

IN THE MATTER OF  
JULIAN PAPPY CHOE, M.D.

Respondent

License Number: D45519

\* BEFORE THE  
\* MARYLAND STATE  
\* BOARD OF PHYSICIANS  
\* Case Number: 7721-0117

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**ORDER**

On April 9, 2021, Disciplinary Panel B of the Maryland State Board of Physicians issued a Final Decision and Order that concluded, as a matter of law, that Julian Pappy Choe, M.D., was guilty of immoral and unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine. The Final Decision and Order reprimanded Dr. Choe, permanently prohibited him from evaluating or treating female patients without a chaperone, and placed him on probation for a minimum of one year with certain terms and conditions.<sup>1</sup> Dr. Choe has complied with the terms and conditions of the probation. It is thus hereby

**ORDERED** that the probation imposed by the April 9, 2021 Final Decision and Order is **TERMINATED**; and it is further

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

**ORDERED** that the permanent prohibition on Dr. Choe evaluating or treating female patients without a chaperone present remains in effect. The following terms apply:

- (1) The chaperone used shall not be a family member or spouse of Dr. Choe;
- (2) If Dr. Choe holds a Maryland medical license, on every January 31st thereafter, Dr. Choe shall provide the Board with:

- (a) an affidavit verifying that he has had a chaperone present for every examination or treatment of any female patient;

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<sup>1</sup> April 9, 2021 Final Decision and Order is incorporated by reference and available upon request.

(b) the names of those persons who have functioned as chaperones in the past year;  
and

(c) 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 chaperones for the past month;

(3) If Dr. Choe fails to provide the required annual verification of compliance with this condition:

(a) there is a presumption that Dr. Choe has violated the permanent condition of this Order; and

(b) the alleged violation will be adjudicated pursuant to the procedures of a show cause hearing; and it is further

**ORDERED** that this is a public document.

## *Signature On File*

04/11/2022

Date

Christine A. Farrelly  
Executive Director  
Maryland State Board of Physicians