

ANDREW M. CUOMO Governor HOWARD A. ZUCKER, M.D., J.D. Commissioner

SALLY DRESLIN, M.S., R.N. Executive Deputy Commissioner

July 8, 2016

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Victoria Draper, M.D. 2555 NE 214 Street North Miami Beach, Florida 33180

RE: License No. 207131

Dear Dr. Draper:

Enclosed is a copy of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct (BPMC) Order No. 16-244. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect July 15, 2016.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a fine, please write the check payable to the New York State Department of Health. Noting the BPMC Order number on your remittance will assist in proper crediting. Payments should be directed to the following address:

Bureau of Accounts Management New York State Department of Health Corning Tower, Room 2784 Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12237

Please direct any questions to: Board for Professional Medical Conduct, 90 Church Street, 4th Floor, New York, NY 10007-2919, telephone # 212-417-4445.

Sincerely,

Henry Spector, M.D.
Acting Executive Secretary
Board for Professional Medical Conduct

cc: Amy Kulb, Esq Jacobson, Godlberg & Kulb, LLP 585 Stewart Avenue, Suite 720 Garden City, New York 11530

Enclosure

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER OF VICTORIA DRAPER, M.D.

BPMC No. 16-244

CONSENT

ORDER

Upon the application of (Respondent) Victoria Draper, M.D. in the attached Consent Agreement and Order, which is made a part of this Consent Order, it is

ORDERED, that the Consent Agreement, and its terms, are adopted and it is further

ORDERED, that this Consent Order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, either

by malling of a copy of this Consent Order, either by first class mail to Respondent at the address in the attached Consent Agreement or by certified mail to Respondent's attorney, OR

upon facsimile transmission to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is first.

SO ORDERED.

DATE: ____

ARTHUR S. HENGERER, M.D. Chair

State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

IN THE MATTER OF VICTORIA DRAPER, M.D.

CONSENT AGREEMENT

Victoria Draper, M.D., represents that all of the following statements are true:

That on or about June 24, 1997, I was licensed to practice as a physician in the State of New York, and issued License No. 207131 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is 2555 NE 214th Street, North Miami Beach, FL 33180, and I will advise the Director of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct of any change of address.

I understand that the New York State Board for Professional Medical

Conduct (Board) has charged me with one or more specifications of professional

misconduct, as set forth in a Statement of Charges, marked as Exhibit "A", attached to and
part of this Consent Agreement.

I agree not to contest the allegations, in full satisfaction of the charges against me, and agree to the following penalty:

 Pursuant to N.Y. Pub. Health Law § 230-a(1), I shall be subject to a Censure and Reprimand. Pursuant to N.Y. Pub. Health Law §§ 230-a(7) and (9), I shall be subject to a
fine in the amount of \$2,500, to be paid in full within 30 days of the effective
date of this Order. Payments must be submitted to:

Bureau of Accounts Management

New York State Department of Health

Corning Tower, Room 2784

Empire State Plaza

Albany, New York 12237

In making such payment, Respondent shall indicate the order number of this Order both on the payment check submitted and on the cover letter accompanying payment. Additionally, Respondent shall simultaneously mail a photocopy of the check and cover letter to:

Physician Monitoring Program

Office of Professional Medical Conduct

Riverview Center

150 Broadway, Suite 355

Albany, New York 12204-2719.

 Successfully complete the terms and requirements stipulated in the Florida Board Order, and any extensions or modifications thereof. Respondent shall provide a written authorization for the Florida Board to provide the Director of OPMC with any/all information or documentation as requested by OPMC to enable OPMC to determine whether Respondent is in Compliance with the Florida Board Order. I further agree that the Consent Order shall impose the following conditions:

That Respondent shall comply with each and every penalty imposed by this Order pursuant to N.Y. Pub. Health Law § 230-a; and

That Respondent shall remain in continuous compliance with all requirements of N.Y. Educ Law § 6502 including but not limited to the requirements that a licensee shall register and continue to be registered with the New York State Education Department (except during periods of actual suspension) and that a licensee shall pay all registration fees. Respondent shall not exercise the option provided in N.Y. Educ. Law § 6502(4) to avoid registration and payment of fees. This condition shall take effect 120 days after the Consent Order's effective date and will continue so long as Respondent remains a licensee in New York State; and

