

**PRESS RELEASE**  
**IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE**  
**(April 15, 2010)**

Recently, the Iowa Board of Medicine took the following action:

**Russell E. Bandstra, M.D.**, a 46-year-old physician who practices urology and urologic surgery in Grinnell and Pella, Iowa, entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Bandstra with performing the wrong surgical procedure on a patient in Pella, Iowa, on November 1, 2007, when he inadvertently performed photovaporization of the prostate instead of a spermatocectomy. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the Board issued Dr. Bandstra a public reprimand, ordered him to pay a \$2,500 fine and required him to submit a written corrective action plan describing the steps he has taken to such preventable errors in the future.

**Mark O. Carlson, M.D.**, a 50-year-old physician who practices internal medicine in Sioux City, Iowa, entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Carlson with failing to provide complete, accurate and truthful information on an application for a South Dakota medical license on June 9, 2008, when he failed to disclose the fact that he participated in the Iowa Physician Health Program (IPHP) from December 12, 2001, to October 31, 2003. Dr. Carlson was allowed to withdraw his application for a South Dakota medical license. Under the terms of the Iowa Settlement Agreement, Dr. Carlson was issued a public reprimand and ordered to pay a \$1,000 fine.

**Dorothy W. Cline-Campbell, D.O.**, a 61-year-old physician who practices family medicine and emergency medicine in Bloomfield, Iowa, had an Emergency Adjudicative Order and Statement of Charges filed by the Board on April 9, 2010. On June 18, 2009, the Board ordered Dr. Cline-Campbell to complete a comprehensive clinical competency evaluation at Board-approved assessment program. The assessment program identified significant deficiencies in Dr. Cline-Campbell's family medicine and emergency medicine practice. After careful consideration of the assessment report, the Board concluded that Dr. Cline-Campbell's continued practice of emergency medicine poses an immediate danger to the public health, safety or welfare and voted to immediately suspend her emergency medicine practice. The Board charged Dr. Cline-Campbell with failing to conform to the minimal standard of acceptable and prevailing practice of medicine and/or violating the laws and rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa in her treatment of patients. A hearing is scheduled on May 10-11, 2010.

**Robert K. Finley, M.D.**, a 55-year-old surgeon who formerly practiced in Des Moines, Iowa, had formal disciplinary charges filed by the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Finley with professional incompetency in his surgical treatment of nine patients between January 3, 2005, and January 11, 2006, including his surgical judgment, surgical performance and post-operative management. A hearing is scheduled on June 16, 2010.

**Paul H. Koob, D.O.**, a 60-year-old family medicine physician who recently retired from practice in Maquoketa, Iowa, entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Koob with prescribing controlled substances outside of the appropriate physician-patient relationship, without obtaining appropriate medical histories, without performing appropriate physical examinations and without maintaining appropriate medical records between August 2008 and July 2009, and with engaging in sexual relationships with two patients in the 1990s. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Koob voluntarily surrendered his Iowa medical license effective April 30, 2010. The Board also issued Dr. Koob a public reprimand and ordered him to pay \$5,000 fine.

**Gaylord C. Nordine, M.D.**, a 65-year-old psychiatrist who formerly practiced in Des Moines, Iowa, had his Iowa medical license reinstated by the Board on April 9, 2010. On September 2, 2004, the Board charged Dr. Nordine with engaging in an inappropriate sexual relationship with a psychiatric patient, inappropriately permitting his office staff to refill a patient's psychotropic medications and failing to ensure that prescription refills were appropriately documented in the medical record. On November 15, 2005, Dr. Nordine entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board. Dr. Nordine's Iowa medical license was indefinitely suspended, he received a public reprimand and he was prohibited from entering into employment relationships with current or former patients. At the direction of the Board, Dr. Nordine completed a comprehensive professional boundaries evaluation and he has complied with the recommendations made by the evaluation program, including counseling. Dr. Nordine's Iowa medical license was reinstated on April 9, 2010, he was ordered to pay \$5,000 fine and he was placed on probation for a period of five years subject to counseling and Board monitoring.

