July 2024 Public Board Actions List

Georgia Composite Medical Board

The Board issued **two** public orders in **July 2024**. To view each Board order, click on the licensee's name below.

1. Ashleigh Young Burns

Assistant Laser Practitioner
Public Consent Agreement for Licensure

2. Carolyn Allison Johnson

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Respiratory Care Professional Public Consent Agreement for Reinstatement

BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF:)	GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD
ASHLEIGH YOUNG BURNS,) DOCKET NO:	JUL 2 2 2024
Applicant.)	DOCKET NUMBER:

PUBLIC CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR LICENSURE

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Title 43, Chapters 1 and 34, the Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board"), in its discretion, has considered the application for licensure of Ashleigh Young Burns to practice as an Assistant Laser Practitioner in the State of Georgia. In conjunction therewith, the Board hereby enters its Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1.

On or about June 13, 2019, Applicant was issued a license to practice as an assistant laser practitioner by the Board, License No. 1169, which lapsed on or about November 30, 2020.

2.

On or about April 17, 2023, Applicant submitted a new application for a license to practice as an assistant laser practitioner. During the course of reviewing the application, it was discovered that Applicant had performed laser services after her license lapsed.

3.

Applicant waives any further findings of fact with respect to this matter.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The unlicensed practice disclosed by Applicant is grounds for denial of licensure or licensure with discipline under O.C.G.A. Ch. 34, T. 43, as amended. Applicant hereby waives any further conclusions of law with respect to the above-styled matter.

ORDER

Beginning on the effective date of this Consent Agreement, Applicant's license to practice as an Assistant Laser Practitioner in the State of Georgia shall be issued, subject to the following terms:

1.

Within ninety (90) days of the effective date of this Consent Agreement, Applicant shall submit to the Board a fine of **five hundred dollars** (\$500.00) to be paid in full by cashier's check or money order <u>made payable to the Georgia Composite Medical Board</u> Said fine shall be sent to Georgia Composite Medical Board, 2 MLK, Jr. Drive, SE, East Tower, 11th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30334, to the attention of the Executive Director. Failure to pay the entire amount by the ninetieth day shall be considered a violation of this Agreement and shall result in further sanctioning of Applicant's license, including revocation, upon substantiation thereof.

2.

This Consent Agreement and dissemination thereof shall be considered a **PUBLIC REPRIMAND** of Applicant by the Board.

3.

The effective date of this Consent Agreement is the date the Consent Agreement is docketed. Applicant should receive a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement from the Board at the Applicant's address and/or email address of record within ten (10) business days of the docket date. If Applicant has not received a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement, it is Applicant's responsibility to obtain a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement from the Board. Applicant must comply with the terms and conditions of the Consent Agreement beginning on the effective date.

Approval of this Consent Agreement by the Board shall in no way be construed as condoning the Applicant's conduct and shall not be construed as a waiver of any of the lawful rights possessed by the Board.

5.

Applicant acknowledges that Applicant has read this Consent Agreement and understands its contents. Applicant understands that Applicant has the right to an appearance in this matter, and freely, knowingly and voluntarily waives such right by entering into this Consent Agreement. Applicant understands that this Consent Agreement will not become effective until approved and docketed by the Board. However, if this Consent Agreement is not approved, it shall not constitute an admission against interest in this proceeding or prejudice the right of the Board to adjudicate this matter. Applicant further understands and agrees that a representative of the Department of Law may be present during presentation of this Consent Agreement to the Board and that the Board shall have the authority to review the investigative file and all relevant evidence in considering this Consent Agreement. Applicant hereby consents to the terms and sanctions contained herein.

