

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
BUREAU OF HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS**

In re: Christopher Grigaitis, L.P.N.

Petition No. 2004-1021-011-021

STATEMENT OF CHARGES

Pursuant to the General Statutes of Connecticut, §§19a-10 and 19a-14, the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") brings the following charges against Christopher Grigaitis, L.P.N.:

COUNT ONE

1. Christopher Grigaitis of Enfield, CT (hereinafter "respondent") is, and has been at all times referenced in this Statement of Charges, the holder of Connecticut licensed practical license number 024600.
2. At all relevant times, respondent was employed as a licensed practical nurse at Fox Hill Center, Vernon, Connecticut.
3. During July 2004-October 2004, while working as a licensed practical nurse at Fox Hill Center, respondent failed to completely, properly and/or accurately document medication records.
4. The above facts constitute grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to the General Statutes of Connecticut, §20-99(b), including but not limited to §20-99(b)(2)

COUNT TWO

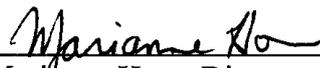
5. Paragraph(s) one is incorporated herein by reference as if set forth in full.
6. On June 18, 2003, the Connecticut Board of Examiners for Nursing (hereinafter "the Board") issued a Memorandum of Decision in Petition Number 2002-0710-011-031(hereinafter "the Decision") that placed respondent's licensed practical nurse license on probation for a period of four years. Such disciplinary action was based in part upon proof of respondent's admitted diversions of lorazepam, and failure to completely, properly and/or accurately document medical or facility records, and failure to properly deliver medications to patients.

7. Said Decision specifically provided that the Board shall:
 - a. pre-approve any change of employment for respondent within the nursing profession respondent; and/or
 - b. be informed in writing prior to any change of employment.
8. Respondent's employment at Fox Hill Center was terminated by the facility on or about October 20, 2004, without the Board's pre-approval of a change in employment, and/or a written notification to the Board prior to the change in employment.
9. Respondent's conduct as described above constitutes violations of the terms of probation as set forth in the Decision, and subjects respondent's license to revocation or other disciplinary action authorized by the General Statutes of Connecticut, §§19a-17 and 20-99(b).

THEREFORE, the Department prays that:

The Connecticut Board of Examiners for Nursing, as authorized by the General Statutes of Connecticut, §§20-99(b) and 19a-17, revoke or order other disciplinary action against the license of Christopher Grigaitis as it deems appropriate and consistent with law.

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut this 15th day of February, 2005.



Marianne Horn, Director
Division of Health Systems Regulation
Bureau of Healthcare Systems

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