

Secretary of State Al Schmidt announced that 61 disciplinary actions have been taken by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs' 29 professional licensing boards, and the Bureau of Election Services and Notaries:

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ACTIONS BY COUNTY

The specific actions listed below were taken against individuals or firms in these counties:

County	# of Actions	County	# of Actions
Adams	1	Lackawanna	0
Allegheny	4	Lancaster	1
Armstrong	1	Lawrence	0
Beaver	2	Lebanon	0
Bedford	0	Lehigh	2
Berks	2	Luzerne	1
Blair	1	Lycoming	0
Bradford	0	McKean	0
Bucks	1	Mercer	1
Butler	0	Mifflin	0
Cambria	1	Monroe	0
Cameron	0	Montgomery	4
Carbon	0	Montour	1
Centre	1	Northampton	0
Chester	2	Northumberland	0
Clarion	0	Perry	0
Clearfield	0	Philadelphia	8
Clinton	0	Pike	0
Columbia	2	Potter	0
Crawford	0	Schuylkill	0
Cumberland	0	Snyder	0
Dauphin	2	Somerset	0
Delaware	3	Sullivan	0
Elk	0	Susquehanna	1
Erie	0	Tioga	0
Fayette	0	Union	0
Forest	0	Venango	1
Franklin	0	Warren	0
Fulton	0	Washington	0
Greene	0	Wayne	0
Huntingdon	1	Westmoreland	2
Indiana	0	Wyoming	0
Jefferson	0	York	3
Juniata	0	Total in-State actions	49
Actions taken against professionals with non-PA addresses			12
Total			61

PA Board of Accountancy

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Architects Licensure Board

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Auctioneer Examiners

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Barber Examiners

Huntingdon County

Khiry Lamar Boston, license no. BL062996, of Huntingdon, Huntingdon County, had his application to sit for the barber licensure examination granted and, upon successful completion of the examination, his barber license shall be granted and then immediately placed on probation for a period of twelve months based on a criminal conviction. (03/12/25)

Philadelphia County

Jamal Washington, license no. BL051929, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County had his license placed on suspended status, immediately stayed in favor of an indefinite period of probation to run concurrent with his criminal probation/parole based upon criminal convictions. (02/10/25)

PA Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers

Lehigh County

Frank Anthony Licausi, certificate no. RL001002L, of Allentown, Lehigh County, agreed to the permanent voluntary surrender of Licausi's certificate, because Licausi failed to complete an appraisal assignment within the requirements of the USPAP. (3/13/25)

PA Board of Chiropractic

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Cosmetology

Adams County

Grace Kelly Salon, cosmetology salon license number CB121196, of Gettysburg, Adams County, was levied a civil penalty of \$500 because it operated as a cosmetology salon in a grossly incompetent and unethical manner by performing permanent services within the square footage of the salon. (03/19/25)

PA Board of Crane Operators

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Dentistry

Delaware County

Donna H Schuster, certificate no. DF004761, of Aston, Delaware County, voluntarily surrendered all licenses, registrations, certificates, approvals, permits, and any other authorizations issued by the Board, because Schuster was convicted of one (1) count of 18 Pa. C.S.A. § 2702(A4), Aggravated Assault - Attempts to cause or causes bodily injury with deadly weapon and poses a substantial risk to the health and safety of patients, clients, or the public. (03/14/25)

Mercer County

Timothy Marc Barber, license no. DS028992L, of Jamestown, Mercer County, had a public reprimand placed on his permanent disciplinary record with the Board, because Barber had a license to practice dentistry revoked, suspended or had other disciplinary action imposed or consented to by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory, or country or had an application for license refused, revoked, or suspended by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory, or country. (03/14/25)

Montgomery County

Robert Louis Sansone, license no. DS028302L, of Pottstown, Montgomery County, was suspended with suspension stayed in favor of probation for no less than 2 years, levied a civil penalty of \$5,000, and levied the costs of investigation of \$3,536.77, because Sansone engaged in unprofessional conduct, which includes any departure from, or failure to conform to, the standards of acceptable and prevailing dental practice because he failed to follow proper infection control practices. (03/14/25)

PA Board of Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists

Dauphin County

Abey Abdul-Salaam, license no. BL054208, of Harrisburg, Dauphin County, was suspended for two years immediately stayed in favor of probation, because Abdul-Salaam was convicted of a felony of the first-degree and poses a substantial risk to the health and safety of his clients or the public or a substantial risk of further criminal convictions; and failed to provide written notice to the Board within 30 days of a finding or verdict of guilt. (3/24/25)

