

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of)	Case No. 7464
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JANICE DORN, M.D.)	
)	TERMINATION ORDER
Holder of License No. 15548)	
For the Practice of Medicine)	
In the State of Arizona.)	
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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Board's Order of Probation dated January 21, 1995 is terminated.

DATED this 28th day of April 2000.

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

[SEAL]

By Tom Adams
Claudia Foutz
Executive Director
Tom Adams
Assistant Director, Regulation

EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing Order mailed
by Certified Mail this 1st day of
May 2000 to:

JANICE DORN, M.D.
(Address of Record)

Kathleen Miller

Coordinator, Monitored Aftercare Program

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of)	
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JANICE B. DORN, M.D.)	FINDINGS OF FACT,
)	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
Holder of License No. 15548)	AND ORDER OF PROBATION
For the Practice of Medicine)	
In the State of Arizona.)	
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JANICE B. DORN, M.D. appeared before the Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") on October 22, 1994, to request reactivation of License No. 15548. The Board continued the matter. On January 21, 1995, Dr. DORN appeared before the Board and after evaluating the information presented in this case, the Board adopted the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order of Probation:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of Arizona is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and control of the practice of medicine in the State of Arizona.
2. JANICE B. DORN, M.D., is the holder of License No. 15548 for the practice of medicine in the State of Arizona.
3. On January 19, 1990, Dr. DORN entered into a Stipulation for substance abuse rehabilitation with the Board. The Board issued its rehabilitation Order that same date.
4. Upon Dr. DORN's successful completion of the rehabilitation program, on October 24, 1993, the January 19, 1990 Stipulation and Order was terminated effective January 20, 1994.

5. On or before February 6, 1994, Dr. DORN became impaired by alcohol or drug abuse and was unable to safely practice medicine. Because of the impairment following termination of the rehabilitation Stipulation and Order, Dr. DORN requested that her medical license be placed on inactive status with cause as required by A.R.S. §32-1452(F). On April 14, 1994, the Board voted to inactivate Dr. DORN's medical license with cause pursuant to A.R.S. §§32-1452(F) and 32-1451(D).

6. On or about March 6, 1994 Dr. DORN entered into long-term residential treatment for substance abuse at Talbott-Marsh Recovery Center in Atlanta, Georgia, and was discharged on or about August 13, 1994, after successfully completing the treatment program. On Dr. DORN's return follow-up visit to Talbott on October 17 and 18, 1994, Talbott staff recommended that (a) Dr. DORN not practice addiction medicine for a minimum of two (2) years, (b) that she limit her practice of psychiatry to a part-time, twenty (20) hour work week, and (c) that she practice medicine only in a group setting.

7. Dr. DORN appeared before the Board on October 22, 1994 and requested reactivation of her medical license. The Board continued the matter.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of Arizona possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over JANICE B. DORN, M.D.

2. The conduct and circumstances described in paragraph 5 above constitute unprofessional conduct pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1401(24)(f) (habitual intemperance in the use of alcohol or habitual substance abuse).

3. The conduct and circumstances described in paragraph 5 above constitute impairment due to alcohol or drug abuse following termination of Dr. DORN's rehabilitation Stipulation and Order, pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1452(F).

ORDER

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth above,
IT IS ORDERED as follows:

A. Medical License No. 15548 held by JANICE B. DORN, M.D. is hereby reactivated.

B. JANICE B. DORN, M.D. is placed on probation for a period of five (5) years under the following terms and conditions:

1. JANICE B. DORN, M.D. shall immediately participate in the Board approved and sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program. Dr. DORN shall instruct her therapist from the program to release to the Board of Medical Examiners, upon its request, any and all records relating to her treatment and to submit quarterly reports to the Board of Medical Examiners regarding her diagnosis, prognosis and recommendation for the continuing care, treatment and supervision of Dr. DORN; said reports to be submitted on or before the 15th day of March, June, September and December of each year, commencing on or before the 15th day of December, 1994.

2. Dr. DORN shall participate in a 12-step recovery program appropriate for substance abuse as determined by her treating therapist, and attend a minimum of three (3) weekly meetings.

3. Dr. DORN shall obtain a sole treating physician who shall be approved by the Board. Dr. DORN shall advise her treating physician of her rehabilitation efforts and provide a copy of this document to her approved treating physician. Dr. DORN shall further advise any health care practitioner providing medical care and treatment of her chemical misuse problem and her status with the Board.

4. Dr. DORN shall abstain completely from the consumption of alcoholic beverages.

5. Dr. DORN shall take no controlled substances, prescription-only medications or over-the-counter preparations, including plain aspirin and plain acetaminophen, without the prior written prescription of her approved treating physician.

6. If Dr. DORN takes any prescription-only medication or any controlled substance, within 72 hours she shall notify the Board by telephone and in writing, stating the name of the prescription-only medication or controlled substance, the reason for taking it, and the date and time taken.

7. Dr. DORN shall comply immediately with requests from the Board approved and sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program director, or their agents or designees, including but not limited to her therapist, to submit to witnessed random biological fluid collection, and authorizes any person or organization conducting tests on these collected samples to provide testing results to the Board and the Board approved and sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program director.

8. Dr. DORN shall maintain a log of any and all medications whatever (including plain aspirin and/or plain acetaminophen), whether controlled substances, prescription-only drugs or over-the-counter preparations prescribed for her by her treating physician and shall make such log available to the Board, its agents or designees upon request. Such log, at a minimum, shall include the following:

- (a) The medication taken;
- (b) The date and time the medication was taken;
- (c) The name of the prescribing physician;
- (d) The reason for the medication.

