

IN THE MATTER OF	*	BEFORE THE
NEERU V. BAKSHI, M.D.	*	MARYLAND STATE BOARD
Respondent	*	OF PHYSICIANS
License Number: D0094159	*	Case Number: 2224-0163B
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CONSENT ORDER

Disciplinary Panel B (“Panel B”) of the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the “Board”) and the Respondent, Neeru V. Bakshi, M.D., agree to enter into this Consent Order, before charges have been issued, in order to resolve this matter which concerns the Respondent’s unlicensed practice of medicine in Maryland.

The pertinent statutory provisions are as follows:

Health Occ. § 14-601. Practicing without a license.

Except as otherwise provided in this title:

- (1) A person may not practice, attempt to practice, or offer to practice medicine in this State unless licensed by the Board[.]

Health Occ. § 14-606. Penalties.

- (4) . . . , a person who violates § 14-601 . . . of this subtitle is:

- (ii) Subject to a civil fine of not more than \$50,000 to be levied by a disciplinary Panel.

Prior to Panel B issuing charges, the Respondent and Panel B agreed to enter into this public Consent Order, consisting of Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

Panel B makes the following findings of fact:

1. The Respondent was originally licensed by the Board to practice medicine in Maryland on April 26, 2022.
2. The Respondent's license expired on September 30, 2022; however, the Respondent did not apply to renew her license by the expiration date.
3. After her license expired on September 30, 2022, the Respondent continued to provide telehealth services to Maryland patients without a license.
4. On February 21, 2024, the Respondent filed a Maryland License Reinstatement Application.
5. In her application, the Respondent admitted to practicing medicine in Maryland from "October 1, 2022 to December 12, 2023."
6. The Respondent's license was reinstated by the Board on February 23, 2024.
7. The Respondent, thus, practiced medicine in Maryland without a license issued by the Board to practice medicine in Maryland from October 1, 2022 to December 12, 2023.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact, Disciplinary Panel B concludes that the Respondent practiced medicine in Maryland without a license from the Board, in violation of Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. § 14-601.

ORDER

It is, thus, by Disciplinary Panel B, hereby:

ORDERED that, within **90 DAYS** from the effective date of this Consent Order, the Respondent shall pay a **civil fine of \$1000** by bank certified check or money order made payable to the Maryland Board of Physicians, P.O. Box 37217, Baltimore, Maryland 21297. The Board

will not renew or reinstate the Respondent's license if the Respondent fails to timely pay the fine to the Board.; and it is further

ORDERED that the effective date of the Consent Order is the date the Consent Order is signed by the Executive Director of the Board or her designee. The Executive Director or her designee signs the Consent Order on behalf of the disciplinary panel which has imposed the terms and conditions of this Consent Order; and it is further

ORDERED that this Consent Order is a public document. *See* Health Occ. §§ 1-607, 14-411.1(b)(2) and Gen. Prov. § 4-333(b)(6); and it is further

Signature On File

05/29/2024
Date

Christine A. Farrelly, Executive Director
Maryland State Board of Physicians

CONSENT

I, Neeru Bakshi, M.D., assert that I am aware of my right to consult with and be represented by counsel in considering this Consent Order and in any proceedings that would otherwise result from the charges currently pending. I have chosen to proceed without counsel and I acknowledge that the decision to proceed without counsel is freely and voluntarily made.

By this Consent, I agree to be bound by this Consent Order and all its terms and conditions and understand that the disciplinary panel will not entertain any request for amendments or modifications to any condition.

I assert that I am aware of my right to a formal evidentiary hearing concerning the charges. I waive this right and have elected to sign this Consent Order instead.

I acknowledge the validity and enforceability of this Consent Order as if entered 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 waive those procedural and substantive protections. I acknowledge the legal authority and the jurisdiction of the disciplinary panel to initiate these proceedings and to issue and enforce this Consent Order.

I voluntarily enter into and agree to comply with the terms and conditions set forth in the Consent Order as a resolution of the charges. I waive any right to contest the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and Order set out in the Consent Order. I waive all rights to appeal this Consent Order.

I sign this Consent Order, without reservation, and fully understand the language and meaning of its terms.

05/21/24
Date

Signature On File

Neeru Bakshi, M.D.
Respondent

NOTARY

STATE OF Washington
CITY/COUNTY OF King

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 21st day of May, 2024, before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Neeru Bakshi, M.D., and gave oath in due form of law that the foregoing Consent Order was her voluntary act and deed.

AS WITNESS, my hand and Notary Seal.

[Signature]
Notary Public



My commission expires: 9th February 2026