

# BCE NEWS

CALIFORNIA BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS BIENNIAL NEWSLETTER



## What is a Citation?

Citations are not the same as a disciplinary action (e.g., revocation or surrender of a license), but they can be issued by the Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board) for a violation of the Chiropractic Initiative Act of California. Fines associated with citations can range from \$100 to \$5,000 depending on the severity of the violation.

What should you do if you receive a citation? It is very important that you read everything in the packet that accompanies your citation, because it will help you understand the process and your rights and responsibilities. Included in the citation packet are:

- **Citation and Order:** This is the citation itself. It explains the specific cause(s) of the citation and orders a fine, if any, to be paid.
- **Order of Abatement:** Orders the licensee to cease the violation. Some citations will not include an Order of Abatement, depending on the violation.
- **Appeal Rights:** Explains the citation process, including the appeal process, and your rights regarding the citation.
- **Request for Conference and/or Hearing:** Instructs you on how to request an informal conference and/or administrative hearing. You have 14 days from receipt of the citation to request an informal conference, and 30 days from issuance of the citation to request an administrative hearing.

Citations are issued based on information received by the Board. The appeal process is the licensee's opportunity to provide the Board with new information and/or extenuating circumstances that may allow a citation to be withdrawn or modified. Citations are not generally withdrawn based on lack of knowledge of the regulation involved.

How does a citation affect your license? Citations appear on the licensee's public record only when they are finalized. A citation is considered final in any of the following circumstances: When the fine is paid (and no request for appeal is made); when no request for appeal is received within the time allowed by law; or, if appealed, when the final decision is issued by the Executive Officer of the Board.

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## NEW DOCTORS OF CHIROPRACTIC May 1, 2015–October 31, 2015

NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST)	DATE ISSUED	D.C.#
Garland Dwain Glenn II	11/5/2015	33410
Allan David Laird	11/5/2015	33411
Amy Alexandra Markhoff	11/5/2015	33412
Bijan Nowzarinezhad	11/5/2015	33413
Morgan Jade Oberstein	11/5/2015	33414
Joseph Aaron Cooperman	11/10/2015	33415
Darin Thomas Haworth	11/10/2015	33416
Michael Giordano Jerez	11/10/2015	33417
Donna Marie Maitlen	11/10/2015	33418
Lindsay Alexa Wagner	11/10/2015	33419
Joseph Anthony Aldana	11/17/2015	33420
Sherwin Yu Yee Loo	11/17/2015	33421
Jason Adam Trainer	11/17/2015	33422
Mehrdad Mahbod Moghaddam	11/19/2015	33423
Shiuan-Yu Pan	11/19/2015	33424
Nicholaus Ryan Wolf	11/19/2015	33425
Kamron Nourgostar	11/30/2015	33426
Colin Lee Olberding	11/30/2015	33427
Norie Takahashi	11/30/2015	33428
Barbara Chang	12/7/2015	33429
Tyler Parnell Kallenbach	12/7/2015	33430
Jessica Marie Quesada	12/7/2015	33431
Kevin Burl Zimmerman	12/7/2015	33432
Travis Ryan Cunningham	12/10/2015	33433
Alexander James Anders-Cook	12/10/2015	33434
Amanda Si Ming Chau	12/10/2015	33435
Suet Lam Hau	12/10/2015	33436
Timothy William Heath	12/10/2015	33437
Benjamin Hurst Jones	12/10/2015	33438
Daniele Dawn Mendoza	12/10/2015	33439
Garland Gene Chiu Wat	12/10/2015	33440
Christina Marie Binder	12/18/2015	33441
Joseph George Davi	12/18/2015	33442
Jeannie Rose Advincula Kakizaki	12/18/2015	33443
Tabitha Lynn Ledford	12/18/2015	33444
Maes Vioula Rabadi	12/18/2015	33445
Tanaz Rashidi	12/18/2015	33446
Seo Jung Yang	12/18/2015	33447
Srikanth Kolli	12/31/2015	33448
Peter Eric Diamond	12/31/2015	33449
Timothy Donovan Langan	12/31/2015	33450
Jordan Bradley Martin	12/31/2015	33451
Hesook Teresa Cho	12/31/2015	33452
Takanori Fujiwara	1/14/2016	33453
Joshua Leib Pollack	1/14/2016	33454
Jordan Michael Shallow	1/14/2016	33455

