

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE
AND DISCIPLINE**

**IN THE MATTER OF:
LISA NOYES-DUGUAY, M.D.
License Number MD09116
Controlled Substances Registration
Number CMD09116
BMLD Complaint Number C12-268**

CONSENT ORDER

Lisa Noyes-Duguay, M.D. (hereinafter "Respondent") is licensed as a physician in Rhode Island and is licensed to prescribe controlled substances under Rhode Island General Laws chapter 21-28, having both a state Controlled Substances Registration ("CSR") and a Federal Drug Enforcement Administration Registration to prescribe controlled substances. The Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline ("the Board") reviewed the complaint, the records, and the written response of the Respondent. The investigating committee found the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a licensed physician in the State of Rhode Island and was issued her license on April 24, 1996. Her primary specialty is internal medicine, in which she is board certified. She is a 1993 graduate of University of Connecticut School of Medicine. Her office address is 85 Beach Road, Building B, Westerly, Rhode Island 02891.

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2. Respondent's Controlled Substances Registration was suspended on or about September 18, 2012, after an investigation into her prescribing practices with family members revealed deficiencies with standards of practice regarding documentation and prescribing to family members and since that time, she has completed and/or cooperated with all of the corrective action required by the CSR suspension order.
3. Respondent was in civil violation of Rhode Island General Laws § 5-37-5.1(19) and (26) for failing to adhere to minimum standards of acceptable practice and for violation of state laws concerning standards of practice for documenting and prescribing of controlled substances.

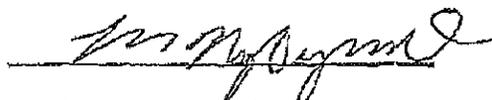
ORDER

1. Respondent's Controlled Substances Registration is hereby reinstated.
2. Respondent agrees never to prescribe controlled substances to herself or to any family member.
3. Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of the Board.
4. If ratified by the Board, Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:
 - a. The right to appear personally or by counsel or both before the Board;
 - b. The right to produce witnesses and evidence on her behalf at a hearing;
 - c. The right to cross examine witnesses;
 - d. The right to have subpoenas issued by the Board;
 - e. The right to further procedural steps except for those specifically contained herein;

- f. Any and all rights of appeal of this Consent Order; and
- g. Any objection to the fact that this Consent Order will be presented to the Board for consideration and review.
5. Respondent agrees to attend an extensive Board-approved training program the next time it is offered. Specifically, Respondent will register for and attend the next scheduled course entitled Prescribing Controlled Drugs, offered by Vanderbilt University or, as an alternative, Respondent may register for and attend the next scheduled course for a similar topic at the PACE program at the University of California, San Diego, or a similar program in New Jersey or may attend another Board-approved course within 180 days of ratification of this Consent Order.
6. Respondent hereby agrees to a Reprimand based on the facts referenced above.
7. Respondent shall cooperate for three years with a monitor pre-approved by the Board.
8. Respondent shall submit a civil administrative fee to the Board arising from investigation of the above-referenced complaint, and within one-hundred twenty (120) days of ratification of this Consent Order, Respondent shall submit a check payable to the Rhode Island General Treasury in the amount of \$1500.
9. In the event that any conditions of this Consent Order are violated after it is signed and accepted, the Director of the Department of Health shall have the discretion to impose further disciplinary action, including summarily suspending the Respondent's license to practice medicine in the State of Rhode Island. If the Director suspends such license, Respondent shall be given notice and shall have

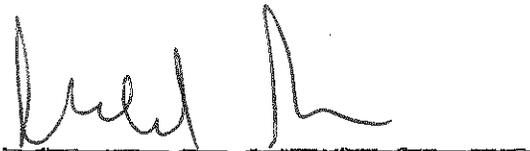
the right to request an administrative hearing within twenty (20) days of the suspension. The Director of the Department of Health shall also have the discretion to request an administrative hearing after notice to Respondent of any violation of this Consent Order. The Administrative Hearing Officer may suspend Respondent's license for the remainder of Respondent's probationary period if the alleged violation is proven by a preponderance of evidence.

Signed this 8th day of October, 2013.



Lisa Noyes Duguay, M.D.

Ratified by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline on the 9 day of October, 2013.



Michael Fine, M.D.
Director of Health
Rhode Island Department of Health