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Stephanie P. Thomas
Executive Director of the Board

**In the Matter of
Permanent Registered Nurse
License Number 841324
Issued to AMY LYN WRIGHT,
Respondent**

**§ BEFORE THE TEXAS
§ BOARD OF NURSING
§ ELIGIBILITY AND
§ DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE**

ORDER OF THE BOARD

TO: Amy Wright
3800 S State Hwy 91. J-2
Denison, TX 75020

During open meeting held in Austin, Texas, on May 9, 2023, the Texas Board of Nursing Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee (hereinafter "Committee") heard the above-styled case, based on the failure of the Respondent to appear as required by 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that notice of the facts or conduct alleged to warrant disciplinary action has been provided to Respondent in accordance with Texas Government Code § 2001.054(c) and Respondent has been given an opportunity to show compliance with all the requirements of the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301 of the Texas Occupations Code, for retention of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

The Committee finds that the Formal Charges were properly initiated and filed in accordance with section 301.458, Texas Occupations Code.

The Committee finds that after proper and timely Notice regarding the violations alleged in the Formal Charges was given to Respondent in this matter, Respondent has failed to appear in accordance with 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that the Board is authorized to enter a default order pursuant to Texas Government Code § 2001.056.

The Committee, after review and due consideration, adopts the proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law as stated in the Formal Charges which are attached hereto and incorporated by

reference for all purposes and the Staff's recommended sanction of revocation by default. This Order will be properly served on all parties and all parties will be given an opportunity to file a motion for rehearing [22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 213.16(j)]. All parties have a right to judicial review of this Order.

All proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law filed by any party not specifically adopted herein are hereby denied.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 841324, previously issued to AMY LYN WRIGHT to practice nursing in the State of Texas be, and the same is/are hereby, REVOKED.

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

Entered this 9th day of May, 2023.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

BY:  _____

KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN, FAAN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

Attachment: Formal Charges filed February 14, 2023

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Re: Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 841324
Issued to AMY LYN WRIGHT
DEFAULT ORDER - REVOKE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 12th day of May, 20 23, a true and correct copy of the foregoing DEFAULT ORDER was served and addressed to the following person(s), as follows:

Via USPS Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested,

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Amy Wright
3800 S State Hwy 91, J-2
Denison, TX 75020

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3800 S State Highway 91, Apt 91
Denison, Texas 75020

BY: _____



KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN, FAAN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

**In the Matter of
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FORMAL CHARGES

This is a disciplinary proceeding under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent, AMY LYN WRIGHT, is a Registered Nurse holding license number 841324, which is in current status at the time of this pleading.

Written notice of the facts and conduct alleged to warrant adverse licensure action was sent to Respondent at Respondent's address of record, and Respondent was given opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license prior to commencement of this proceeding.

CHARGE I.

On or about September 2, 2019, while employed as a Registered Nurse at Angels of Care Pediatric Home Health, Sherman, Texas Respondent used 1ml of Heparin to flush the Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter (PICC) line of Patient Medical Record Number 7209-SV, instead of 3ml of Heparin, as ordered by the physician. Respondent's conduct exposed the patient to IV complications.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13)[*effective through August 31, 2021*], Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(C)&(1)(M), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B)&(4).

CHARGE II.

On or about May 30, 2022, June 8, 2022 and June 21, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse by Interim Healthcare of Dallas, Sherman, Texas, Respondent falsely documented assigned nursing visits with Patient LD that were not performed. Respondent conduct was likely to deceive the employer, created an inaccurate medical record, and was likely to injure the patient from clinical decisions based on false assessment information.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(14)[*effective starting September 1, 2021*], Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(D)&(3)(A), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(C),(4),(6)(A)& (6)(H).

CHARGE III.

On or about May 31, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse by Interim Healthcare of Dallas, Sherman, Texas, Respondent falsely documented that a nursing visit was performed when Patient LF reported respiratory issues. Instead, Respondent called the patient/patient's family stating Respondent forgot to schedule the visit. Respondent conduct was likely to deceive the employer, created an inaccurate medical record, and was likely to injure the patient from clinical decisions based on false assessment information.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(14)[*effective starting September 1, 2021*], Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(D)&(3)(A), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(C),(4),(6)(A)& (6)(H).