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Lauren Carol Whittaker	1/14/2016	33456
Matthew John Fuller	1/27/2016	33457
Tyler Thomas Hove	1/27/2016	33458
Sean Robert Salazar	1/27/2016	33459
Lance Steven Von Stade	1/27/2016	33460
Arturo Cordova	2/10/2016	33461
Jeremy Alan Gaynier	2/10/2016	33462
Jeannette Joshu Grimm	2/10/2016	33463
Claribel Jimenez	2/10/2016	33464
Eyesun Konjkavfard	2/10/2016	33465
Andre James Robitaille	2/10/2016	33466
Tanner James Schulze	2/10/2016	33467
Jenny Marie Stofer	2/10/2016	33468
Gohar Kristina Gasparyan	2/11/2016	33469
Margaret Catherine Spicerreddy	2/11/2016	33470
Sharon Ann Tseng	2/11/2016	33471
Andrew Michael Adams	2/18/2016	33472
Anthony Joe Alvidrez	2/18/2016	33473
Kayla Lee Ambert	2/18/2016	33474
Bettina Maria Ambuehl-Honegger	2/18/2016	33475
Kyle Richard Carpenter	2/18/2016	33476
Drew Edward Stabile	2/18/2016	33477
Delghir Kennick Urubshurow	2/18/2016	33478
Richard Charles Maedke	2/18/2016	33479
Anthony Michael Varas	2/18/2016	33480
Christopher Michael Cedars	2/24/2016	33481
Tyler Keith Clark	2/24/2016	33482
Javad Faith	2/24/2016	33483
Hiwot Assefa Melka	2/24/2016	33484
Alice Ngar-Lai Chu	2/26/2016	33485
Allyssa Ashley Fennelly	2/26/2016	33486
Bronwyn Lee Illingworth	2/26/2016	33487
Kaykavoos Kashi	2/26/2016	33488
Hannah Michele Layden	2/26/2016	33489
Christopher Sunao Ram	2/26/2016	33490
William Hung Shiau	2/26/2016	33491
Daniel Robert Sitzmann	2/26/2016	33492
Andrea Lauren Smith	2/26/2016	33493
Kimberly Lynn Wong	2/26/2016	33494
Timothy Joel Bolton	3/1/2016	33495
Joseph William Botkin	3/1/2016	33496
Jonathan Richard Leary	3/1/2016	33497
Chong Il Lee	3/1/2016	33498
Loujan Jubin Matin	3/1/2016	33499
Chad Jordan Mordecai	3/1/2016	33500
Danielle Elise Osbon	3/1/2016	33501

