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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

REGINA MARIE YOUNG, R.N.,
RESPONDENT.

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FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

0005378

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 16 NUR 514

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

Regina Marie Young, R.N.
4528 Deer Run, #202
Brown Deer, WI 53223

Wisconsin Board of Nursing
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 Wisconsin Board of Nursing (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 Regina Marie Young, R.N., (dob February 3, 1959) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a professional nurse, having license number 118299-30, first issued on November 4, 1994, and current through February 28, 2018. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 4631 North 52nd Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53218.

2. On information and belief, Respondent's current address is 4528 Deer Run, #202, Brown Deer, Wisconsin 53223.

3. At all times relevant to this proceeding, Respondent was employed in an approved setting as a nurse coordinator with a home health agency located in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

4. On August 8, 2003, the Board issued a disciplinary order (Order no. 0304222) indefinitely suspending¹ Respondent's license and limiting her license. The limitations required Respondent to undergo drug monitoring and treatment, practice only under the general supervision of a licensed professional nurse or other licensed health care professional and prohibited Respondent from working in an independent practice site, home health care, home hospice care or agency or pool nursing. The discipline was based on conduct from June 12, 2002 on which date Respondent ingested cocaine.

5. From August 8, 2003 through May 7, 2013, Respondent's license to practice nursing remained suspended.²

6. On November 24, 2014, the Board removed the stay of suspension based on Respondent's violation of the terms of Order 0304222.

7. On March 10, 2015, the Board stayed the suspension of Respondent's license.

8. In September and October 2016, without the Board approval, Respondent performed limited physical assessments of several patients in their homes to determine functional status. These functional assessments are used to determine the amount of assistance the patients require.

9. Respondent currently performs administrative duties with the home health agency.

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

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. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent Regina Marie Young, R.N., violated Wis. Admin. Code § N 7.03(1)(g), by violating any term, provision, or condition of any order of the board.

¹ Respondent could apply for a stay of suspension after demonstrating three (3) consecutive months of compliance with the conditions of Order 0304222. The Board later modified this condition on October 15, 2015 to require six (6) months of compliance with Order 0304222 before a stay of suspension would be granted.

² The Board granted a stay of suspension from October 2009 through December 2009 for Respondent to complete a nurse refresher course, but denied a continued stay of suspension due to her failure to comply with all of the conditions of Order 0304222 for a period of three (3) consecutive months.

3. As a result of the above conduct, Respondent Regina Marie Young, R.N., is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 441.07(1g)(b) and (d).

ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
2. Respondent Regina Marie Young, R.N., is REPRIMANDED.
3. Within 120 days from the date of this Order, Respondent Regina Marie Young, R.N., shall pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$570.00.
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 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

5. In the event Respondent violates any term of this Order, Respondent's license (no. 118299-30), or Respondent's right to renew her license, may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has complied with the terms of the Order. The Board may, in addition and/or in the alternative refer any violation of this Order to the Division of Legal Services and Compliance for further investigation and action.

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

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

by: 
A Member of the Board

7-13-17
Date

STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

REGINA MARIE YOUNG, R.N.,
RESPONDENT.

STIPULATION

0005378

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 16 NUR 514

Respondent Regina Marie Young, R.N., 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. Respondent is represented by Attorney Patrick J. Knight.

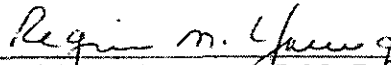
4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Board of Nursing (Board). The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Respondent waives 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.

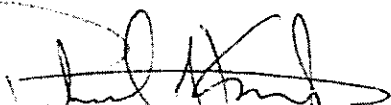
6. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Legal Services and Compliance and any member of the Board ever assigned as an advisor in this investigation may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Respondent or Respondent's attorney, 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.


Regina Marie Young, R.N., Respondent
4528 Deer Run, #202
Brown Deer, WI 53223
License no. 118299-30

6/6/17
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6/18/17
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