CHARGE IV.

On or about June 17, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse by Interim Healthcare of Dallas, Sherman, Texas, Respondent called and told Patient CS that the scheduled visit would not be done. Then, Respondent falsely reported to her employer that Patient CS refused a nursing visit. Respondent conduct was likely to deceive the employer and created an inaccurate medical record.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(14)[*effective starting September 1, 2021*], Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(D)&(1)(M), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B)&(6)(H).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that staff will present evidence in support of the recommended disposition of up to, and including, revocation of Respondent's license(s) and/or privilege(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas pursuant to the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301, Texas Occupations Code and the Board's rules, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 213.27 - 213.33.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that all statutes and rules cited in these Charges are incorporated as part of this pleading and can be found at the Board's website, www.bon.texas.gov.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on the Disciplinary Matrix, located at 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.33(b), which can be found under the "Discipline & Complaints; Board Policies & Guidelines" section of the Board's website, www.bon.texas.gov.

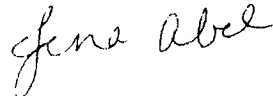
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NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that Respondent's past disciplinary history, as set out below and described in the Order(s) which is/are attached and incorporated by reference as part of these charges, will be offered in support of the disposition recommended by staff: Order(s) of the Board dated April 19, 2018.

Filed this 14th day of February, 2023.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



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Attachment(s): Order(s) of the Board dated April 19, 2018.

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Katherine A. Thomas
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of § AGREED
Registered Nurse License Number 841324 §
issued to AMY LYN WRIGHT § ORDER

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of AMY LYN WRIGHT, Registered Nurse License Number 841324, hereinafter referred to as Respondent.

Information received by the Board produced evidence that Respondent may be subject to discipline pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(10), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent waived notice and hearing and agreed to the entry of this Order approved by Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director, on January 12, 2018.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Prior to the institution of Agency proceedings, notice of the matters specified below in these Findings of Fact was served on 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 notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
3. Respondent's license to practice as a professional nurse in the State of Texas is in current status.
4. Respondent received an Associate Degree in Nursing from Grayson County College, Denison, Texas, on May 18, 2013, and a Bacclaureate Degree in Nursing from the University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas, in May 2016. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on July 18, 2013.
5. Respondent's nursing employment history includes:

07/2013-09/2013	Unknown	
10/2013-05/2017	RN	Texoma Medical Center Denison, Texas

Respondent's nursing employment history continued:

05/2014-10/2014

RN

Texas health Presbyterian-Wilson N.
Jones, Sherman, Texas

06/2017-present

Unknown

6. On or about May 5, 2017, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Texoma Medical Center, Denison, Texas, Respondent failed to take precautions to prevent the misappropriation of Trazadone in that when her lab coat was borrowed, five (5) Trazadone 50mg were found in the pocket. Hours later, Respondent admitted to then hiding the Trazadone under the charge nurse's phone stating she was going to waste them later. Respondent's conduct was likely to defraud the facility of the cost of the medication.
7. In response to Finding of Fact Number Six (6), Respondent states the previous evening she had worked at Reba McIntire Center for Rehabilitation. When the medication was found, Respondent states she could not remember how the pills ended up in her pocket. Respondent states there was no written policy on how to properly return the medication as it was not a narcotic. Respondent states her plan was to return the remaining medication to the locked return bin at the medical center because she was unsure what else to do. Respondent states when she finally did remember the medication came from Reba McIntire Center for Rehabilitation she placed the medication under the phone because she planned to return the medication.

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 violation(s) of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(4)&(6)(G).
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(10), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 841324, heretofore issued to AMY LYN WRIGHT.
5. Pursuant to Section 301.463(d), Texas Occupations Code, this Agreed Order is a settlement agreement under Rule 408, Texas Rules of Evidence, in civil or criminal litigation.