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Rebecca Ruth Schroeder	3/1/2016	33502
Anthony Patrick Shapiro	3/1/2016	33503
Sophia Danielle Suprai	3/1/2016	33504
Cristin Jade Thompson	3/1/2016	33505
Eileen Abrahamian	3/4/2016	33506
Allison Ann Adams	3/4/2016	33507
Sung Joong Cho	3/4/2016	33508
Ryne Alexander Fiebig	3/4/2016	33509
Amir Ghanbarian Alavijeh	3/4/2016	33510
Kelsey Ann Schwisow	3/4/2016	33511
David Russell Skane	3/4/2016	33512
Valerie Rose Vicent	3/4/2016	33513
Justine Marie Bellefeuille	3/8/2016	33514
Erin Lynne Bishop	3/8/2016	33515
Karl Alexander Robinson	3/8/2016	33516
Edgar Rodriguez	3/8/2016	33517
Angela Krystal Torres	3/8/2016	33518
Vartan Albert Chakalian	3/16/2016	33519
Ashley Chen	3/16/2016	33520
Jeffrey Mun-Juen Choi	3/16/2016	33521
Nariman Mordechai Gabay	3/16/2016	33522
Michael Kim Grossman	3/16/2016	33523
Yen Chen Kuo	3/16/2016	33524
Sarah Angela Merritt	3/16/2016	33525
Michelle Revelo Noriega	3/16/2016	33526
Nikolaus Quinn Joseph Noriega	3/16/2016	33527
Camille Rose Plumbar	3/16/2016	33528
Saed Noe Zarifa	3/16/2016	33529
Cyrus Tsuyoshi Ogawa	3/16/2016	33530
David Martin Chavarria	3/18/2016	33531
Michael David Colpitts	3/18/2016	33532
Anthony Wisam Putrus-Schnell	3/18/2016	33533
Melissa Angelica Vega	3/18/2016	33534
Shikha Jain	3/22/2016	33535
Sarah Lisa Keller	3/22/2016	33536
Garrett Michael Neill	3/22/2016	33537
Toxil Annika Ruck	3/22/2016	33538
Sawyer Alex Hildebrant	3/29/2016	33539
Matthew Kory Jackson	3/29/2016	33540
Gavin Robert Sangrey	3/29/2016	33541
Teresa Louise Shallow	3/29/2016	33542
Kirsten Alana Bryson	4/7/2016	33543
Alexandra Shawn Nunn	4/7/2016	33544
Daniel Julian Perman	4/7/2016	33545
Jordan Michael Giunta	4/8/2016	33546
Derek Christopher Murray	4/8/2016	33547
My Hien Vo	4/8/2016	33548

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## Continuing Education Guidelines

### DETERMINING IF THE COURSE YOU PLAN TO TAKE IS APPROVED

Continuing education must be offered by a Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board)-approved provider, any organization authorized to approve continuing education by any healing arts board or bureau in Division 2 of the Business and Professions Code, and/or the California Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Workers Compensation.

- Visit the Board’s website, [www.chiro.ca.gov](http://www.chiro.ca.gov), and search for “Seminar Providers.” Verify if the provider of the course is listed.
- Visit the Board’s website, [www.chiro.ca.gov](http://www.chiro.ca.gov), and search for “Seminars Approved” for all approved online and classroom courses. The courses are organized by date, course description, number of hours, location, provider, and phone number.

### DOCUMENTATION AND RECORDKEEPING OF CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES

- Retain continuing education certificate of completion for a period of four years after the course or activity concludes. You must submit the evidence of completion if you are audited by the Board. Failure to provide records documenting completion of the continuing education requirements may be subject to disciplinary action.
- You do not need to submit documentation of your continuing education certificates with your license renewal notice and payment.

### Continuing Education: 24-Hour Requirement

How many hours of continuing education do chiropractic doctors need annually to renew their license to practice chiropractic in California? Twenty-four hours per year (a maximum of 12 continuing education hours may be completed through distance learning):

- Two hours must be completed in Ethics and Law
- Four hours must be completed in any one of or combination of the following subject categories:
  - History Taking and Physical Examination Procedures
  - Chiropractic Adjustive Techniques
  - Chiropractic Manipulation Techniques
  - Ethical Billing and Coding
- 18 hours may be completed in General Subject Categories

