

IN THE MATTER OF

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BEFORE THE

STEPHEN R. FELDMAN, M.D.

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MARYLAND STATE

Respondent

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BOARD OF PHYSICIANS

License Number: D28122

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Case Number: 7720-0092

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TERMINATION ORDER

On March 11, 2020, Disciplinary Panel A (the "Panel") of the Maryland State Board of Physicians and Stephen R. Feldman, M.D., entered into a Consent Order, wherein the Panel concluded, as a matter of law, that Dr. Feldman engaged in unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine, in violation of Health Occ. § 14-404(a)(3)(ii), and engaged in sexual misconduct by slapping a patient's buttocks, a sexualized body part, in violation of COMAR 10.32.17.¹ Dr. Feldman was reprimanded, permanently prohibited from evaluating and treating all female patients without a chaperone, and ordered to successfully complete an ethics course in appropriate boundaries within six (6) months. Dr. Feldman has completed the ethics course in appropriate boundaries. It is thus hereby

ORDERED that the ethics course in appropriate boundaries imposed by the March 11, 2020 Consent Order has been **SATISFIED**; and it is further

ORDERED that the reprimand remains in effect; and it is further

ORDERED that the permanent prohibition from evaluating and treating all female patients without a chaperone remains in effect; and it is further

ORDERED that on every January 31st thereafter if the Respondent holds a Maryland medical license, the Respondent shall provide the Board with an affidavit verifying that the Respondent has

¹ A copy of the March 11, 2020 Consent Order is incorporated by reference and available upon request.

had a chaperone present for every examination or treatment of any patient or type of patient for whom the requirement of a chaperone was imposed; the names of those persons who have functioned as chaperones in the past year; and the signatures of those persons who have functioned as a chaperone in the past month attesting that they have done so, together with the schedule of the chaperone for the past month; and it is further

ORDERED that if the Respondent fails to provide the required annual verification of compliance with this condition:

- (1) there is a presumption that the Respondent has violated the permanent condition of the March 11, 2020 Consent Order; and
- (2) the alleged violation will be adjudicated pursuant to the procedures of a show cause hearing; and is further

ORDERED that this is a public document.

09/02/2020

Date

Signature on File

Christine A. Farrelly ' U O
Executive Director
Maryland State Board of Physicians