



May 13, 2020

Case number: 20-CRF-*8864*

Larry Everhart, M.D.
300 Glen Village Court
Powell, Ohio 43065

Dear Doctor Everhart:

In accordance with Chapter 119., Ohio Revised Code, you are hereby notified that the State Medical Board of Ohio [Board] intends to determine whether or not to limit, revoke, permanently revoke, suspend, refuse to grant or register or renew or reinstate your license or certificate to practice medicine and surgery, or to reprimand you or place you on probation for one or more of the following reasons:

- (1) From on or about January 24, 2005 to July 24, 2019 you provided care to Patients 1-10 as identified in the attached Patient Key (Key is confidential and to be withheld from public disclosure.) You relied on the Meridian Stress Assessment (M.S.A.) to diagnose and subsequently treat Patients 1-10. The M.S.A. is an unproven electrodermal diagnostic device which uses acupuncture theory and galvanic skin response to make specific diagnoses in the correlated organs. Furthermore, you failed to confirm M.S.A. results through appropriate laboratory testing and/or consultation from a specialist before employing treatment measures.
 - a. In regard to your care of Patients 1-10, you inappropriately prescribed the antiparasitic drug Mebendazole and you prescribed it in excess of recommended dosages. Mebendazole is commonly used to treat parasitic intestinal worms, diagnoses that you did not appropriately confirm as stated in paragraph (1).
 - b. In regard to your care of Patients 1-10, you inappropriately prescribed multiple antibiotics and you prescribed them in excess of recommended dosages to treat Lyme disease, Babesia, and/or other diagnoses that you did not appropriately confirm as stated in paragraph (1).
 - c. Additionally, your medical records for Patients 1-10 were incomplete and/or illegible.

Your acts, conduct, and/or omissions as alleged in paragraphs (1) and (1)(a) through (1)(c) above, individually and/or collectively, constitute a "departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established," as that clause is used in Section 4731.22(B)(6), Ohio Revised Code.

Further, your acts, conduct, and/or omissions as alleged in paragraphs (1) and (1)(a) through (1)(c) above, individually and/or collectively, constitute "[f]ailure to maintain minimal standards applicable

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to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease," as that clause is used in Section 4731.22(B)(2), Ohio Revised Code.

Furthermore, for any violations that occurred on or after September 29, 2015, the board may impose a civil penalty in an amount that shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars, pursuant to Section 4731.225, Ohio Revised Code. The civil penalty may be in addition to any other action the board may take under section 4731.22, Ohio Revised Code.

Pursuant to Chapter 119., Ohio Revised Code, you are hereby advised that you are entitled to a hearing in this matter. If you wish to request such hearing, the request must be made in writing and must be received in the offices of the State Medical Board within thirty days of the time of mailing of this notice.

You are further advised that, if you timely request a hearing, you are entitled to appear at such hearing in person, or by your attorney, or by such other representative as is permitted to practice before this agency, or you may present your position, arguments, or contentions in writing, and that at the hearing you may present evidence and examine witnesses appearing for or against you.

In the event that there is no request for such hearing received within thirty days of the time of mailing of this notice, the State Medical Board may, in your absence and upon consideration of this matter, determine whether or not to limit, revoke, permanently revoke, suspend, refuse to grant or register or renew or reinstate your certificate or license to practice medicine and surgery or to reprimand you or place you on probation.

Please note that, whether or not you request a hearing, Section 4731.22(L), Ohio Revised Code, provides that "[w]hen the board refuses to grant or issue a license or certificate to practice to an applicant, revokes an individual's license or certificate to practice, refuses to renew an individual's license or certificate to practice, or refuses to reinstate an individual's license or certificate to practice, the board may specify that its action is permanent. An individual subject to a permanent action taken by the board is forever thereafter ineligible to hold a license or certificate to practice and the board shall not accept an application for reinstatement of the license or certificate or for issuance of a new license or certificate."

Copies of the applicable sections are enclosed for your information.

Very truly yours,



Mark Bechtel, M.D.
Acting Secretary

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Enclosures

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**IN THE MATTER OF
LARRY S. EVERHART, MD**

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**MAY 13, 2020, NOTICE OF
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PATIENT KEY**

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