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Zachary Lee Beatty	4/15/2016	33549
Brandon David Barnette	4/15/2016	33550
James Vernon Barthelme	4/15/2016	33551
Shea Elizabeth Lindsay	4/15/2016	33552
Alex Chung-Hao Yu	4/15/2016	33553
Ryan Harris Berg	4/20/2016	33554
Ahyoung Chang	4/20/2016	33555
Kristina Rae Constant	4/20/2016	33556
Laura Yueng-Ru Kuan	4/20/2016	33557
Mary Kathleen Whalen	4/20/2016	33558
Pooja Dhir	4/22/2016	33559
Jennifer Joy Charlotte Hohn	4/22/2016	33560
Diana Christine Miller	4/22/2016	33561
Pantea Nikaeen	4/22/2016	33562
Anne-Isabelle Sophia Reme	4/22/2016	33563
Brandon Joel Fantasia	4/27/2016	33564
Shelley Anne Sheridan	4/27/2016	33565
Scott Andrew Mills	4/27/2016	33566
Simon Lok Lok Ma	4/27/2016	33567
Frederick Joseph Nyhan	4/29/2016	33568
Shannon Ann Kennard	5/10/2016	33569
Alicia Shuntrice McBride	5/10/2016	33570
Nicholas Sean O’Connor	5/10/2016	33571
Nicholas Emanuel Rous	5/10/2016	33572
Steven Paul-Adren Keener	5/12/2016	33573
Steven Richard Knauf	5/12/2016	33574
Nima Sharif Mahallati	5/12/2016	33575
Sterling Michael Petersen	5/12/2016	33576
Andrew Clark Shepherd	5/12/2016	33577
Cari Anne Officer	5/12/2016	33578
Minh Nguyen Tran	5/12/2016	33579
Joshua Mark Harper	5/12/2016	33580
Marie Mignon Biek	5/13/2016	33581
Benjamin James Heredia	5/13/2016	33582
Jason Thomas Bassett	5/23/2016	33583
Daiki Ishiyama	5/23/2016	33584
Yee Lam Mae Li	5/23/2016	33585
Sherrie Elizabeth Thompson	5/23/2016	33586
William C Woodcock	5/23/2016	33587
Jace Hampton Bennett	5/25/2016	33588
Casey Adrian Crisp	5/25/2016	33589
William Thomas Dilag Moss	5/25/2016	33590
Natalie Marie Hanson	5/27/2016	33591
Kristen Marie Livingston	5/27/2016	33592
Van Lam Nguyen	5/27/2016	33593
Jennifer Nicol Nelson	5/27/2016	33594
Brian Peck	5/31/2016	33595
Romance Pham	5/31/2016	33596

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## Regulation Update 2016

### Regulation

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board) is actively working on three regulatory proposals, in various stages of completion.

#### Application for Licensure and Continuing Education (CE) Requirements

The regulation would amend the CE regulations to waive renewal fees, CE requirements, and other requirements for active duty members of the U.S. military. Also, the regulation proposes to allow the Board to award up to 16 hours of CE credit to licensees who participate in the review and revision of the California Law and Professional Practices Examination.

The Board anticipates submission of the regulation package to the Office of Administrative Law for review and approval in summer 2016.

#### Consumer Protection Enforcement Initiative

The regulation would add or amend 12 sections within the California Code of Regulations that would establish stricter reporting and disclosure requirements by licensees and applicants, and increase the Board's enforcement authority and access to critical information for use in investigations.

On May 19, 2016, the regulation package was approved by the Board and is currently under development.

#### Delegation of Authority to the Assistant Executive Officer

This proposed regulation would delegate authority to the Board's Assistant Executive Officer to execute specific enforcement actions and office operational functions to expedite the business of the Board and to increase the health, safety, and welfare of consumers.

On May 19, 2016, the regulation package was approved by the Board and is currently under development.

### Legislative

#### Previous Legislative Session

*Senate Bill 1226 (Correa): Veterans: professional licensing (2014)*

This bill requires boards and bureaus under the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) to expedite initial licensure applications from honorably discharged veterans. The bill has an implementation date of July 1, 2016.

As of July 1, 2016, the Board began expediting applications received from U.S. military veterans.