Out of State

Ross Gordon Boucher, license and registration no. PE042035R, of Venice, Florida agreed to surrender all of Boucher's license and registrations, because Boucher was convicted of a criminal offense. (3/27/25)

PA Board of Funeral Directors

Centre County

Garrett Alan Singer, license nos. FD139268 & FS016233 of Howard, Centre County had his licenses to practice as a Funeral Director and a Funeral Supervisor; and Singer Kader Neff Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc., license no. FR014114; of Howard, Centre County had their license to operate as a funeral establishment temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth presents a clear and immediate danger to the public health and safety. (03/24/25)

Delaware County

Raphael M. Hunt-Irving, F.D., license number FD014558L, of Chester City, Delaware County was actively suspended for being found guilty of four felonies and crimes of moral turpitude. (03/26/25)

PA Board of Landscape Architects

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Massage Therapy

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Medicine

Chester County

Jared Raymond Halverson, no. PO000289, of West Chester, Chester County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1,900 and have a public reprimand placed on his permanent disciplinary record with the Board, because Halverson practiced or held himself out as being able to practice prosthetics, orthotics, pedorthics, or orthic fitting without being properly licensed (3/04/25)

Montour County

Steven Brian Pawelczak, license no. OH000294, of Danville, Montour County, was levied a civil penalty of \$1700 and the costs of investigation of \$266.52, because Pawelczak actively practiced as an orthotist while his license was expired and not renewed (03/04/25).

Philadelphia County

Nkemdilim Obiorah Stanley Ezeife, license no. MD450603, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was suspended for no less than three (3) years. the suspension of respondent's authorizations to practice the profession shall be immediately stayed in favor of no less than three (3) years of probation, unless that period of probation is extended by mutual agreement of the Respondent and the Professional Health Monitoring Program ("PHMP"), Disciplinary Monitoring Unit ("DMU") case manager, because Ezeife is unable to practice the profession with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of illness, addiction to drugs or alcohol, or mental incompetence. (3/04/25)

David Kalkstein, license no. MD023723E, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was levied a Civil Penalty in the amount of \$500.00 and given a Reprimand., because Kalkstein had a license or other authorization to practice the profession suspended, revoked, refused or otherwise

disciplined by the proper licensing authority of another state, territory, possession or country, or a branch of the Federal Government. (3/04/25)

Out of State

Anand Pankaj Lalaji, PA license no. MD469553, of Atlanta, Georgia, had his license to practice as a medical physician and surgeon indefinitely suspended retroactive to March 19, 2025 because his license was suspended in another state. (03/25/25)

Albert M. Bleggi, license no. MD041551E, of Estero, Florida was Reprimanded and levied a Civil Penalty in the amount of \$1,000.00 because Bleggi had a license or other authorization to practice the profession revoked or suspended or having other disciplinary action taken, or an application for a license or other authorization refused, revoked or suspended by a proper licensing authority of another state, territory, possession or country, or a branch of the Federal Government. (03/04/25)

Richard Shunan Chang, license no. MD431629, of Phoenix, Arizona was suspended for a period of 12 month immediately stayed in favor of probation, levied a civil penalty of \$5,000, and shall have a public reprimand placed on their permanent disciplinary record with the Board, because Chang engaged in unprofessional conduct by allowing an unauthorized third party to view, review and document in patients' clinical charts; and had a license or other authorization to practice the profession revoked or suspended or having other disciplinary action taken, or an application for a license or other authorization refused, revoked or suspended by a proper licensing authority (3/04/25)

Navigation Commission for the Delaware River and its Navigable Tributaries

No disciplinary actions taken.

Secretary of the Commonwealth – Notaries Public

Blair County

Zilfeena Khan, notary commission no. 1271122, of Altoona, Blair County, agreed to a restriction on re-appointment for four years, because she failed to include a certificate of notarial act with and as evidence of the notarial act; and failed to maintain a journal of notarial acts performed. (03/06/25).

