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July 22, 2004

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Shahid Malik, M.D.

REDACTED

RE: License No. 153460

Dear Dr. Malik:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 04-164 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect July 29, 2004.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension of this license, you are required to deliver to the Board the license and registration within five (5) days or receipt of the of the Order to:

Board for Professional Medical Conduct
New York State Department of Health
Hedley Park Place, Suite 303
433 River Street
Troy, New York 12180

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 1258
Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12237

Sincerely,

REDACTED

~~Ansel R. Marks, M.D., J.D.~~
Executive Secretary
Board for Professional Medical Conduct

cc: Kevin D. Porter, Esq
Barlett, McDonough, Bastone & Monaghan, LLP
81 Main Street
White Plains, NY 10601-1711

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

**IN THE MATTER
OF
SHAHID MALIK, M.D.**

**CONSENT
ORDER**

BPMC No. 04-164

Upon the application of (Respondent) SHAHID MALIK, 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 **SO ORDERED**, and it is further

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

- by mailing 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.

DATED: 7/21/04

REDACTED

MICHAEL A. GONZALEZ, R.P.A.
Vice Chair
State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

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

**IN THE MATTER
OF
SHAHID MALIK, M.D.**

**CONSENT
AGREEMENT
AND
ORDER**

SHAHID MALIK, M.D., representing that all of the following statements are true, deposes and says:

That on or about March 11, 1983, I was licensed to practice as a physician in the State of New York, and issued License No. 153460 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is REDACTED, 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 has charged me with three specifications of professional misconduct.

A copy of the Statement of Charges, marked as Exhibit "A", is attached to and part of this Consent Agreement.

I cannot successfully defend against at least one of the acts of misconduct alleged in the Statement of Charges, in full satisfaction of the charges against me, and agree to the following penalty:

Pursuant to §230-a(2) of the Public Health law, my license to practice medicine in the State of New York shall be suspended for a period of 12 months, with the suspension to be stayed. Pursuant to §230-a(9) of the Public Health Law, I shall be placed on probation for a period of 36 months, subject to the terms set forth in attached Exhibit "B." Pursuant to §§230-a(7) and (9) of the Public Health Law, I shall be subject to a \$2500 fine, to be paid in full within one year of the effective date of this Order, and as further set forth in Exhibit "B."

I further agree that the Consent Order shall impose the following conditions:

That Respondent shall maintain active registration of his license with the New York State Education Department Division of Professional Licensing Services (except during periods of actual suspension), and shall pay all registration fees. This condition shall take effect 30 days after the Consent Order's effective date and will continue so long as Respondent remains licensed in New York State; and

That Respondent shall cooperate fully with the Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC) in its administration and enforcement of this 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 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 Order shall constitute misconduct as defined by New York State Education 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 Public 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 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.

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 ask that the Board adopt this Consent Agreement.

DATED 6/25/04

REDACTED

SHAHID MALIK, M.D.
RESPONDENT

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

DATE: 6/25/04

REDACTED

KEVIN PORTER, ESQ.
Attorney for Respondent

DATE: 6/28/04

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MARCIA E. KAPLAN
Associate Counsel
Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

DATE: 7/16/04

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DENNIS J. GRAZIANO
Director
Office of Professional Medical Conduct

EXHIBIT "A"

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

**IN THE MATTER
OF
SHAHID MALIK, M.D.**

**STATEMENT
OF
CHARGES**

Shahid Malik, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on or about March 11, 1983, by the issuance of license number 153460 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. Respondent provided medical treatment to Patient A from in or about 1998 through in or about May 2001. (Patient names are contained in the attached Appendix)
1. Respondent inappropriately prescribed medication for Patient A in that he failed to appropriately examine Patient A, and/or note such examination, prior to prescribing medication.
 2. Respondent failed to maintain adequate records with respect to his care and treatment of Patient A.
- B. On June 8, 2001, as part of an investigation, the Department of Health requested medical records from Respondent.
1. Respondent failed to maintain such records and/or to provide such records to the Department of Health.