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Julian Thomas Raymond	5/31/2016	33597
Benjamin Joseph Ramos	5/31/2016	33598
Martin Senlem Chu	6/2/2016	33599
Jimmy Jimenez	6/2/2016	33600
Eddie Jung	6/2/2016	33601
David Hyun Lee	6/2/2016	33602
Ashley Ann Pulford	6/2/2016	33603
Nicholas Menezes Rogers	6/2/2016	33604
Robert Jasan Sanchez	6/2/2016	33605
Johnnett Barbara Thatcher	6/2/2016	33606
Albert Winandar	6/2/2016	33607
Jamie Yoeurng	6/2/2016	33608
Brent Donald Mejia Coffman	6/10/2016	33609
Jordan Michael Payne	6/10/2016	33610
Danielle Jillian Russell	6/10/2016	33611
Fahim Soukhak	6/10/2016	33612
Katie Ann Stewart	6/10/2016	33613
Garrison Ryan Weaver-Gourdeau	6/10/2016	33614
Andrew Evan Goldstein	6/13/2016	33615
Paige Elizabeth Meyer	6/13/2016	33616
Marissa Nicole Palmer	6/13/2016	33617
Benjamin Samuel Rosenstein	6/13/2016	33618
Landon Craig Christy	6/15/2016	33619
Michael Joseph Goodman	6/15/2016	33620
Jasdeep Kaur Henshaw	6/15/2016	33621
Pedro Samaniego IV	6/15/2016	33622
Anat Marie Aronowicz	6/16/2016	33623
Yu Pei Chang	6/16/2016	33624
Anthony Gilbert Ramos	6/16/2016	33625
Daniel Sanchez	6/16/2016	33626
Justin Michael Goehl	6/21/2016	33627
George Copeland Hawkins IV	6/21/2016	33628
David Moore Hicks	6/21/2016	33629
Elizabeth Sanchez Nunez	6/21/2016	33630
Catherine Ann Schmedding-Harrison	6/21/2016	33631
Brittany Nicole Treadway	6/21/2016	33632
Andrew Eric Wong	6/21/2016	33633
Justine Ganne Anderson	6/24/2016	33634
Garet Scott Davis	6/24/2016	33635
Ramin Eshghi	6/24/2016	33636
Jason James Garrett	6/24/2016	33637
Suttee Hem	6/24/2016	33638
Baron Tyrone Nickleberry	6/24/2016	33639
Ronald Earl Pacheco	6/24/2016	33640
Aaron Steven Van Brunt	6/24/2016	33641
Robert Anthony Willhite	6/24/2016	33642
Merrick Rae Dumont Tomlinson	6/28/2016	33643

## ACCUSATIONS FILED November 1, 2015–June 30, 2016

NAME AND CITY	LICENSE NO.	DATE FILED	ALLEGED VIOLATIONS
Mahoney, Lance M. – San Diego	DC 32281	11/16/2015	Failure to comply with terms of probation.
Sherf, John – Sherman Oaks	DC 31222	11/16/2015	Failure to comply with terms of probation.
Wolf, Jason E. – Covelo	DC 24670	11/16/2015	Failure to comply with terms of probation.
Shui, David Da-Wiy – Cerritos	DC 27531	11/23/2015	Unprofessional conduct; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, physical violence, or corruption.
Hastert, Patricia – Penn Valley	DC 14092	12/15/2015	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence.
Press, Mary – Santa Barbara	DC 11794	12/22/2015	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; incompetence; conduct endangering the public; failure to refer patient.
Pavehzadeh, Houshang – Agoura Hills	DC 29084	12/22/2015	Conviction of a crime.
Dibagohar, Homan – Redondo Beach	DC 30890	2/24/2016	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; moral turpitude/dishonesty/corruption; false representation; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; failure to ensure accurate billings; insurance fraud.
Loos, Richard Arland – Del Mar	DC 26434	2/25/2016	Conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; moral turpitude/dishonesty/corruption; false representation; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; insurance fraud.
Dawson, John – Fresno	DC 19749	3/4/2016	Excessive treatment; illegal use of title; false advertising; failure to maintain patient records; failure to maintain accurate billings.
Khoury, George – Livermore	DC 21021	3/9/2016	Sexual misconduct on premises; sexual misconduct with patient; conduct endangering the public.
Michael, Marios – Pasadena	DC 27129	3/2/2016	Conduct endangering the public; administer to oneself drugs/alcohol; conviction of a crime related to chiropractic duties; moral turpitude/dishonesty/corruption; false representation; participation in fraud/misrepresentation.
Pilcher, Darrell – Ojai	DC 16811	3/10/2016	Conviction of a crime related to chiropractic duties; administer to oneself drugs/alcohol; multiple misdemeanor convictions involving drugs and/or alcohol; false statement on license application; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; violation of regulation adopted by the Board.
Villanueva, Paulo – Inglewood	DC 30720	3/10/2016	Conviction of a crime related to chiropractic duties; administer to oneself drugs/alcohol; conviction of crimes involving the consumption of alcohol.
Nolfo, Salvatore – Stockton	DC 28710	4/15/2016	Conviction of a crime; conviction substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction involving physical violence.
Matt, Robert – Rio Vista	DC 24966	5/24/2016	Conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, physical violence or corruption.
Ripley, Michael – Orinda	DC 18934	5/24/2016	Conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties.
Smith, Jamie John – Palo Cedro	DC 22243	6/20/2016	Sexual misconduct with patient.