**Winthrop S. Risk, M.D.**, a 42-year-old neurologist who practices in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010, to resolve pending disciplinary charges. On August 6, 2009, the Board charged Dr. Risk with violating the standards of practice for appropriate pain management when he prescribed excessive controlled substances to numerous patients, including patients with known drug abuse histories who exhibited drug seeking behavior, in violation of the laws and rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Risk is prohibited from prescribing, administering or dispensing controlled substances to patients unless he demonstrates that he is able to do so in a safe manner and he receives prior written approval from the Board. The Board also issued Dr. Risk a public reprimand and ordered him to pay a \$10,000 fine. Dr. Risk is also required to complete a Board-approved comprehensive clinical competency evaluation within sixty days. Dr. Risk was also placed on probation for a period of five years subject to Board monitoring.

**Sandra R. Rosenfeld-O'Tool, M.D.**, a 42-year-old physician who practices medicine in Iowa City, Iowa, entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Rosenfeld-O'Tool with engaging in unethical or unprofessional conduct when she inappropriately accessed the medical records of patients who were not under her care, in violation of patient privacy standards. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the Board issued Dr. Rosenfeld-O'Tool a public reprimand, and ordered her to pay \$4,000 fine and complete a Board-approved professional ethics program within sixty days.

**Kenneth P. Schultheis, M.D.**, a 68-year-old emergency medicine physician who served as supervising physician at three medical spas located in Des Moines and central Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010, to resolve pending disciplinary charges. On February 12, 2009, the Board charged Dr. Schultheis for failing to demonstrate appropriate training and experience to supervise physician assistants who provided medical aesthetic services; failing to provide appropriate supervision to physician assistants; inappropriately permitting physician assistants to perform dermatologic skin care services without determining whether the physician assistants were competent to perform the services; and failing to ensure proper treatment and documentation for numerous patients. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Schultheis is prohibited from serving as medical director for any dermatology clinic and from supervising any physician assistant in the future. The Board also issued Dr. Schultheis a public reprimand and ordered him to pay a \$5,000 fine.

**Henry W. Snead, M.D.**, a 56-year-old internal medicine physician who practices in Waterloo, Iowa, entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010, to resolve pending disciplinary charges. On June 22, 2004, Dr. Snead entered into a Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order with the Board. The Board charged Dr. Snead with failing to provide appropriate treatment to weight loss patients and patients with substance abuse and mental health conditions. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, Dr. Snead was required to complete a Board-approved competency evaluation. The assessment program raised concerns about Dr. Snead's medical knowledge, clinical reasoning and documentation and recommended that he complete a structured education plan. On June 2, 2005, the Board charged Dr. Snead with failing to complete the structured education plan and falsifying his professional credentials when he indicated that he had obtained a "Ph.D." when he had not. Following an evidentiary hearing, the Board ordered Dr. Snead to complete the structured education plan, complete a Board-approved disruptive behavior evaluation and pay a \$1,000 fine. Dr. Snead completed the terms of his Board order and on June 21, 2007, the Board terminated the terms of the order. The Board received information which indicates that Dr. Snead physically assaulted his fiancé during a domestic dispute on June 24, 2007, and he was charged in Black Hawk County District Court with Assault Domestic Abuse Causing Bodily Injury, a violation of Iowa Code chapter 708.2(A)2(B), a serious misdemeanor. On February 24, 2009, Dr. Snead pleaded guilty in Black Hawk County District Court to Harassment and Disorderly Conduct, violations of Iowa Code chapters 708.7(4) and 723.4(2), both simple misdemeanors. On October 21, 2009, the Board charged Dr. Snead with violating the laws of this state and engaging in unethical or unprofessional conduct. Under the terms of the April 9, 2010, Settlement Agreement, the Board issued Dr. Snead a public reprimand and ordered him to pay a \$5,000 fine. The Board also referred Dr. Snead to the Iowa Physician Health Program for assessment and monitoring due his behavior in this matter.

**Robert S. Young, M.D.**, a 70-year-old orthopedic surgeon who practices medicine in Marshalltown, Iowa, entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 9, 2010. The Board charged Dr. Young with prescribing controlled substances to members of his immediate family in violation of the laws and rules governing the practice of medicine in Iowa. Dr. Young acknowledged prescribing controlled substances to family members but indicated that he was not aware that this was a violation of Iowa law. Under the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the Board issued Dr. Young a public reprimand and ordered him to pay \$2,500 fine and complete a Board-approved prescribing course and record keeping course no later than July 1, 2010. The Board also placed Dr. Young on probation for a period of two years subject to Board monitoring, including prescribing audits.

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