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**PRESS RELEASE
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Recently, the Iowa Board of Medicine took the following action:

Alan R. Bollinger, D.O., a 59-year-old Iowa-licensed physician who formerly practiced pain management in Des Moines and West Des Moines, Iowa, and currently practices addiction medicine in Des Moines, Iowa, had an Amended Order issued by the Board on September 20, 2019. Dr. Bollinger entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on February 15, 2018. The Board alleged that Dr. Bollinger failed to provide appropriate pain management to multiple patients in Des Moines and West Des Moines, Iowa, between 2011 and 2016. The Board issued Dr. Bollinger a Citation and Warning and ordered him to pay a \$5,000 civil penalty. Dr. Bollinger also agreed not to prescribe, administer or dispense controlled substances for the treatment of chronic pain under his Iowa medical license. The Board also ordered Dr. Bollinger to complete a Board-approved medical record keeping course and placed him on probation for a period of three (3) years subject to Board monitoring, including prescribing audits. Dr. Bollinger currently practices addiction medicine and no longer practices pain management. Under the terms of the September 20, 2019, Amended Order, the Board removed the provision preventing Dr. Bollinger from prescribing, administering, or dispensing controlled substances for the treatment of chronic pain. Dr. Bollinger remains on probation subject to Board monitoring, including prescribing audits.

Tobin E. Jacks, M.D., a 62 year-old Iowa-licensed physician who formerly practiced medicine in Knoxville, Mt. Pleasant, and Coralville, Iowa, had the terms of his disciplinary order terminated by the Board on September 20, 2019. On April 28, 2008, the Board placed Dr. Jacks on indefinite probation subject to Board monitoring due to substance abuse. On June 11, 2010, the Board prohibited Dr. Jacks from practicing obstetrics due to concerns about his treatment of a pregnant patient. On September 15, 2017, the Board issued an Amended Order permitting Dr. Jacks to prescribe, administer or dispense controlled substances while practicing medicine within the Iowa Department of Corrections. On April 12, 2019, the Board issued an Amended Order, terminating the terms of Dr. Jacks' probation. Under the terms of the September 20, 2019, Termination Order, the Board terminated all of the terms and conditions placed on Dr. Jacks' Iowa medical license and his license was returned to its full privileges, free and clear of all restrictions.

Jerome W. Janda, D.O., a 70-year-old Iowa-licensed physician who formerly practiced family medicine in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, had the terms of his disciplinary order terminated by the Board on September 20, 2019. Dr. Janda entered into a combined Statement of

Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on February 6, 2015. The Board alleged that Dr. Janda failed to provide appropriate pain management to multiple patients in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, between 2008 and 2013. The Board issued Dr. Janda a Citation and Warning and ordered him to pay a \$5,000 civil penalty and complete a Board-approved professional ethics program and medical record-keeping course. The Board also prohibited Dr. Janda from prescribing, administering or dispensing controlled substances for the treatment of chronic pain and placed him on probation for a period of five (5) years subject to Board monitoring, including prescription auditing. Under the terms of the September 20, 2019, Termination Order, the Board terminated all of the terms and conditions placed on Dr. Janda's Iowa medical license and his license was returned to its full privileges, free and clear of all restrictions.

[David B. Robinson, M.D.](#), a 45-year-old Iowa-licensed physician who formerly practiced neurology in Iowa City, Iowa, had a Motion and Application or Petition or Demand to Rescind and Terminate Settlement Agreement in its Entirety denied by the Board on September 20, 2019. Dr. Robinson entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on October 28, 2016. The Board alleged that Dr. Robinson engaged in unprofessional conduct and violated appropriate professional boundaries. The Board issued Dr. Robinson a Citation and Warning, ordered him to pay a \$5,000 civil penalty, and placed him on probation for a period of five (5) years, subject to Board monitoring. On August 2, 2019, the Board issued a Termination Order, terminating the terms of the October 28, 2016, combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement and Dr. Robinson's Iowa medical license was returned to its full privileges, free and clear of all restrictions. On or about August 20, 2019, Dr. Robinson submitted a Motion and Application or Petition or Demand to Rescind and Terminate Settlement Agreement in its Entirety. The State subsequently submitted a Resistance to the Application to Rescind the Settlement Agreement. On September 20, 2019, after careful consideration, the Board voted to deny Dr. Robinson's Motion and Application or Petition or Demand to Rescind and Terminate Settlement Agreement in its Entirety. The Board determined that Dr. Robinson freely entered into the October 28, 2016, combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement, while represented by counsel. The Board determined that Dr. Robinson waived his right to a contested case hearing before the Board and any objection to the terms of the Settlement Agreement. The Board determined that the Settlement Agreement is a permanent part of the Board's disciplinary file and is a public record.

[Josh A. Smith, D.O.](#), a 51-year-old Iowa-licensed physician who formerly practiced general surgery in Denison, Carroll, Manning, Ida Grove and Sac City, Iowa, had the terms of his disciplinary order terminated by the Board on September 20, 2019. Dr. Smith entered into a combined Statement of Charges and Settlement Agreement with the Board on February 5, 2016. The Board alleged that Dr. Smith failed to provide appropriate surgical care to nine patients between 2008 and 2013. The Board issued Dr. Smith a Citation and Warning and ordered him to pay a \$5,000 civil penalty. The Board also placed Dr. Smith on probation for a period of five (5) years subject to Board monitoring including a structured, individualized education plan and a practice-monitoring plan. Under the terms of the September 20, 2019, Termination Order, the Board terminated all of the terms and conditions placed on Dr. Smith's Iowa medical license and his license was returned to its full privileges, free and clear of all restrictions.

When appropriate, disciplinary actions are reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank, an electronic repository administered by the U.S. Health Resources and Services Administration to track adverse license actions.

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