**NOTE:** As used in this summary, the term “accusation” is a formal document that notifies a licensee of the agency’s charges against the licensee and that requests a disciplinary order. The licensee is entitled to contest the charges in a formal hearing before an administrative law judge. An accusation is usually resolved by an agency decision following such a hearing or by an agency decision pursuant to a settlement agreement. Often there is a considerable period of time between the date of filing an accusation and the resolution of the accusation.

## CITATIONS FILED November 1, 2015–June 30, 2016

NAME AND CITY	LICENSE NO.	FINE AMOUNT	DATE ISSUED	ALLEGED VIOLATIONS
Brown, Alexander – Pinole	DC 32105	\$700	11/3/2015	Failure to file current address; moral turpitude/dishonesty/corruption; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; failure to ensure accurate billings.
Waddell, Scott – Laguna Niguel	DC 22884	\$1,500	11/18/2015	Unlicensed practice.
Mittleman, Seth – Pasadena	DC 22562	\$500	12/14/2015	Discipline by another state/regulatory agency; conduct endangering the public.
Stein, Malcolm – Irvine	DC 13689	\$500	12/15/2015	Discipline by another state/regulatory agency; conduct endangering the public.
Hewko, Thomas – Santa Ana	DC 14046	\$500	12/15/2015	Discipline by another state/regulatory agency; responsible for conduct of employees/other persons subject to D.C.’s supervision in place of practice; conduct endangering the public.
Maiorino, Patricia – Merced	DC 26771	\$500	1/14/2016	Unlicensed practice.
Javaherian, Omid – North Hollywood	DC 23177	\$2,500	1/21/2016	Ownership of a chiropractic practice.

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NAME AND CITY	LICENSE NO.	FINE AMOUNT	DATE ISSUED	ALLEGED VIOLATIONS
Graham, Ross – Mill Valley	DC 20984	\$100	1/22/2016	Violating any provision of Chiropractic Act or regulations; failure to maintain patient records; failure to provide patient records.
Yepez, Francisco – Irwindale	DC 32226	\$400	4/15/2016	False representations; renewal/continuing education requirements.
Choiniere, David – Paradise	DC 14335	\$600	4/15/2016	False representations; 24-hour continuing education requirement; renewal/ continuing education requirements.
Sheehy, Matt Judd – Cupertino	DC 29508	\$400	6/18/2016	Renewal/continuing education requirements; false representation.

