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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY :
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST :
 : FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
SATISH N. PATEL, M.D., :
RESPONDENT. : **0006070**

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 18 MED 122

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

Satish N. Patel, M.D.
5834 Red Oak Drive
Hoffman Estates, IL 60192

Wisconsin Medical 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 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 Satish N. Patel, M.D. (DOB October 13, 1979), is licensed in the state of Wisconsin to practice medicine and surgery, having license number 56073-20, first issued on July 20, 2011, with registration current through October 31, 2019.

2. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 5834 Red Oak Drive, Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60192.

3. At all times pertinent to this matter, Respondent practiced family medicine in Illinois.

4. In March 2018, the Department received a Federation of State Medical Boards report of action against Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in Illinois for unprofessional conduct and controlled substance violations. Specifically, Respondent allegedly failed to provide documents regarding the ordering and dispensing of Phentermine-based controlled substances and for failing to establish a collaborating relationship with a Nurse Practitioner to whom he delegated his prescribing and dispensing authority.

5. By Order dated March 19, 2018, and effective May 1, 2018 (Illinois Order), the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (Illinois Board) suspended Respondent's Illinois physician and surgeon license for 30 days and placed his license on indefinite probation, with specified limitations and conditions for a minimum of two (2) years.

6. The Illinois Order also indefinitely suspended Respondent's Illinois Controlled Substance License (No. 336-087839). Respondent informs that this registration is for the Thinfast Clinic, in Lombard, Illinois.

7. Respondent had previously, in May 2017, voluntarily surrendered his DEA Registration for the Lombard Location.

8. On October 26, 2018, the Illinois Board restored the Lombard Illinois Controlled Substance License at Respondent's request, and thereafter placed it on permanent inactive status.

9. Respondent did not report the Illinois Board action, or the DEA registration surrender to the Department.

10. As of this date, Respondent is in compliance with the Illinois Board's conditions and limitations.

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 Satish N. Patel, M.D., engaged in unprofessional conduct as defined by Wis. Stat. § Med 10.03(3)(a) by failing, within 30 days, to report to the board any final adverse action taken against the licensee's authority to practice medicine and surgery by another licensing jurisdiction concerned with the practice of medicine and surgery.

3. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent Satish N. Patel, M.D., engaged in unprofessional conduct as defined by Wis. Stat. § Med 10.03(3)(c) by having

any credential pertaining to the practice of medicine and surgery become subject to adverse determination by any agency of this or another state.

4. As a result of the above conduct, Satish N. Patel, M.D., is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 448.02(3).

ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
2. Respondent Satish N. Patel, M.D., is REPRIMANDED.
3. The medicine and surgery license issued to Satish N. Patel, M.D., (license number 56073-20) is LIMITED as follows:
 - a. Respondent is to maintain full and complete compliance with all terms, limitations, and conditions imposed against his medical license by the Illinois Board.
 - b. Respondent shall, within 48 hours of receipt, provide the Board with a copy of any document issued by the Illinois Board which alters the conditions of Respondent's license to practice medicine in the State of Illinois, including any document reinstating full licensure.
 - c. Any violation of the Illinois Board Order shall constitute a violation of this Order.
 - d. Upon Respondent providing proof sufficient to the Board or its designee that he has successfully complied with all terms and conditions imposed by the Illinois Board, and that his Illinois license has been restored to full, unrestricted status, the Board or its designee shall issue an Order removing the limitation on Respondent's Wisconsin license.
4. Within 90 days from the date of this Order, Satish N. Patel, M.D., shall pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$604.86.
5. All required submissions and payment of costs (made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services Monitor) shall be submitted online via the Department's Monitoring Case Management System at <https://app.wi.gov/DSPSMonitoring> or sent to 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

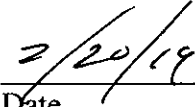
Telephone (608) 267-3817; Fax (608) 266-2264
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6. In the event Respondent violates any term of this Order, Respondent's license (no. 56073-20), or Respondent's right to renew his license, may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, 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.

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

WISCONSIN MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

by: 
A Member of the Board


Date

STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

SATISH N. PATEL, M.D.,
RESPONDENT.

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STIPULATION

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 18 MED 122

Respondent Satish N. Patel, 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. Respondent is represented by Attorney Linda Meagher.
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.

Stipulation


In the matter of disciplinary proceedings against
Satish N. Patel, M.D., Case No. 18 MED 122

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.




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5834 Red Oak Drive
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License no. 56073-20

02/12/2019
Date



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2/12/19
Date



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2/13/19
Date