PA Board of Nursing

Allegheny County

Rose Flynn, license no. RN682179, of Blawnox, Allegheny County, was suspended for no less than two years, immediately stayed in favor of no less than two years of probation because Flynn was convicted, entered a plea of guilty, entered a plea of nolo contendere, or has been found guilty by a judge or jury, or a felony or a crime of moral turpitude, or has received probation without verdict, disposition in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges, in the courts of this Commonwealth, the United States or any other state, territory, possession or country. (3/6/25)

Beaver County

James Philip Meyer, Jr., RN, License No. RN593820, of Aliquippa, Beaver County, had his license indefinitely suspended retroactive to November 6, 2024, and was assessed costs of investigation of \$1,000.00 because he violated a Board order. (03/10/25)

Columbia County

Ernest Ashbridge, license no. RN651292, of Berwick, Columbia County, voluntarily surrendered all licenses registrations, certificates, approvals, permits, or authorizations issued by the Board, because Ashbridge was unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of mental or physical illness or condition or physiological or psychological dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs or other drugs which tend to impair judgement or coordination (03/06/25)

Delaware County

Prince Mofoluso Adeparusi, registered license no. RN744681P, of Folcroft, Delaware County, PA registered nursing license was suspended for a period of two years, immediately stayed for two years of probation, because Adeparusi acted in such a manner as to present an immediate and clear danger to the public health or safety. (3/6/25)

Lehigh County

Erika E. Rosa, license No. PN306938, last known of Schnecksville, Lehigh County, had her license indefinitely suspended retroactive to January 9, 2025, and was assessed costs of investigation of \$565.00 for being unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients and for violating a Board order. (3/10/25)

Luzerne County

Lisa Lynn Langan, license no. RN354871L, of Dallas, Luzerne County, was suspended for no less than three years, immediately stayed in favor of no less than three years of probation, because Langan is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgement or coordination. (03/6/25)

Montgomery County

Jenyn M. Schalles, LPN, license No. PN285200, last known of Stowe, Montgomery County, had her license indefinitely suspended retroactive to January 23, 2025, for being unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients and for violating a Board order. (03/07/25)

Elizabethann Marie Ward, license no. RN565977, of King Of Prussia, Montgomery County, was indefinitely suspended for no less than three (3) years, such suspension to be immediately stayed in favor of no less than three (3) years of probation, unless that period of probation is extended for cause by mutual agreement of the Respondent and the Professional Health

Monitoring Program (“PHMP”), Disciplinary Monitoring Unit (“DMU”) case manager, because Ward is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental or physical illness or condition or dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs or other drugs which tend to impair judgment or coordination. (3/06/25)

Philadelphia County

Fakayatu Ibironke Agboola, registered license no. RN750648, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, registered nursing license was suspended for a period of two years, immediately stayed for two years of probation but with the requirement that Agboola inactivate her license until such time as she completes a Board-approved registered nursing program, because Agboola has committed fraud or deceit in securing her admission to the practice of professional nursing. (3/6/25)

Shoshana Ruskin, no. NPPA034245, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was given Reprimand and levied a Civil Penalty in the amount of \$600.00., because Ruskin prescribed medications from May 1, 2022 through November 7, 2023 without having an active prescriptive authority. (03/06/25)

Aniran Zalmi, license no. pn313027, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia county, was suspended for a period of two (2) years, such suspension to be immediately stayed in favor of two (2) years of probation, because zalmi has acted in such a manner as to present an immediate and clear danger to the public health or safety (3/06/25)

Judy Facey, license no. PN314711, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was suspended for a period of two (2) years, such suspension to be immediately stayed in favor of two (2) years of probation, because facey has acted in such a manner as to present an immediate and clear danger to the public health or safety. (03/06/25)

Susquehanna County

Pamela Jean Klecha, license no. PN276343 of Hop Bottom, Susquehanna County, had his license to practice as a practical nurse temporarily suspended, pending a hearing, on the grounds that his continued practice within the Commonwealth presents a clear and immediate danger to the public health and safety. (3/18/25)

Westmoreland County

Joseph Gerald Sapp, license no. RN505699L and certificate no. SP009061, of Jeannette, Westmoreland County, voluntarily surrendered his certified registered nurse practitioner authorization and agreed to have his registered nurse license suspended for no less than three (3) years, because Sapp was convicted of felony and misdemeanor offenses related to the practice of the profession. (03/06/25)

York County

Daneen M. Herbert, LPN, license No. PN258298L, of York, York County, had her license indefinitely suspended retroactive to November 5, 2024, and was assessed costs of

investigation in the amount of \$565.00 for being unable to practice nursing with reasonable skill and safety to patients and for violating a Board order. (03/10/25)

