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# STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

MOSHE SCHEIN, M.D., RESPONDENT.

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 MED 027

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

Moshe Schein, M.D. 906 College Ave W Ladysmith, WI 54848

Wisconsin Medical Examining Board 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

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 Medical Examining Board (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 Moshe Schein, M.D., (dob April 30, 1950), is licensed in the State of Wisconsin to practice medicine and surgery, having license number 35919-20, first issued on August 26, 1994, with registration current through October 31, 2015. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 906 College Avenue West, Ladysmith, Wisconsin 54848. Respondent is not certified by any board recognized by the American Board of Medical Specialties.
- 2. On March 11, 2008, Patient was seen by the Respondent for a sore on his upper left cheek. Respondent diagnosed the sore as an infected sebaceous cyst and prescribed

antibiotics and for the patient to return for excision. The patient returned to care on March 21, 2008, and Respondent excised the cyst.

- 3. Patient returned on May 27, 2008 with inflamed swelling at the site of the previous cyst, Respondent diagnosed a recurrent sebaceous cyst, excised the growth and prescribed antibiotics. Respondent did not send the excised growth to pathology.
- 4. In September 2009, Patient saw his primary care provider for a recurrent left cheek infection which was ultimately diagnosed with squamous cell carcinoma, widespread into the lower eyelid, up to the inferior orbital rim, up to the frontal process of the maxillary bone.
- 5. Respondent's failure to submit the tissue to pathology resulted in a delay in diagnosis of squamous cell carcinoma, further causing a delay in treatment of the cancer resulting in total loss of vision in one eye, additional surgery, radiation treatment, and residual facial cosmetic defect for the patient.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. The Wisconsin Medical Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 448.02(3), 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 Moshe Schein, M.D., engaged in unprofessional conduct pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § Med 10.02(2)(h) by any practice or conduct which tends to constitute a danger to the health, welfare, or safety of patient or public.
- 3. As a result of the above conduct, Moshe Schein, M.D., is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 448.02(3).

#### **ORDER**

- 1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
- 2. Respondent Moshe Schein, M.D., is REPRIMANDED.
- 3. The medicine and surgery license issued to Moshe Schein, M.D., (license number 35919-20) is LIMITED as follows:
  - a. Within nine (9) months of the date of this Order, Respondent shall successfully complete 10 hours of continuing education in the diagnosis and treatment of dermatologic cancer, including diagnosis of cancer in the head and neck.
  - b. Respondent shall be responsible for obtaining the course(s) required under this Order, for providing adequate course(s) descriptions to the Department Monitor, and for obtaining pre-approval of the course(s) from the Wisconsin Medical Examining Board, or it designee, prior to commencement of the course(s).

- c. The Board or its designee may reject any course(s) and may accept a course(s) for less than the number of hours for which Respondent seeks approval.
- d. Within thirty (30) days of completion of each educational component, Respondent shall file an affidavit with the Department Monitor stating under oath that he has attended, in its entirety, the course(s) approved for satisfaction of this requirement along with supporting documentation of attendance from the sponsoring organizations.
- e. Respondent is responsible for all costs associated with compliance with this educational requirement.
- f. None of the education completed pursuant to this requirement may be used to satisfy any other continuing education requirements that have been or may be instituted by the Board or Department.
- 4. Within 60 days from the date of this Order, Moshe Schein, M.D., shall pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$350.00.
- 5. Proof of successful course completion and payment of costs (made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services) shall be sent by Respondent to the Department Monitor at the address below:

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

<u>DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov</u>

6. 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 or fails to submit proof of successful completion of the ordered education as set forth above, Respondent's license (no. 35919-20) may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has complied with payment of the costs and completion of the education.

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

WISCONSIN MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

by: A Member of the Ros

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January 15, 2014

Date

## STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

STIPULATION

MOSHE SCHEIN, M.D.,

RESPONDENT.

0002950

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 MED 027

Respondent Moshe Schien, M.D., and the Division of Legal Services and Compliance, Department of Safety and Professional Services stipulate as follows:

- 1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation by the Division of Legal Services and Compliance. Respondent consents to the resolution of this investigation by Stipulation.
- 2. Respondent understands that by signing this Stipulation, Respondent voluntarily and knowingly waives the following rights:
  - the right to a hearing on the allegations against Respondent, at which time the State has the burden of proving those allegations by a preponderance of the evidence;
  - the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against Respondent;
  - the right to call witnesses on Respondent's behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena;
  - the right to testify on Respondent's own behalf;
  - the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the final decision;
  - the right to petition for rehearing; and
  - all other applicable rights afforded to Respondent under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, the Wisconsin Administrative Code, and other provisions of state or federal law.
- 3. Respondent is aware of Respondent's right to seek legal representation and has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal counsel before signing this Stipulation.
- 4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Medical Examining Board (Board). The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Respondent waives all rights to any appeal of the Board's order, if adopted in the form as attached.
- 5. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this Stipulation, and the matter shall then be returned to the Division

of Legal Services and Compliance for further proceedings. In the event that the Stipulation is not accepted by the Board, the parties agree not to contend that the Board has been prejudiced or biased in any manner by the consideration of this attempted resolution.

- 6. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Legal Services and Compliance and any member of the Board ever assigned as an advisor in this investigation may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Respondent, for purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that any member of the Board may have in connection with deliberations on the Stipulation. Additionally, any such advisor may vote on whether the Board should accept this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.
- 7. Respondent is informed that should the Board adopt this Stipulation, the Board's Final Decision and Order is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.
- 8. The Division of Legal Services and Compliance joins Respondent in recommending the Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

Moshe Schien, M.D., Respondent

906 College Avenue West

Ladysmith, WI 54848

License no. 35919-20

Arthur Thexton, Prosecuting Attorney

Division of Legal Services and Compliance

P.O. Box 8935

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Date

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