

BEFORE THE IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE

IN THE MATTER OF THE STATEMENT OF CHARGES AGAINST

HENRY W. HALLING, M.D., RESPONDENT

FILE No. 02-2011-278

**STATEMENT OF CHARGES AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT
(Combined)**

COMES NOW the Iowa Board of Medicine (Board), and Henry W. Halling, M.D., (Respondent), on May 17, 2012, and pursuant to Iowa Code sections 17A.10(2) and 272C.3(4) enter into this combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement to resolve this matter.

STATEMENT OF CHARGES

1. Respondent was issued Iowa medical license no. 21414 on October 28, 2004.
2. Respondent's Iowa medical license is active and will next expire on January 1, 2013.
3. The Board has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Iowa Code chapters 147, 148 and 272C.

COUNT I

4. Respondent is charged under Iowa Code sections 147.55(2), 148.6(2)(g) and 272C.10(2) and 653 IAC 23.1(2)(f) and 13.2 for failing to conform to the minimal standard of acceptable and prevailing practice of medicine in Iowa.

STATEMENT OF MATTERS ASSERTED

5. Respondent is an Iowa-licensed physician who practices general medicine in Des Moines, Iowa.

6. On May 6, 2010, Respondent entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board to resolve a pending disciplinary matter. The Board charged Respondent with violating the standards of practice for appropriate pain management. The Board issued Respondent a Citation and Warning and ordered him to pay a \$10,000 Civil Penalty. The Board placed Respondent on probation subject to Board monitoring for a period of five years and prohibited him from prescribing, administering or dispensing controlled substances for the treatment of chronic pain.

7. The Board subsequently received information which continues to raise concerns about Respondent's medical practice.

8. On February 15-16, 2012, at the direction of the Board, Respondent completed a comprehensive clinical competency evaluation at the Center for Personalized Education for Physicians (CPEP) in Denver, Colorado. The CPEP evaluation report indicates that Respondent demonstrated significant deficiencies.

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

9. **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER:** Respondent **voluntarily surrenders** his Iowa medical license (21414) to resolve this matter.

10. Respondent shall obey all federal, state and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa.

11. Respondent voluntarily submits this Order to the Board for consideration.

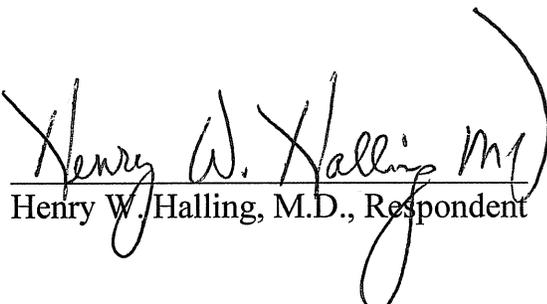
12. By entering into this Order, Respondent voluntarily waives any rights to a contested case hearing on the allegations in the Statement of Charges, and waives any objections to the terms of this Order.

13. Respondent understands that by entering into this combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement, Respondent cannot obtain a copy of the investigative file. Pursuant to Iowa Code section 272C.6(4), a copy of the investigative file may only be provided to a licensee after a Statement of Charges is filed but before the final resolution of those charges.

14. Respondent agrees that the State's counsel may present this Order to the Board.

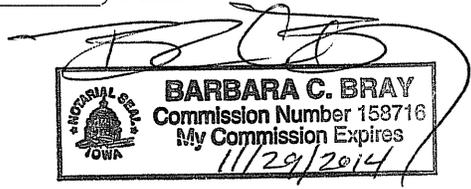
15. This Order is subject to approval of the Board. If the Board fails to approve this Order it shall be of no force or effect to either party.

16. The Board's approval of this Order shall constitute a **Final Order** of the Board.


Henry W. Halling, M.D., Respondent

Subscribed and sworn to before me on May 16, 2012.

Notary Public, State of Iowa.



This Order is approved by the Board on May 17, 2012.

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