**NOTE:** Payment of the fine is a satisfactory resolution to the citation.

## DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS FILED November 1, 2015–June 30, 2016

NAME AND CITY	LICENSE NO.	ACTION	EFFECTIVE DATE	ALLEGED VIOLATIONS
Morello, Nathan – South San Francisco	DC 29332	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	11/18/2015	Unprofessional conduct; violating any provision or term of Chiropractic Act or regulations; failure to maintain patient records; failure to ensure accurate billings; failure to provide/obtain informed consent.
Krynen, Paul – Wilmington	DC 14851	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	11/28/2015	Unprofessional conduct; excessive treatment.
Arakelian, John – Fresno	DC 21191	Revoked	12/17/2015	Insurance fraud; conviction of a crime; conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties.
Jung, Randal – Yuba City	DC 25576	Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation	12/20/2015	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; repeated negligent acts; conduct endangering the public; moral turpitude; false representations; conspire/violate the Chiropractic Act; participation in fraud/misrepresentation.
Thawer, Shafina – Porter Ranch	DC 29316	Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation, 30-day suspension	12/20/2015	Exceed scope of practice; unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; repeated negligent acts; incompetence; conduct endangering the public; moral turpitude; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; failure to maintain patient records.
Chiao, Wesley Mon Yu – Sacramento	DC 27904	Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation	1/15/2016	Unprofessional conduct/conduct endangering the public; conviction of a crime related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, physical violence, or corruption.
Lochridge, Steven – Escondido	DC 16197	Revoked, stayed, 30-day suspension, 5 years probation	2/3/2016	Sexual misconduct; excessive treatment.
Cooke, Myron – Los Angeles	DC 18766	Revoked	2/7/2016	Conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude/dishonesty/physical violence or corruption; false representation.
Deitch, Norman – Oceanside	DC 27040	Revoked, stayed, 4 years probation	2/27/2016	Advertisements; unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; unprofessional conduct/repeated negligent acts; incompetence; excessive treatment; failure to maintain patient records; failure to ensure accurate billings; inadequate supervision of unlicensed individual; advertising related to chiropractic which violates section 17500 of the Business and Professions Code.
Kausler, Keith – Tustin	DC 11950	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	3/11/2016	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; unprofessional conduct/repeated negligent acts; failure to maintain patient records.
Lanser, Wendy – Sunnyvale	DC 26085	Revoked, stayed, 30-day suspension, 5 years probation	3/26/2016	Conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a felony and misdemeanor involving dishonesty; commission of acts involving dishonesty in the course of activities as a license holder; false representation; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; knowing preparation of writings to support a false insurance claim; conviction for presenting a false statement regarding an insurance payment or benefit under Penal Code section 550.
Zeravica, Robert – Long Beach	DC 26527	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	3/28/2016	False representation; failure to obey all laws; failure to submit quarterly reports; failure to reimburse Board costs; failure to comply with psychiatric or psychological evaluation.
Hill, Brent – Modesto	DC 18107	Voluntary surrender of license	4/9/2016	Exceeding the scope of practice; failure to ensure conduct of employees/others subject to his supervision; dispensing narcotics, drugs, controlled substance; conduct endangering the public; unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; failure to ensure accurate billings; acts involving moral turpitude/dishonesty/corruption; failure to maintain patient records; informed consent; held himself out as other health professional; excessive treatment; failure to refer patient to other health professional.
Moffet, Richard – Scotts Valley	DC 11081	Voluntary surrender of license	4/16/2016	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; conduct endangering the public; failure to refer patient to other health professional; failure to update address with the Board; failure to display license.

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NAME AND CITY	LICENSE NO.	ACTION	EFFECTIVE DATE	ALLEGED VIOLATIONS
Lagamarsino, Frank – Stockton	DC 27930	Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation, 30-day suspension	5/14/2016	Administer to oneself drugs/alcohol; conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, physical violence, or corruption; dispensing narcotics, drugs, controlled substance.
McMillan, Michelle – Santa Monica	DC 22770	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	5/14/2016	Exceed scope of practice; failure to file current address; responsible for conduct of employees/other persons subject to D.C.'s supervision in place of practice; unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; unprofessional conduct/repeated negligent acts; unprofessional conduct/jeopardizing the public; dispensing narcotics, drugs, controlled substance; moral turpitude, dishonesty, or corruption; knowingly making or signing a document related to chiropractic that falsely represents the facts.
Pavehzadeh, Houshang – Agoura Hills	DC 29084	Voluntary surrender of license	5/15/2016	Unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; unprofessional conduct/repeated negligent acts; conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; moral turpitude, dishonesty, or corruption; participation in fraud or misrepresentation; insurance fraud.
Skrenes, Thomas – Tustin	DC 17821	Voluntary surrender of license	5/5/2016	Exceed scope of practice/only practice a system of chiropractic; exceed scope of practice/penetrate tissues of human beings; exceed scope of practice/the use of any drug or medicine included in Materia Medica; unprofessional conduct/gross negligence; unprofessional conduct/repeated negligent acts; unprofessional conduct/excessive treatment; failure to refer patient to a medical provider; failure to maintain patient records.
Tovanyan, Arutyun – North Hollywood	DC 29828	Voluntary surrender of license	5/12/2016	Failure to obey all laws; failure to timely submit quarterly reports; failure to comply with Board's probation monitoring; conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties; conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, physical violence, or corruption; false representation; false statement on a license application.
Poon, Susan – Rancho Santa Margarita	DC 22259	Revoked, stayed, 3 years probation	6/8/2016	Insurance fraud; failure to ensure accurate billings; false representations; participation in fraud/misrepresentation; use of inappropriate title.
Villanueva, Paulo – Santa Monica	DC 30720	Revoked, stayed, 5 years probation	6/12/2016	Conviction of a crime involving drugs/alcohol; administer controlled substance; conviction of a crime substantially related to chiropractic duties.

