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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE PHARMACY EXAMINING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY  
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

LEONARD PURULL, R.Ph.

RESPONDENT.

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FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 PHM 037

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

Leonard Purull, R.Ph.  
W9181 Amber Lane  
Clintonville, WI 54929

Wisconsin Pharmacy Examining Board  
P.O. Box 8366  
Madison, WI 53708-8366

Division of Legal Services and Compliance  
Department of Safety and Professional Services  
P.O. Box 7190  
Madison, WI 53707-7190

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 Pharmacy 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 Leonard Purull, R.Ph., (dob August 13, 1953) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a pharmacist, having license number 9232-40, first issued on June 29, 1977, and current through May 31, 2014. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is W9181 Amber Lane, Clintonville, WI 54929.

2. At all times relevant to this matter, Respondent was the managing pharmacist for Shopko Pharmacy # 2615.

3. On May 13, 2013, Shopko Pharmacy #2615 erroneously dispensed the wrong dosage of a medication to Patient A. Patient A's prescription called for Primidone (Mysoline) 250mg tablets. Primidone (Mysoline) is an anticonvulsant drug used to control seizures. Contrary to his prescription, Patient A was dispensed Primidone (Mysoline) 50mg tablets.

4. On May 19, 2013, Patient A was admitted to St. Vincent Hospital suffering from fever and pneumonia symptoms. Patient A was hospitalized for eleven (11) days.

5. On June 5, 2013, Patient A's physician discovered that Patient A was dispensed the wrong dosage of Primidone (Mysoline) from Shopko Pharmacy #2615. When presented with this information, Respondent admitted that the pharmacy made a dispensing mistake.

6. In resolution of this matter, Respondent consent to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Pharmacy Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 450.10(1), and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

2. By the conduct described above, Respondent engaged in conduct in the practice of which evidences a lack of knowledge or inability to apply professional principles or skills, in violation of Wis. Stat. § 450.10(1)(a)6.

3. By the conduct described above, Respondent engaged in unprofessional conduct, in violation of Wis. Stat. § 450.10(1)(b)1.

4. By the conduct described above, Respondent committed unprofessional conduct as defined by Wis. Admin. Code § Phar 10.03(2) by engaging in any pharmacy practice which constitutes a danger to the health, welfare or safety of patient or public, including but not limited to, practicing in a manner which substantially departs from the standard of care ordinarily exercised by a pharmacist which harmed or could have harmed a patient.

5. By the conduct described above, Respondent committed unprofessional conduct as defined by Wis. Admin. Code § Phar 10.03(3) when the pharmacy dispensed a drug in error which the pharmacist should have known would harm the patient for whom the medication was prescribed.

6. As a result of the above violations, Respondent is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 450.10(1)(a)6. and Wis. Stat. § 450.10(1)(b)1.

ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
2. Respondent Leonard Purull, R.Ph., is REPRIMANDED.
3. Within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order, Leonard Purull, R.Ph., shall pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$223.00.
4. Within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order, Leonard Purull, R.Ph., shall pay a FORFEITURE in the amount of \$250.00
5. Respondent shall submit requests, proof of education, and payments of costs (payable to the Department of Safety and Professional Services) required by or relevant to this Order 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 7190  
Madison, WI 53707-7190  
Telephone (608) 267-3817  
Fax (608) 266-2264  
[DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov](mailto:DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov)

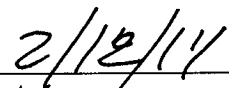
6. Violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a summary suspension of Respondents' license. The Board in its discretion may in the alternative impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order. In the event either Respondent fails to timely submit payment of costs and forfeiture as set forth above, the respective Respondent's license (no. 9232-40) may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent in question has complied with payment of costs and forfeiture.

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

WISCONSIN PHARMACY EXAMINING BOARD

by:

  
A Member of the Board

  
Date

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
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STIPULATION

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 PHM 037

Respondent Leonard Purull, R.Ph. 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 Pharmacy Examining 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.

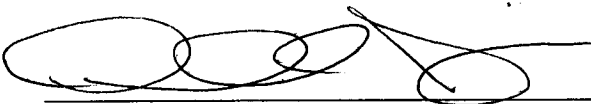
7. Respondent is informed that should the Board adopt this Stipulation, the Board's Final Decision and Order is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.

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.



Leonard Purull, R. Ph.  
W9181 Amber Lane  
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1-16-14  
Date



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P.O. Box 7190  
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1-30-2014  
Date