9. Dr. DORN agrees to pay all charges from the Board of Medical Examiners, or its designee (including, but not limited to, the Board approved and

sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program) for conducting biological fluid testing, as well as charges for group therapy sessions conducted by the Board approved and sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program.

10. Dr. DORN shall submit to mental, physical or medical competency examinations, or any combination thereof, at such times and under such conditions as directed by the Board to assist the Board in monitoring her ability to safely engage in the practice of medicine, or her compliance with the terms of this Order.

11. Dr. DORN shall submit to any therapy ordered by the Board, or recommended by her therapist from the Board approved and sponsored monitored aftercare treatment program.

12. Dr. DORN shall obey all federal, state and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of medicine in the State of Arizona.

13. Dr. DORN shall appear in person before the Board for interviews upon request, at various intervals and with reasonable notice. She shall immediately advise the Board of any change in her office or home addresses or telephone numbers, and shall further immediately advise the Board of any plans she makes to be away from her office or home for more than five (5) days.

14. In the event of (a) chemical dependency relapse by Dr. DORN, (b) use of drugs or alcohol by Dr. DORN in violation of this Order, or (c) other material violation of this Order, Dr. DORN shall promptly enter a treatment program for chemical dependency designated by the Board, and her license shall be designated as placed on inactive status with cause, subject to referral to formal hearing for revocation or suspension of license.

15. In the event of chemical dependency relapse, use of drugs or alcohol in violation of this Order, or entry into a treatment program, Dr. DORN shall immediately notify in writing all hospitals at which she has any privileges

that she has relapsed and has entered or will enter a treatment program. Dr. DORN shall provide to the Board (a) a copy of the notices to hospitals and (b) a signed statement from Dr. DORN that the hospitals to whom she has provided notice constitute all the hospitals at which she currently has any privileges.

16. Dr. DORN shall not practice addiction medicine or chronic pain medicine for a minimum of two (2) years from the date of this Order.

17. Dr. DORN shall limit her practice of psychiatry to a part-time twenty (20) hour work week, with a maximum of four (4) hours per day.

18. Dr. DORN shall practice medicine (including psychiatry) only in a group setting.

19. Within five (5) days of the date of this Order, Dr. DORN shall surrender all her federal controlled substance registration certificates to the Drug Enforcement Administration and shall promptly provide the Board with written evidence of such surrender. Dr. DORN shall not reapply for any federal controlled substance registration certificate for a minimum of two (2) years.

DATED this 21st day of January, 1995.

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

[SEAL]

By 

MARK R. SPEICHER
Executive Director

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of)	
JANICE B. DORN, M.D.)	
Holder of License No. 15548)	REQUEST FOR INACTIVE
For the Practice of Medicine)	STATUS WITH CAUSE
In the State of Arizona.)	AND ORDER
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TO THE ARIZONA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS:

1. In accordance with A.R.S. §§32-1431 and 32-1452(F), I, JANICE B. DORN, M.D., hereby request the Arizona Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") to place my medical License No. 15548 in an Inactive Status With Cause effective March 15, 1994.

2. I acknowledge that on January 19, 1990, I entered into a Stipulation with the Board regarding substance abuse rehabilitation and that the Board entered an Order on that date pursuant to the Stipulation. I further acknowledge that on October 24, 1992 the Board ordered termination of the Stipulation and Order, effective January 20, 1993.

3. I acknowledge that, subsequent to the termination of the Stipulation and Order, I have used controlled substances not prescribed for me and that I am or have been impaired by alcohol or drugs.

4. I understand that A.R.S. §32-1452(F) states that if I fail to request that my license be placed on Inactive Status With Cause, the Board shall summarily suspend my license pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1451(D).

5. I further understand that A.R.S. §32-1452(F) states that in order to reactivate my license I shall successfully complete a long-term care residential or inpatient hospital treatment program or both, and shall meet the applicable requirements of A.R.S. §32-1431(D).

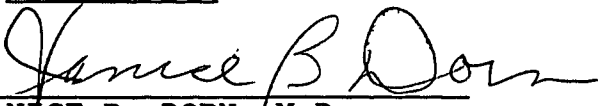
6. Pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1431, I understand and agree not to practice medicine in the State of Arizona or any other state, territory or district of the United States or a foreign country while my Arizona license is in an Inactive Status category. I further understand that a person who engages in the practice of medicine while on Inactive License Status is considered to be a person who practices medicine without a license.

7. I further understand that I may not continue to hold or maintain a controlled substances registration certificate with the Drug Enforcement Administration or write prescriptions as long as my license is classified as Inactive.

8. I understand that once Inactive Status is granted, the Board will waive the annual renewal fees and requirements for Continuing Medical Education.

9. I agree not to practice medicine until I comply with the requirements of A.R.S. §32-1452 and A.R.S. §32-1431(D), and receive the affirmative approval of the Board.

DATED this 3 day of March, 1994.


JANICE B. DORN, M.D.
3 March 94

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED granting Inactive License Status
With Cause to License No. 15548 held by JANICE B. DORN, M.D.
effective March 15, 1994.

DATED this 11 day of May, 1994.

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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By 
f DOUGLAS N. CERF
Executive Director