
Madison, WI 54705-4819

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

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

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

A disciplinary proceeding was commenced in this matter by the filing of a Notice of Hearing and Complaint with the Board on 6/27/2012. Prior to the hearing on the Complaint, the parties in this matter agreed to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition 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, Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent Beverly E. Wolfgram (dob 12/30/1946) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a professional nurse, having license number 50962-30, first issued on 9/6/1969, and current through 2/28/2014. She has a certificate to prescribe prescription medications, certificate number 247-33, first issued on 9/29/95, and current through 9/30/2014. She was also licensed as a clinical social worker, and her nursing practice consists primarily of providing

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<sup>1</sup> The Division of Legal Services and Compliance was formerly known as the Division of Enforcement.

mental health services to clients, including prescriptions for psychoactive medications. Beverly E. Wolfram's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) 4605 Regent St., Madison, WI 53705-4819.

2. In lieu of a hearing on the formal complaint which has been filed in this matter (alleging injudicious prescribing, failure to have a documented collaborating physician, and the conduct described below), and for personal reasons, Respondent wishes to surrender her prescriber certificate.

3. On July 16, 2010, Respondent was requested by Board staff to furnish the chart of patient B. This chart was not furnished until January 28, 2011 (196 days).

4. On December 2, 2010, Respondent was requested by Board staff to furnish the charts of patients C and D. These charts were not furnished until January 28, 2011 (57 days).

5. On December 23, 2010, Respondent was requested by Board staff to furnish the charts of nine additional patients. These charts were not furnished until February 14, 2011 (53 days).

6. On July 1, 2011, Respondent was requested by Board staff to furnish the chart of patient A. This chart was not furnished until August 11, 2011 (41 days).

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Board of Nursing has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 441.07, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

2. The conduct set forth in paragraphs 3 through 6, above, constituted unprofessional conduct pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § N 7.04(intro).

3. As a result of the above violations, Respondent is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 441.07(1)(b).

#### ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.

2. The SURRENDER of the advanced practice nurse prescriber certificate issued to Beverly E. Wolfram (license no. 247-33) is ACCEPTED, effective on the date of this order. Respondent shall not apply for such a certificate again.

3. The professional nursing license of Respondent (license no. 50962-30) is SUSPENDED for 30 days, for the conduct described in paragraphs 3-6, above, effective on the first day of the month following this order.

4. The COSTS of this matter, in the amount of \$9,350, are waived.

5. 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 timely submit payment of costs as ordered, Respondent's nursing license (no. 50962-30) may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has paid them in full, including any accrued interest.

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

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

by: Julie Nelson, RN  
A Member of the Board

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5/9/13  
Date