



New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

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August 14, 1998

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Amante Dalimot, M.D.
PO Box 1074
Edgewood, New York 11717

RE: License No. 116179

Dear Dr. Dalimot:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 98-180 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect **August 14, 1998.**

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 of receipt of the Order.

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

Sincerely,

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

Enclosure

cc: Daniel Guenzburger, Esq.

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

IN THE MATTER
OF
AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D.

SURRENDER
OF
LICENSE

BPMC #98-180

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss.:

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK)

AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D., being duly sworn, deposes and says:

On or about June 11, 1973, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 116179 by the New York State Education Department.

My current mailing address is P.O. Box 1074, Edgewood, NY 11717, and my home street address is 71 Wildwood Drive, Dix Hills, NY 11746.

I understand that I have been charged with thirteen specifications of professional misconduct as set forth in the Statement of Charges, annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A".

I am applying to the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct for permission to surrender my license as a physician in the State of New York on the grounds that I agree not to contest the allegations of misconduct in full satisfaction of the Statement of Charges.

I hereby make this application to the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct and request that it be granted.

I understand that, in the event that the application is not granted by the State

Board for Professional Medical Conduct, nothing contained herein shall be binding upon me or construed to be an admission of any act of misconduct alleged or charged against me, such application shall not be used against me in any way, and shall be kept in strict confidence during the pendency of the professional misconduct disciplinary proceeding; and such denial by the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct shall be made without prejudice to the continuance of any disciplinary proceeding and the final determination by a Committee on Professional Medical Conduct pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Law.

I agree that, in the event the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct grants my application, an order shall be issued striking my name from the roster of physicians in the State of New York without further notice to me. I agree that such order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, which may be accomplished by mailing, by first class mail, a copy of the Surrender Order to me at the address set forth in this agreement, or to my attorney, or upon transmission via facsimile to me or my attorney, whichever is earliest.

I am making this Application of my own free will and accord and not under duress, compulsion or restraint of any kind or manner. In consideration of the value to me of the acceptance by the Board of this Application, allowing me to resolve this matter without the various risks and burdens of a hearing on the merits, I knowingly waive any right I may have to contest the Surrender Order for which I hereby apply, whether administratively or judicially, and ask that the Application be granted.

AFFIRMED:

DATED 7-28-98


AMANTE DALIMOT, M.D.
RESPONDENT

The undersigned agree to the attached application of the Respondent to surrender his license.

Date: 7/29/98

Dan Guenzburger
Daniel Guenzburger
Assistant Counsel
Bureau of Professional
Medical Conduct

Date: July 31 1998

Anne F. Saile
ANNE F. SAILE
Director
Office of Professional Medical Conduct

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

IN THE MATTER
OF
AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D.

SURRENDER
ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D. (Respondent) to Surrender his license as a physician in the State of New York, which proposed agreement is made a part hereof, it is agreed to and

ORDERED, that the application and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted; it is further

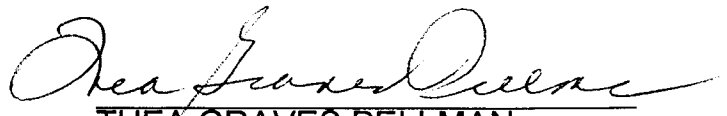
ORDERED, that the name of Respondent be stricken from the roster of physicians in the State of New York; it is further

ORDERED, that this order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, which may be accomplished by mailing, by first class mail, a copy of the Surrender Order to Respondent at the address set forth in this agreement or to Respondent's attorney by certified mail, or upon transmission via facsimile to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is earliest.

SO ORDERED.

DATED

August 7, 1998


THEA GRAVES PELLMAN
Vice-Chairperson
State Board for Professional
Medical Conduct

"EXHIBIT A"

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

IN THE MATTER
OF
AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D.

STATEMENT
OF
CHARGES

AMONTE DALIMOT, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on or about June 11, 1973, by the issuance of license number 116179 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. Patient A, a 44 year old male, presented to the Southside Hospital Emergency Room, Bayside, New York on or about March 5, 1996 with a complaint of a bad headache for 6 hours. Respondent treated Patient A with Demerol and Toradol and discharged the patient. Patient A was found in a coma eight hours after having been discharged by Respondent. Respondent's conduct deviated from medically accepted standards in that he:
1. Failed to take an adequate history, including but not limited to an adequate history of the Patient's headaches.
 2. Failed to perform an adequate physical examination, including but not limited to an appropriate neurological examination.
 3. Failed to order a CT scan.

4. Failed to perform an adequate discharge assessment, including taking vital signs.

B. Patient B, a 20 year old female, presented to the Southside Hospital Emergency Room on October 5, 1992 with a complaint of headache for two days, vomiting for several hours, and recent increased thirst. Her heart rate at the time of admission was 120. Respondent treated the patient with Demerol and Phenergan and discharged her from the Emergency Room. Within several hours of her discharge, Patient B returned to the Emergency Room where she was diagnosed as being in diabetic ketoacidosis. Respondent's conduct deviated from medically accepted standards in that he:

1. Failed to take an adequate history.
2. Failed to perform appropriate laboratory tests, including but not limited to urinalysis and/or serum chemistries.

