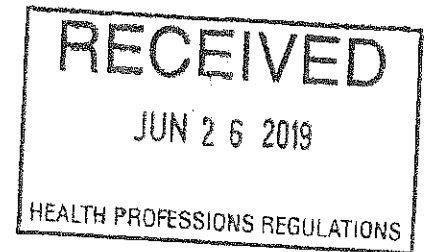


STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



IN THE MATTER OF:
ORENDA MONROE
Nursing Assistant License Number: 30729
Case No.: C-19-0307

CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-17.9-1 *et seq.* and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder, the Rhode Island Department of Health (RIDOH) and ORENDA MONROE (Respondent) enter into this Consent Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a Nursing Assistant licensed to practice in Rhode Island under Nursing Assistant License Number 30729.
2. On dates between April 21, 2017 and August 18, 2017, Respondent, while employed by the State of Rhode Island, Department of Behavioral Health Care, Developmental Disabilities, and Hospitals, illegally collected more than \$10,000 in workers' compensation benefits.
3. On or about February 21, 2019, Respondent entered a plea of nolo contendere to a charge of larceny in an amount greater than \$1,500.00, a felony. Judgment was entered on March 11, 2019.
4. The conduct described in paragraph two constitutes conduct subject to disciplinary proceedings pursuant to R. I. Gen. Laws §23-17.9-8(3) and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder.
5. Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of RIDOH.
6. Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands that this Consent Order shall become binding once signed by the Respondent and RIDOH.
7. Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:
 - a. The right to an administrative hearing on this matter;
 - b. The right to represent herself or be represented by an attorney of Respondent's own choosing at said hearing;
 - c. The right to produce testimony, witnesses, and evidence on Respondent's behalf at said hearing; and
 - d. Any and all rights of appeal.

ACCORDINGLY, AND BASED UPON THE FOREGOING

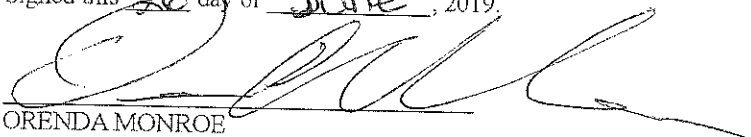
RIDOH and the Respondent hereby agree as follows:

1. Respondent will be on probation for a period of one year from the date of ratification of this Consent Order and shall ensure that her employer submits quarterly Job Performance Progress Reports to RIDOH.

2. Respondent will be required to work under direct supervision of a licensed nurse in a facility and may not work under indirect supervision in a private home during the probationary period.
3. Failure to comply with the requirement of paragraphs 2 and 3 above may result in additional disciplinary action.

This Consent Order shall become a public record.

Signed this 26 day of June, 2019.



ORENDA MONROE

Ratified by the RI Department of Health, Chief of Professional Boards and Licensing, on the 26 day of June, 2019.



ELLEN R. BALASCO
Chief of Professional Boards and Licensing