TERMS OF ORDER

I. SANCTION AND APPLICABILITY

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED, subject to ratification by the Texas Board of Nursing, that RESPONDENT SHALL receive the sanction of REMEDIAL EDUCATION WITH A FINE in accordance with the terms of this Order.

- A. This Order SHALL apply to any and all future licenses issued to Respondent to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- B. This Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- C. As a result of this Order, Respondent's license(s) will be designated "single state" and Respondent may not work outside the State of Texas in another nurse licensure compact party state.

II. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

While under the terms of this Order, RESPONDENT agrees to comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Texas Occupations Code, §§301.001 *et seq.*, the Rules and Regulations Relating to Nurse Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§211.1 *et seq.*, and this Order.

III. UNDERSTANDING BOARD ORDERS

Within thirty (30) days of entry of this Order, RESPONDENT must successfully complete the Board's online course, "Understanding Board Orders," which can be accessed on the Board's website from the "Discipline & Complaints" drop-down menu or directly at: <http://www.bon.texas.gov/UnderstandingBoardOrders/index.asp>. Upon successful completion, RESPONDENT must submit the course verification at the conclusion of the course, which automatically transmits the verification to the Board.

IV. REMEDIAL EDUCATION COURSE(S)

In addition to any continuing education requirements the Board may require for licensure renewal, RESPONDENT SHALL successfully complete the following remedial education course(s) **within one (1) year of the effective date of this Order, unless otherwise specifically indicated:**

- A. **A Board-approved course in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics** that shall be a minimum of six (6) hours in length. The course's content shall include the Nursing Practice Act, standards of practice, documentation of care, principles of nursing ethics, confidentiality, professional boundaries, and the Board's Disciplinary Sanction Policies regarding: Sexual Misconduct; Fraud, Theft and Deception; Nurses with Substance Abuse, Misuse, Substance Dependency, or other Substance Use Disorder; and Lying and Falsification. Courses focusing on malpractice issues will not be accepted. Home study courses and video programs will not be approved.
- B. The course **"Sharpening Critical Thinking Skills,"** a 3.6 contact hour online program provided by the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) Learning Extension.

In order to receive credit for completion of this/these course(s), RESPONDENT SHALL CAUSE the instructor to submit a Verification of Course Completion form or SHALL submit the continuing education certificate, as applicable, to the attention of Monitoring at the Board's office. RESPONDENT SHALL first obtain Board approval of any course prior to enrollment if the course is not being offered by a pre-approved provider. *Information about Board-approved courses and Verification of Course Completion forms are available from the Board at www.bon.texas.gov/compliance.*

V. MONETARY FINE

RESPONDENT SHALL **pay a monetary fine in the amount of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) within forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order.** Payment is to be made directly to the Texas Board of Nursing in the form of cashier's check or U.S. money order. Partial payments will not be accepted.

VI. RESTORATION OF UNENCUMBERED LICENSE(S)

Upon full compliance with the terms of this Order, all encumbrances will be removed from RESPONDENT'S license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas and, subject to meeting all existing eligibility requirements in Texas Occupations Code Chapter 304, Article III, RESPONDENT may be eligible for nurse licensure compact privileges, if any.

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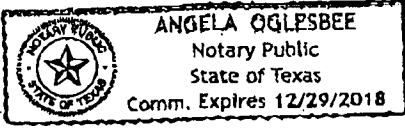
RESPONDENT'S CERTIFICATION

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 violation(s) alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the entry of this 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 when this Order becomes final and the terms of this Order become effective, a copy will be mailed to me. I understand that if I fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, I will be subject to investigation and disciplinary sanction, including possible revocation of my license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

Signed this 20 day of March, 2018.
Amy Lyn Wright
AMY LYN WRIGHT, Respondent


Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of March, 2018.
Angela Oglesbee
Notary Public in and for the State of TX

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WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the 20th day of March, 2018, by AMY LYN WRIGHT, Registered Nurse License Number 841324, and said Order is final.

Effective this 19th day of April, 2018.



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