SPECIFICATION OF CHARGES

FIRST SPECIFICATION

NEGLIGENCE ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(3) by practicing the profession of medicine with negligence on more than one occasion as alleged in the following:

1. Paragraph A and its subparagraphs.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

FAILURE TO MAKE RECORDS AVAILABLE

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(28) by failing to respond within 30 days to written communications from the Department of Health and to make available any relevant records, as alleged in the facts of:

2. Paragraph B and B1.

THIRD SPECIFICATION

FAILURE TO MAINTAIN RECORDS

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(32) by failing to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the care and treatment of the patient, as alleged in the facts of:

3. Paragraph B and B.1.

DATED: June 28, 2004
New York, New York

REDACTED

Roy Nemerson
Deputy Counsel
Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

EXHIBIT "B"

Terms of Probation

1. Respondent shall conduct himself in all ways in a manner befitting his professional status, and shall conform fully to the moral and professional standards of conduct and obligations imposed by law and by his profession.
2. Respondent shall submit written notification to the New York State Department of Health addressed to the Director of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct, New York State Department of Health, 433 River Street, Suite 303, Troy, New York 12180-2299; said notice is to include a full description of any employment and practice, professional and residential addresses and telephone numbers within or without New York State, and any and all investigations, charges, convictions or disciplinary actions by any local, state or federal agency, institution or facility, within thirty days of each action.
3. Any civil penalty not paid by the date prescribed herein shall be subject to all provisions of law relating to debt collection by New York State. This includes but is not limited to the imposition of late payment charges and collection fees; referral to the New York State Department of Taxation for collection; and non-renewal of permits or licenses [Tax Law section 171(27); State Finance Law section 18; CPLR section 5001; Executive Law section 32].
4. The period of probation shall be tolled during periods in which Respondent is not engaged in the active practice of medicine in New York State. Respondent shall notify the Director of OPMC, in writing, if Respondent is not currently engaged in or intends to leave the practice of medicine in New York State for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days or more. Respondent shall then notify the Director again prior to any change in that status. The period of probation shall resume and any terms of probation which were not fulfilled shall be fulfilled upon Respondent's return to practice in New York State.
5. Respondent's professional performance may be reviewed by the Director of OPMC. This review may include, but shall not be limited to, a review of office records, patient records and/or hospital charts, interviews with or periodic visits with Respondent and his staff at practice locations or OPMC offices.
6. Respondent shall maintain legible and complete medical records which accurately reflect the evaluation and treatment of patients. The medical records shall contain all information required by State rules and regulations regarding controlled substances.
7. Within thirty days of the effective date of the order, Respondent shall practice medicine only when monitored by a licensed physician, board certified in an appropriate specialty, ("practice monitor") proposed by Respondent and subject to the written approval of the Director of OPMC.
 - a. Respondent shall make available to the monitor any and all records or access to the practice requested by the monitor, including on-site observation. The practice monitor shall visit Respondent's medical practice at each and every location, on a random unannounced basis at least monthly and shall examine a selection (no fewer than 20) of records maintained by Respondent, including patient records, prescribing information and office records. The review will determine whether the Respondent's medical practice is conducted

in accordance with the generally accepted standards of professional medical care. Any perceived deviation of accepted standards of medical care or refusal to cooperate with the monitor shall be reported within 24 hours to OPMC.

- b. Respondent shall be solely responsible for all expenses associated with monitoring, including fees, if any, to the monitoring physician.
 - c. Respondent shall cause the practice monitor to report quarterly, in writing, to the Director of OPMC.
 - d. Respondent shall maintain medical malpractice insurance coverage with limits no less than \$2 million per occurrence and \$6 million per policy year, in accordance with Section 230(18)(b) of the Public Health Law. Proof of coverage shall be submitted to the Director of OPMC prior to Respondent's practice after the effective date of this Order.
8. Respondent shall enroll in and complete a continuing education program in the area of medical recordkeeping. This continuing education program is subject to the Director of OPMC's prior written approval and shall be completed within the first year of the probation period.
9. Respondent shall submit all required Physician Profile information to the New York State Department of Health within 30 days of the effective date of this Order.
10. A \$2500.00 fine is payable in full within one year of the effective date of this Order. Payments must be submitted to :
- Bureau of Accounts Management
New York State Department of Health
Empire State Plaza
Corning Tower, Room 1245
Albany, New York 12237
11. Respondent shall comply with all terms, conditions, restrictions, limitations, and penalties to which he is subject pursuant to the Order and shall assume and bear all costs related to compliance. Upon receipt of evidence of noncompliance with, or any violation of these terms, the Director of OPMC and/or the Board may initiate a violation of probation proceeding and/or such other proceeding against Respondent as may be authorized to the law.