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Patricia P. Johnson
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of Registered Nurse § AGREED
License Number 583255 §
issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS § ORDER

On this day, the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Bc accepted the voluntary surrender of Registered Nurse License Number 583255, issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS, hereinafter referred to as Respondent. This action was taken in accordance with Section 301.453(c) of the Texas Occupations Code.

Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.

The Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Prior to the institution of Agency proceedings, notice of the matters specified below in these Findings of Fact was provided to Respondent and Respondent was given an opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license(s).
2. Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
3. Respondent's license to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas is currently in delinquent status.
4. Respondent received an Associate Degree in Nursing from Texarkana Community College, Texarkana, Texas, on May 19, 1992. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on August 31, 1992.
5. Respondent's complete professional Nursing employment history includes:

08/1992-05/01	RN	Good Shepard Medical Center Longview, Texas
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Respondent's complete professional nursing employment history includes (continued):

05/01-11/01	RN	Titus Regional Medical Center Mt. Pleasant, Texas
11/01-08/03	RN	East Texas Medical Center Tyler, Texas
09/03-12/03	Unknown	
12/03-11/05	RN	Good Shepard Medical Center Longview, Texas
11/05-07/08	RN	Nursefinders Tyler, Texas
08/08-02/09	Unknown	
02/09-05/09	RN	Good Shepard Medical Center Longview, Texas
06/09-Present	Unknown	

6. At the time of the initial incident as stated in Findings of Fact Numbers Seven (7) through Nine (9), Respondent was employed as a Registered Nurse with Good Shepard Medical Center, Longview, Texas, and had been in this position for approximately three (3) months.
7. On or about May 16, 2009, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Good Shepherd Medical Center, Longview, Texas, Respondent withdrew Morphine from the Medication Dispensing system for patients, but failed to document or accurately document the administration of the medications in the patients' Medication Administration Records and/or nurse's notes. Respondent's conduct above was likely to injure the patients in that subsequent care givers would rely on her documentation to further medicate the patient which could result in an overdose.
8. On or about May 16, 2009, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Good Shepherd Medical Center, Longview, Texas, Respondent withdrew Morphine from the Medication Dispensing System for patients, but failed to follow the facility's policy and procedures for wastage of any of the unused portions of the medications. Respondent's conduct was likely to deceive the hospital pharmacy and placed them in violation of Chapter 481 of the Texas Health and Safety Code (Controlled Substances Act).

9. On or about May 16, 2009, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Good Shepherd Medical Center, Longview, Texas, Respondent misappropriated Morphine from the facility and patients thereof, or failed to take precautions to prevent such misappropriations. Respondent's conduct was likely to defraud the facility and patients of the cost of the medications.
10. In response to Finding of Fact Numbers Seven (7) through Nine (9), Respondent states she has never been so ashamed of anything in her life, and it all began with a pulled back muscle that she began taking Vicodin for pain control. Respondent admits the allegations in Findings of Fact Numbers Seven (7) through Nine (9) and states is very ashamed of misappropriating the Morphine, as she is not the type of person to take something that does not belong to her. Additionally, Respondent states on May 25, 2009, she admitted herself to Laureate Psychiatric Clinic and Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma for inpatient detox and was there for five days, completed a drug rehabilitation program called 12&12 in Tulsa, and additionally, meet with her counselor one-on-one and took part in NA meetings.
11. On or about 2009, while licensed as a Registered Nurse in the State of Texas, Respondent lacked fitness to practice nursing in that she was diagnosed and treated for Bi-polar disorder. Respondent's condition could have affected her ability to recognize subtle signs, symptoms or changes in patients' conditions, and could have affected her ability to make rational, accurate, and appropriate assessments, judgments, and decisions regarding patient care, thereby placing the patients in potential danger.
12. In response to Finding of Fact Number Ten (10) Respondent states while she was living in Oklahoma she saw a psychiatrist who disagreed with her previous diagnosis of depression and diagnosed and treated her with medication for Bi-polar disorder. Respondent subsequently moved back to Texas and began seeing her previous doctor, who felt she had been mis-diagnosed with Bi-Polar and diagnosed her with depression. Respondent reports her doctor prescribes Celexa for medication management.
13. On or about June 16, 2010, Respondent verbally informed the staff of the Texas Board of Nursing that she would like to voluntarily surrender her license to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas.
14. Respondent, by her signature to this Order, expresses her desire to voluntarily surrender her license to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
15. The Board policy implementing Rule 213.29 in effect on the date of this Agreed Order provides discretion by the Executive Director for consideration of conditional reinstatement after proof of twelve (12) consecutive months of abstinence from alcohol and drugs followed by licensure limitations/stipulations and/or peer assistance program participation.

16. The Board finds that there exists serious risks to public health and safety as a result of impaired nursing care due to intemperate use of controlled substances or chemical dependency.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code, Sections 301.451-301.555, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter.
2. Notice was served in accordance with law.
3. The evidence received is sufficient to prove violations of Section 301.452(b)(10),(12)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A)&(D) and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(B)&(C),(4),(5),(6)(A),(G)&(H),(10)(B)&(C) and (11)(B).
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.453(a), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 583255, heretofore issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS, including revocation of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
5. Under Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code, the Board has the authority to accept the voluntary surrender of a license.
6. Under Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, as amended, the Board may impose conditions for reinstatement of licensure.
7. Any subsequent reinstatement of this license will be controlled by Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.26-.29, and any amendments thereof in effect at the time of the reinstatement.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED and ORDERED that the VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of Registered Nurse License Number 583255, heretofore issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS, to practice nursing in the State of Texas, is accepted by the Texas Board of Nursing. In connection with this acceptance, the Board imposes the following conditions:

1. RESPONDENT SHALL immediately deliver the wallet-sized licenses, heretofore issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS, to the office of the Texas Board of Nursing.

2. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT practice professional nursing, use the title "registered nurse" or the abbreviation "RN" or wear any insignia identifying herself as a registered nurse or use any designation which, directly or indirectly, would lead any person to believe that RESPONDENT is a registered nurse during the period in which the license is surrendered.
3. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT petition for reinstatement of licensure until: one (1) year has elapsed from the date of this Order; and, RESPONDENT has obtained objective, verifiable proof of twelve (12) consecutive months of sobriety immediately preceding the petition.
4. Upon petitioning for reinstatement, RESPONDENT SHALL satisfy all then existing requirements for relicensure.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

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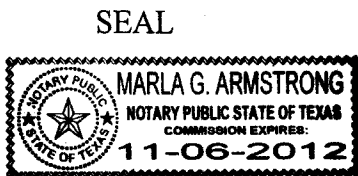
RESPONDENT'S CERTIFICATION

I understand that I have the right to legal counsel prior to signing this Agreed Order. I waive representation by counsel. I have reviewed this Order. I neither admit nor deny the violations alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Order, and any conditions of said Order, to avoid further disciplinary action in this matter. I waive judicial review of this Order. I understand that this Order becomes final when accepted by the Executive Director at which time the terms of this Order become effective and a copy will be mailed to me.

Signed this 18 day of February, 2011.

Beverly Gwen Robbins
BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of February, 2011.



Marla G. Armstrong
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing does hereby accept the voluntary surrender of Registered Nurse License Number 583255, previously issued to BEVERLY GWEN ROBBINS.

Effective this 23rd day of February, 2011.



Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN
Executive Director on behalf
of said Board