

IN THE MATTER OF * **BEFORE THE MARYLAND**
DAVID KASSOP, M.D. * **STATE BOARD OF**
Respondent * **PHYSICIANS**
License Number: D68010 * **Case Number: 2219-0110**

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CONSENT ORDER

BACKGROUND

The Maryland Board of Physicians (the “Maryland Board”) received information that David Kassop, M.D., (the “Respondent”), License Number: D68010, was disciplined by the United States Army Medical Command (“the U.S. Army Medical Command”). On August 20, 2016, the Respondent received a Memorandum of Reprimand.

Based on the above referenced U.S. Army Medical Command sanction, the Maryland Board has grounds to charge the Respondent with violating the following provisions of the Maryland Medical Practice Act (the “Act”), under H. O. § 14-404(a):

- (a) Subject to the hearing provisions of § 14-405 of this subtitle, a disciplinary panel, on the affirmative vote of a majority of the quorum of the disciplinary panel, may reprimand any licensee, place any licensee on probation, or suspend or revoke a license if the licensee:
 - (21) Is disciplined by a licensing or disciplinary authority or convicted or disciplined by a court of any state or country or disciplined by any branch of the United States uniformed services or the Veteran’s Administration for an act that would be grounds for disciplinary action under this section,

The Maryland Board has determined that the acts for which the Respondent was disciplined by the U.S. Army Medical Command would be grounds for disciplinary

action under H.O. § 14-404(a). The grounds for disciplinary action under H.O. § 14-404(a) are as follows:

(3ii) Is guilty of:

Unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine

Based on the action taken by the U.S. Army Medical Command, the Respondent agrees to enter into this Consent Order with the Maryland Board of Physicians, consisting of Procedural Background, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order of reciprocal action.

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

The Board finds the following:

1. At all times relevant hereto, the Respondent was a physician licensed to practice medicine in the State of Maryland. The Respondent was initially licensed in Maryland on or about July 30, 2008.

2. The U.S. Army issued a Memorandum of Reprimand on August 20, 2016 based on the Respondent exceeding his authorized access to a United States Government computer and wrongful disclosure of the Individually Identifiable Health Information without authorization or authority.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Maryland Board concludes as a matter of law that the disciplinary action taken by the U.S. Army Medical Command against the Respondent was for an act or acts that would be grounds for disciplinary action under Health Occ. § 14-404(a)(3ii) had those offenses been committed in this state.

III. ORDER

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the Respondent is hereby **REPRIMANDED**; and be it further

ORDERED that this **CONSENT ORDER** is a **PUBLIC DOCUMENT** pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. §§4-101 through 4-601 (2014).

02/12/2019
Date

Christine A. Farrelly
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Executive Director
Maryland Board of Physicians

CONSENT

I, David Kassop, M.D., acknowledge that I have had the opportunity to consult with counsel before signing this document. By this Consent, I admit to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, and I agree and accept to be bound by this Consent Order and its conditions and restrictions. I waive any rights I may have had to contest the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

I acknowledge the validity of this Consent Order as if entered into after the conclusion of a formal evidentiary hearing in which I would have had the right to counsel, to confront witnesses, to give testimony, to call witnesses on my behalf, and to all other substantive and procedural protections as provided by law. I acknowledge the legal authority and the jurisdiction of the Board to initiate these proceedings and to issue and enforce this Consent Order. I also affirm that I am waiving my right to appeal any adverse ruling of the Board that might have followed any such hearing.

I sign this Consent Order after having had an opportunity to consult with counsel, without reservation, and I fully understand and comprehend the language, meaning and

terms of this Consent Order. I voluntarily sign this Consent Order, and understand its meaning and effect.

Signature on File

Date 1/26/19

David Kassop, M.D.
Respondent

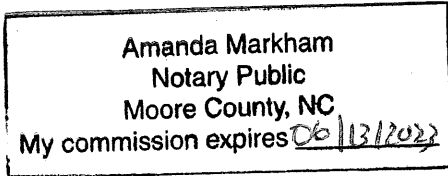
NOTARY

STATE OF NC

CITY/COUNTY OF Moore

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 26 day of January, 2019, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public for the State and City/County aforesaid, personally appeared David Kassop, M.D., and made oath in due form of law that the execution of the foregoing Consent Agreement was his voluntary act and deed.

AS WITNESSETH my hand and my notarial seal



Amanda Markham
Notary Public

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 06/13/2023