That Respondent shall remain in continuous compliance with all requirements of N.Y. Pub. Health Law § 2995-a(4) and 10 NYCRR 1000.5, including but not limited to the requirements that a licensee shall: report to the department all information required by the Department to develop a public physician profile for the licensee; continue to notify the department of any change in profile information within 30 days of any change (or in the case of optional information, within 365 days of such change); and, in addition to such periodic reports and notification of any changes, update his or her profile information within six months prior to the expiration date of the

licensee's registration period. Licensee shall submit changes to his or her physician profile information either electronically using the department's secure web site or on forms prescribed by the department, and licensee shall attest to the truthfulness, completeness and correctness of any changes licensee submits to the department. This condition shall take effect 30 days after the Order's effective date and shall continue so long as Respondent remains a licensee in New York State. Respondent's failure to comply with this condition, if proven and found at a hearing pursuant to N.Y. Pub. Health Law § 230, shall constitute professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(21) and N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(29). Potential penalties for failure to comply with this condition may include all penalties for professional misconduct set forth in N.Y. Pub. Health Law §230-a, including but not limited to: revocation or suspension of license, Censure and Reprimand, probation, public service and/or fines of up to \$10,000 per specification of misconduct found; and

That Respondent, by making this application, asserts that Respondent does not currently practice medicine in New York State or in any setting or jurisdiction where that practice is predicated upon Respondent's New York State medical license ("New York Practice"). As a Condition of this Order, should Respondent in the future determine to commence New York Practice, Respondent shall, prior to commencing such practice, provide ninety (90) days advance notice in writing to the Director of OPMC. Respondent may not commence such practice until after Respondent

receives the Director's written acknowledgment that this Condition has been satisfied, and shall be subject to any further Conditions the Director may impose upon Respondent's New York Practice, including having her license to practice medicine in New York placed on two years probation with a monitor with regard to prescribing based on matters underlying this Consent Agreement and/or any circumstances or information known to the Director at the time of Respondent's proposed commencement of New York Practice. Respondent, by making this Application, stipulates that, in the event the Respondent seeks to return to practice in New York, the Director shall be authorized in his sole discretion to impose whatever further Conditions the Director deems appropriate, and Respondent further stipulates that Respondent's failure to comply with such Conditions shall constitute misconduct as defined by N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(29).

That Respondent shall provide the Director, Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC), Riverview Center, 150 Broadway, Suite 355, Albany, New York 12204-2719, with the following information, in writing, and ensure that this information is kept current: a full description of Respondent's employment and practice; all professional and residential addresses and telephone numbers within and outside New York State; and all investigations, arrests, charges, convictions or disciplinary actions by any local, state or federal agency, institution or facility. Respondent shall notify OPMC, in

writing, within 30 days of any additions to or changes in the required information. This condition shall take effect 30 days after the Order's effective date and shall continue at all times until Respondent receives written notification from the Office of Professional Medical Conduct, Physician Monitoring Program, that OPMC has determined that Respondent has fully complied with and satisfied the requirements of the Order, regardless of tolling; and

That Respondent shall cooperate fully with the Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC) in its administration and enforcement of this Consent Order and in its investigations of matters concerning Respondent. Respondent shall respond in a timely manner to all OPMC requests for written periodic verification of Respondent's compliance with this Consent Order.

Respondent shall meet with a person designated by the Director of OPMC, as directed. Respondent shall respond promptly and provide all documents and information within Respondent's control, as directed. This condition shall take effect upon the Board's issuance of the Consent Order and will continue so long as Respondent remains licensed in New York State.

I stipulate that my failure to comply with any conditions of this Consent Order shall constitute misconduct as defined by N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(29).

I agree that, if I am charged with professional misconduct in future, this Consent Agreement and Order shall be admitted into evidence in that proceeding.

I ask the Board to adopt this Consent Agreement.

I understand that if the Board does not adopt this Consent Agreement, none of its terms shall bind me or constitute an admission of any of the acts of alleged misconduct; this Consent Agreement shall not be used against me in any way and shall be kept in strict confidence; and the Board's denial shall be without prejudice to the pending disciplinary proceeding and the Board's final determination pursuant to the N.Y. Pub. Health Law.

I agree that, if the Board adopts this Consent Agreement, the Chair of the Board shall issue a Consent Order in accordance with its terms. I agree that this Consent Order shall take effect upon its issuance by the Board, either by mailing of a copy of the Consent Order by first class mail to me at the address in this Consent Agreement, or to my attorney by certified mail, OR upon facsimile transmission to me or my attorney, whichever is first. The Consent Order, this agreement, and all attached Exhibits shall be public documents, with only patient identities, if any, redacted. As public documents, they may be posted on the Department's website. OPMC shall report this action to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards, and any other entities that the Director of OPMC shall deem appropriate.