## ATTENTION LICENSEES!

### Chiropractor Occupational Analysis

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board) and the Office of Professional Examination Services (OPES) are looking for licensed chiropractors to participate as subject matter experts (SMEs) in the occupational analysis of the chiropractor profession. The purpose of the occupational analysis is to define practice for chiropractors in California in terms of actual job tasks that new licensees must be able to perform safely and competently at the time of licensure. The results of the occupational analysis will provide a description of current practice and serve as the basis for the Law and Ethics examination in California.

Here are a couple of upcoming opportunities for chiropractor participation in the occupational analysis process:

1. First Occupational Analysis Workshop (July 29–30, 2016)

A group of chiropractors will work with an OPES test consultant to evaluate the preliminary tasks and knowledge statements in terms of technical accuracy and comprehensiveness of coverage of the chiropractor scope of practice.

2. Second Occupational Analysis Workshop (August 19–20, 2016)

An additional group of chiropractors will work with the OPES test consultant to review and refine the task and knowledge statements derived from the interviews and the initial workshop.

The Board pays an honorarium fee to SMEs who participate in the workshops (\$100 per day). The occupational analysis workshops last two days and are conducted from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. Participants who travel 50 miles or more

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## UPCOMING MEETINGS

Public Board Meetings:

[www.chiro.ca.gov/about\\_us/meetings/index.shtml](http://www.chiro.ca.gov/about_us/meetings/index.shtml)

July 29, 2016 (San Francisco)

October 14, 2016 (Southern California)

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### Earn CE Credit for Attending Board Meetings

Section 361 (g)(15) of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations allows a licensee to earn a maximum of four hours of continuing education (CE) credit per renewal period for attending a full Board meeting that includes the hearing of cases related to petitioners seeking the reinstatement of revoked licenses or early termination of probationary licenses. A petitioner may not earn any CE hours for attending a Board meeting on the same day in which the petitioner's hearing is conducted. The attendance of a licensee at a Board meeting under this subparagraph shall be monitored and confirmed by Board staff designated by the Executive Officer.

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each way to workshops are reimbursed for travel expenses. Airfare is prepaid by the Board. The Board will reimburse participants for cost of hotel, meals, mileage, and other expenses up to specified limits as explained in the Department of Consumer Affairs' *Pocket Travel Guide*. Participants will also receive 16 hours of general continuing education credit for participating in a two-day workshop.

Participation by a large number of chiropractors with diverse backgrounds in the interviews and workshops is critical for the success of this project and the future of the chiropractor profession. It will ensure that future chiropractor licensing examinations in California are based on up-to-date, accurate, and valid information regarding chiropractor practice.

Chiropractors interested in participating should contact Brianna Lauziere by calling (916) 263-5355, ext. 5373, or via e-mail at [Brianna.lauziere@dca.ca.gov](mailto:Brianna.lauziere@dca.ca.gov).



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