Kaitlyn Marie Ramey, of Dillsburg, York County, had her practical nursing license, license no. PN304840, indefinitely suspended; Ramey admits no guilt to related criminal charges. (03/6/25)

Out of State

Cesar Salcedo, PA license No. PN310847, of Washington, New Jersey, had his license suspended for no less than three years, retroactive to November 6, 2023, for violating a previous board order. (3/13/25)

Andre Maureece Angus, license no. RN751641, of Ewing, New Jersey was indefinitely suspended, while Angus admits no guilt to related criminal charges. (3/6/25)

Lauren Reavy, license no. RN615154, of Barrington, New Jersey was suspended for no less than three years, stayed in favor of probation, because Reavy is unable to practice professional nursing with reasonable skill and safety by reason of mental or physical illness, condition, or dependence upon alcohol, hallucinogenic or narcotic drugs, or other drugs which tend to impair judgement or coordination. (3/6/25)

Theresa Sharp Smigo, license nos. TP006435C and RN236445L, of Glassboro, New Jersey was suspended stayed in favor of indefinite probation to run concurrent to the criminal probation imposed in cp-51-cr-0008318-2021,, because smigo has been convicted, or has pleaded guilty, or entered a plea of nolo contendere, or has been found guilty by a judge or jury, of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in the courts of this Commonwealth, the United States, or any other state, territory, or country, or has received probation without verdict, disposition in lieu of trial or an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition in the disposition of felony charges. (3/06/25)

PA Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Optometry

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Osteopathic Medicine

Dauphin County

Stuart Rosan, of Harrisburg, Dauphin County, license number OS003536L, had his license to practice as an osteopathic physician and surgeon stayed in favor of probation based on compliance with a previous Board order. (03/25/25)

PA Board of Pharmacy

Allegheny County

Uttam Gordhanbhai Sheladiya, license nos. RP456338 and RPI015645, of Bridgeville, Allegheny County, was levied a civil penalty of \$3,000; and must complete 12 hours of remedial education on patient safety, because Sheladiya failed to conform to the standards of acceptable and prevailing pharmacy practice, in failing to verify the medication before filling a prescription; specifically filled a prescription for Furosemide for a patient with Famotidine. (3/3/25)

Out of State

Wedgewood Pharmacy LLC, registration no. NP000410, of Swedesboro, New Jersey received a public reprimand on their permanent disciplinary record with the Board., because they had a license to practice pharmacy suspended, revoked, or refused, or received other disciplinary action by the proper pharmacist licensing authority of another state, territory or country. (3/3/25)

A&S Chemists LLC, registration no. NP001741, of Stamford, Connecticut will pay a civil penalty of \$350, because they failed to notify the Board of a change of pharmacist in charge as required by section 4.1(a)(1), 63 P.S. § 390-4.1(a)(1), of the Pharmacy Act. (3/03/25)

Preston's Pharmacy Inc, registration no. NP002074, of Arlington, Virginia shall have a public reprimand placed on their permanent disciplinary record with the Board., because they had a license to practice pharmacy suspended, revoked, or received other disciplinary action by the licensing authority of another state, territory, or country. (3/3/25)

PA Board of Physical Therapy

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Podiatry

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Psychology

No disciplinary actions taken.

Real Estate Commission

Allegheny County

Hope R. Feldman, license nos. RM422651, AB067253, RM422038, RM422105, RM051368A, and RM423227, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, had her petition to have her real estate broker licenses reinstated to probationary status granted based upon her compliance with the terms of a previous order. (03/10/25)

Westmoreland County

William M. Brahler, IV, associate real estate broker license, license number AB067479 & real estate instructor license no. RI006987, of Monessen, Westmoreland County, was revoked, assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$6,000 & costs of investigation in the amount of \$889.29 based upon his engaging in connection with a real estate transaction and failing to deal honestly and in good faith. (02/24/25)

PA Board of Speech-Language and Hearing Examiners

No disciplinary actions taken.