I stipulate that the proposed sanction and Consent Order are authorized by N.Y.

Pub. Health Law §§ 230 and 230-a, and that the Board and OPMC have the requisite

powers to carry out all included terms. I ask the Board to adopt this Consent Agreement of my own free will and not under duress, compulsion or restraint. In consideration of the value to me of the Board's adoption of this Consent Agreement, allowing me to resolve this matter without the various risks and burdens of a hearing on the merits, I knowingly waive my right to contest the Consent Order for which I apply, whether administratively or judicially, I agree to be bound by the Consent Order, and I ask that the Board adopt this Consent Agreement.

I understand and agree that the attorney for the Department, the Director of OPMC and the Chair of the Board each retain complete discretion either to enter into the proposed agreement and Consent Order, based upon my application, or to decline to do so. I further understand and agree that no prior or separate written or oral communication can limit that discretion.

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VICTORIA DRAPER, M.D.'
RESPONDENT

The undersigned agree to Respondent's attached Consent Agreement and to its proposed penalty, terms and conditions.

DATE: 7-116

AMY KUB, ESQ. Attorney for Respondent

DATE: 7/11/6

IAN H. SILVERMAN, ESQ. Associate Counsel Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

DATE: 7/5/16

-KÉITH W. SERVÍS

Director

Office of Professional Medical Conduct

	EXHIBIT"A"
COLUMN TO SERVICE	

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER

OF

VICTORIA DRAPER, M.D.

STATEMENT

OF

CHARGES

Victoria Draper, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on or about June 24, 1997 by the issuance of license number 207131 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. On or about February 16, 2015 the Florida Board of Medicine ("Florida Board") executed a Final Order (Order) that adopted, incorporated and amended a proposed Settlement Agreement signed by the Respondent. The action by the Florida Board was based on the Respondent prescribing large quantities of Oxycodone, Hydrocodone, Valium, Xanax, and Ambien to several patients for several months without maintaining medical records documenting a medical justification for the course of treatment. The Florida Board found that the Respondent (1) failed to meet the prevailing standard of care in the treatment of patients with chronic pain; (2) failed to create treatment plans; (3) failed to establish grounds to justify the need for the controlled substances she prescribed; (4) failed to refer patients for evaluations; (5) failed to address inconsistent urine testing and (6) failed to maintain adequate, legible medical records. Based on the above, the Respondent received a Reprimand, was placed on six months' probation with monitoring, a fine of \$45,000, assessed with costs of \$6,516.72 and ordered to complete five hours of continuing medical education in the area of medical ethics.
- B. On or about June 8, 2015 the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure issued an Agreed Order based upon the Florida Board's Order, which limited the Respondent's license to practice in Kentucky indefinitely. The Respondent was

- reprimanded, placed on six months probation and prohibited from practicing at, operating, managing or owning a pain management clinic.
- C. On or about August 26, 2015, the Michigan Board of Medicine (Michigan Board) issued a Consent Order limiting the Respondent's medical license based upon the Florida Board's action. The Michigan Board ordered the Respondent not to practice in Michigan until she has provided satisfactory evidence that she has complied with the conditions imposed by the Florida Board and paid a fine of \$1,000.
- D. Respondent's conduct as described above, upon which the finding of unprofessional conduct in Florida was based would, if committed in New York State, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of the State of New York as follows:
- 1. New York Education Law §6530(3) (practicing the profession with negligence on more than one occasion; and/or
- 2. New York Education Law §6530(32) (falling to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the evaluation of the patient)

SPECIFICATION OF CHARGES FIRST SPECIFICATION

HAVING BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF PROFESSIONAL MISCONDUCT

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(9)(b) by having been found guilty of improper professional practice or professional misconduct by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state where the conduct upon which the finding was based would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state (namely N.Y. Educ. Law §§ 6530 (3) and/or (32)) as alleged in the facts of the following:

1. The facts in Paragraph A and D.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

HAVING HAD DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(9)(d) by having his or her license to practice medicine revoked, suspended or having other disciplinary action taken, or having his or her application for a license refused, revoked or suspended or having voluntarily or otherwise surrendered his or her license after a disciplinary action was instituted by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the revocation, suspension or other disciplinary action involving the license or refusal, revocation or suspension of an application for a license or the surrender of the license would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state (namely N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(3) and/or (32)) as alleged in the facts of the following:

2. The facts in Paragraph A, and D.

DATE:May 2, 2016 Albany, New York

> Michael A. Hiser Deputy Counsel Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct