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PUBLIC NOTICE: SCAM ALERT – INDIVIDUALS IMPERSONATING BOARD INVESTIGATORS

The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB) is warning licensees of fraudulent activity involving individuals impersonating Board Investigators and federal law enforcement officials.

The Board has recently received reports of scammers contacting licensees while falsely identifying themselves as representatives of the GCMB, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), or Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). These individuals may claim that a licensee's professional license has been suspended or is at risk of suspension unless an immediate fine or payment is made.

Please be advised that the GCMB will NEVER request payment of fines through the following methods:

- Cryptocurrency
- Gift cards
- Prepaid debit cards
- Payment applications such as Cash App, PayPal, Venmo, or Zelle

Licensees are strongly encouraged to exercise caution when receiving unsolicited communications involving threats of disciplinary action, license suspension, or demands for immediate payment.

If you receive a suspicious communication or believe someone is misrepresenting themselves as a GCMB employee or investigator, DO NOT provide personal or financial information, disclose your Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration number, or submit payment.

To verify the authenticity of any communication claiming to originate from the Board, please contact the GCMB Customer Service Team through our official portal:
https://gcmb.nextrequest.com/

The Georgia Composite Medical Board remains committed to protecting its licensees and the public from fraudulent activity.