PA Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors

Lancaster County

Maureen Elizabeth Roth, license no. PC010545, of Peach Bottom, Lancaster County, permanently surrendered her license, because Roth engaged in immoral or unprofessional conduct. (03/11/25)

Montgomery County

Cara Lee Dececchis, license no. PC007648, of North Wales, Montgomery County, was levied a civil penalty of \$5,000, shall pay the costs of investigation of \$480.68, suspended for four years with the first nine months served as active suspension and upon written request the remainder stayed in favor of probation, and shall have a public reprimand placed on their permanent record with the Board, because Dececchis engaged in sexual intimacies with an immediate family member of a current client/patient and engaged in sexual intimacies with an immediate family member of a former client/patient within seven years following the termination of the professional relationship. (03/11/25)

Philadelphia County

Ethel Dawn Capone, license no. PC005237, of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, was levied a civil penalty of \$500.00, ordered to pay the costs of investigation in the amount of \$1,493.00, had her license suspended for a period of three years with such suspension stayed in favor of probation. and ordered to complete 18 hours of remedial education, with 10 hours out of the total shall be on on the topics of Ethics and/or Dual Relationships, because Capone engaged in unprofessional conduct and entered into adult relationship with C.R. (03/11/25)

York County

Toshia Marie Shearer, license no. SW125781, of York, York County, was voluntarily surrendered, because shearer was convicted of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude in any state of Federal court or convicted of the equivalent of a felony in any foreign country, territory, or possession and due to the nature of the criminal conviction, licensure of the Respondent would pose a substantial risk to the health and safety of the Respondent's patients, clients, and/or the public or a substantial risk of further convictions (03/11/25)

PA Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons

Beaver County

Kennedy Auto LLC, license no. VD028528, of Aliquippa, Beaver County, voluntary surrendered all licenses, registrations certificates, approvals, permits, or any other authorizations issued by the Board, because Kennedy Auto LLC failed to employ a licensed salesperson from June 1, 2019 through January 21, 2023; failed to produce business records when an authorized agent of the board reasonably requested business records, and failed to have a sign permanently affixed to its dealership showing its name and business hours. (03/05/25)

Berks County

Miguel Angel Acevedo-Hernandez, license no. MV265431, of Reading, Berks County, had his license revoked and was assessed a civil penalty of \$10,000 based on engaging in the business as a vehicle dealer and/or broker within the Commonwealth for his own benefit or profit without having a license to do so. (02/13/25)

Kurtis Kofi Danquah, of Reading, Berks County, was assessed a civil penalty of \$5,000 based on engaging in the business as a vehicle dealer and/or broker within the Commonwealth for his own benefit or profit without having a license to do so. (02/13/25)

Cambria County

Bryan A. Green, license no. MV124852L, of Johnstown, Cambria County, was suspended for failing to pay a previously imposed civil penalty. (2/7/25)

Chester County

Kristy G Weaver permanently and voluntarily surrendered license no. MV246196, of Oxford, Chester County, because Weaver was convicted of Theft By Unlaw Taking-Movable Property, a Misdemeanor of the First Degree. (03/05/25)

Venango County

On March 05, 2025, the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons accepted the permanent voluntary surrender of all licenses, registrations, certificates, approvals, permits, or any other authorizations issued by the Board of Christopher M. Hartman, license no. MV131985L, because Hartman was convicted of a crime that would pose a substantial risk to the health and safety of patients, clients and/or the public or pose a substantial risk of further convictions. (03/05/25)

Out of State

Darryl Champ d/b/a Champ Motors, Inc., of Glen Burnie, Maryland, was assessed a civil penalty of \$10,000 and ordered to cease and desist based on aiding and abetting the unlicensed practice of the profession. (02/14/25)

PA Board of Veterinary Medicine

Armstrong County

Emily Marie Dunn, certificate no. VT004075, of Ford City, Armstrong County, was ordered to be suspended for no less than 6 months to be stayed in favor of probation, levied the costs of investigation of \$2,543 to be tendered prior to the end of the term of probation, issued a public reprimand, and to undergo continuing education because she undertook an assignment that she was incapable of performing. (03/28/25)

Bucks County

The State Board of Veterinary Medicine levied a civil penalty of \$850.00 and issued a public reprimand against Anne Marie Anderson, certificate no. VT005249, of Levittown, Bucks County, due to practicing veterinary technology on an expired certificate. (03/28/25)

Columbia County

Gaylen Gerrish, unlicensed, of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, was ordered by the State Board of Veterinary Medicine to Cease and Desist the unlicensed practice of veterinary medicine due to administering vaccines that can only be administered by licensed veterinarian and by administering vaccines outside the direct supervision of a veterinarian. The Board also imposed a civil penalty of \$5000.00, which was immediately stayed until such time that there is a finding by the Board or the Commonwealth Court that Respondent violated the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order. (03/28/25)

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