Approved this 22 day of July , 202.4

(Signatures on following page)



GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY:

SREENIVASULU GANGASANI, MD

Chairperson

(BOARD SEAL)

ATTEST:

JASON S. JONES **Executive Director**

CONSENTED TO:

Applicant

[AS TO THE SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT]

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this, ____ day of _

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NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: 6/7/2025

McKenna Leigh Harwood NOTARY PUBLIC Fulton County, Georgia My Commission Expires June 7, 2025

BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF:))) DOCKET NO:)	GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD
CAROLYN ALLISON JOHNSON RCP License No. 2837,		JUL 08 2024 DOCKET NUMBER:
Reinstatement Applicant.	<u> </u>	20250002

PUBLIC CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR REINSTATEMENT

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Title 43, Chapters 1 and 34, the Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board"), in its discretion, has considered the reinstatement application for licensure of Carolyn Allison Johnson, formerly Carolyn Allison Shuler, ("Applicant") to practice as a respiratory care professional in the State of Georgia. In conjunction therewith, the Board hereby enters its Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1.

On or about October 6, 1994, Applicant was issued a license to practice as a respiratory care professional in the State of Georgia. On or about February 28, 2024, Applicant's license lapsed for failure to renew upon expiration of the late renewal period.

2.

On or about May 31, 2024, Applicant submitted an application for reinstatement of Applicant's license to practice as a respiratory care professional. While reviewing the application, it was discovered that Applicant had worked as a respiratory care professional in Georgia after her license expired.

Applicant waives any further findings of fact with respect to this matter.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The unlicensed practice disclosed by Applicant is grounds for denial of licensure or licensure with discipline under O.C.G.A. Ch. 34, T. 43, as amended. Reinstatement of Applicant's license is within the discretion of the Board. Applicant hereby waives any further conclusions of law with respect to the above-styled matter.

ORDER

Beginning on the effective date of this Consent Agreement, Applicant's license to practice as a respiratory care professional in the State of Georgia shall be reinstated, subject to the following terms:

1.

Applicant shall submit to the Board a fine of **five hundred dollars (\$500.00)** to be paid in full by cashier's check or money order <u>made payable to the Georgia Composite Medical Board</u> within **sixty (60) days** of the effective date of this Consent Agreement. Said fine shall be sent to Georgia Composite Medical Board, 2 MLK, Jr. Drive, SE, East Tower, 11th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30334, to the attention of the Executive Director. Failure to pay the entire amount by the 60th day shall be considered a violation of this Agreement and shall result in further sanctioning of Applicant's licensure, including revocation, upon substantiation thereof.

2.

This Consent Agreement and dissemination thereof shall be considered a **PUBLIC REPRIMAND** of Applicant by the Board.

The effective date of this Consent Agreement is the date the Consent Agreement is docketed. Applicant should receive a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement from the Board at the Applicant's address and/or email address of record within ten (10) business days of the docket date. If Applicant has not received a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement, it is Applicant's responsibility to obtain a docketed copy of the Consent Agreement from the Board. Applicant must comply with the terms and conditions of the Consent Agreement beginning on the effective date.

4.

Applicant acknowledges that Applicant has read this Consent Agreement and understands its contents. Applicant understands that Applicant has the right to an appearance in this matter and freely, knowingly, and voluntarily waives that right by entering into this Consent Agreement. Applicant understands and agrees that a representative of the Department of Law may be present during the Board's consideration of this Consent Agreement and that the Board shall have the authority to review the investigative file and all relevant evidence in considering this Consent Agreement. Applicant further understands that this Consent Agreement will not become effective until approved and docketed by the Georgia Composite Medical Board. However, if this Consent Agreement is not approved, it shall not constitute an admission against interest in this proceeding or prejudice the right of the Board to adjudicate this matter. Applicant hereby consents to the terms and sanctions contained herein.

(Signature on following page)

Approved this day of Joy , 2024.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY:

SREENIVASULU GANGASANI, MD

Chairperson

ATTEST:

JASON S. JONES

Executive Director

CAROLYN ALLISON JOHNSON

Applicant

[As to Applicant's signature only:]

Sworn to and subscribed before me