C. Patient C, a 58 year old female, presented to the Southside Hospital Emergency Department on November 21, 1995 complaining of fullness in her chest and palpitations following an automobile accident. Patient C had a history of arrhythmias and diabetes. The day after Respondent discharged Patient C from the Emergency Room another physician interpreted Patient C's EKG as abnormal and ordered the patient to return to the hospital. Respondent's conduct deviated from medically accepted standards in that he:

1. Failed to appropriately interpret Patient C's EKG.

2. Failed to obtain cardiac enzymes.
3. Failed to admit the patient for observation.
4. Failed to maintain a record that accurately reflects the evaluation and treatment of the patient, including but not limited to failing to note an interpretation of Patient C's x-rays and EKG.

D. Patient D, a 36 year old female, presented to the Southside Hospital Emergency Department on June 13, 1993 complaining of abdominal pain and vaginal bleeding. She was 7 weeks pregnant. Respondent discharged Patient D with a diagnosis of "threatened abortion" and with instructions for leg elevation and complete bed rest. Several hours after her discharge, Patient D returned to the emergency room with complaints of more severe pain, continued bleeding, and vomiting. Respondent's conduct deviated from medically accepted standards in that he:

1. Failed to take an adequate history.
2. Failed to perform an adequate physical examination.
3. Failed to order a sonogram to evaluate for ectopic pregnancy.
4. Failed to diagnose an ectopic pregnancy.
5. Failed to admit the patient for treatment for ectopic pregnancy.

E. Patient E, a 74 year old male, presented to the Southside Hospital Emergency Room on September 4, 1994 complaining of bilateral groin and back pain. Patient E reported a history of ulcer, emphysema, and abdominal aortic aneurysm. Patient E had an abnormal hematocrit of 39 and an elevated blood count of 11,500 and his urinalysis was abnormal for nitrites. Respondent diagnosed urinary tract infection and discharged the patient with a prescription for an anti-biotic. The following day Patient E returned to the hospital and was diagnosed with a ruptured abdominal aortic aneurysm. Respondent's conduct deviated from medically accepted standards in that he:

1. Failed to take an adequate history.
2. Failed to order either an abdominal CT scan, sonogram and/or aortogram.
3. Failed to obtain a vascular surgery consultation.
4. Failed to diagnose abdominal aortic aneurysm.
5. Inappropriately diagnosed urinary tract infection.
6. Discharged Patient E without ordering adequate follow-up care.

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)(McKinney Supp. 1998) by practicing the profession of medicine with negligence on more than one occasion as alleged in the facts of two or more of the following:

1. Paragraphs A, A1, A2, A3, A4; B, B1, B2; C, C1, C2, C3, C4; D, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5; E, E1, E2, E3, E4, E5 and/or E6.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

INCOMPETENCE ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(5)(McKinney Supp. 1998) by practicing the profession of medicine with incompetence on more than one occasion as alleged in the facts of two or more of the following:

2. Paragraphs A, A1, A2, A3, A4; B, B1, B2; C, C1, C2, C3, C4; D, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5; E, E1, E2, E3, E4, E5 and/or E6.

THIRD THROUGH SEVENTH SPECIFICATIONS

GROSS NEGLIGENCE

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(4)(McKinney Supp. 1998) by practicing the profession of medicine with gross negligence as alleged in the facts of the following:

3. Paragraphs A, A1, A2, A3, and A4.
4. Paragraphs B, B1, and B2.
5. Paragraphs C, C1, C2, C3, and C4.
6. Paragraphs D, D1, D2, D3, D4 and D5.
7. Paragraphs E, E1, E2, E3, E4 E5, and E6.

EIGHTH THROUGH TWELFTH SPECIFICATIONS

GROSS INCOMPETENCE

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(6)(McKinney Supp. 1998) by practicing the profession of medicine with gross incompetence as alleged in the facts of the following:

8. Paragraphs A, A1, A2, A3, and A4.
9. Paragraphs B, B1, and B2.
10. Paragraphs C, C1, C2, C3, and C4.
11. Paragraphs D, D1, D2, D3, D4 and D5.
12. Paragraphs E, E1, E2, E3, E4 E5, and E6.

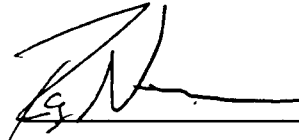
THIRTEENTH SPECIFICATION
FAILURE TO MAINTAIN RECORDS

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law §(32)(McKinney Supp. 1998) 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:

13. Paragraphs C and C4.

DATED:

July
~~June~~ 17, 1998
New York, New York



ROY NEMERSON
Deputy Counsel
Bureau of Professional
Medical Conduct