

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
BUREAU OF HEALTH SYSTEM REGULATION
DIVISION OF MEDICAL QUALITY ASSURANCE

In re:

Deborah A. Cichon # 704
Occupational Therapist Applicant

Petition No. 870224-48-001

CONSENT ORDER

WHEREAS, Deborah A. Cichon, of Ellington, Connecticut has made application to the Department of Health Services to be licensed as an occupational therapist pursuant to Chapter 376a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended; and

WHEREAS, Deborah A. Cichon hereby admits and acknowledges that:

1. Since September 15, 1986 she has been performing occupational therapy services at Mt. Sinai Hospital in Hartford, Connecticut.
2. She has never been licensed in Connecticut as an occupational therapist.
3. She has never held a temporary permit to practice as an occupational therapist pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 20-74d.
4. By her action described in paragraphs 1. - 3. above, she committed an act which failed to conform to the accepted standards of occupational therapists and she is subject to denial of licensure by the Department of Health Services under Public Act 86-365 §1(a)(6)(E).

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to §1(a)(b)(e) Public Act 86-365, Deborah A. Cichon hereby stipulates and agrees to the following:

1. That she waives the right to a hearing on the merits of this matter.
2. That when she satisfies the requirements for licensure as an occupational therapist as set forth in Connecticut General Statutes Sections 20-74b and/or 20-74c she will be granted an occupational therapist license.
3. That she is hereby reprimanded.
4. That she understands that notice of this Consent Order is a matter of public record.
5. That she understands that this Consent Order may be considered as evidence of the above admitted violations in any proceeding before the Commissioner of the Department of Health Services or his duly appointed agent arising out of a subsequent series of facts (1) in which her compliance with this same order is at issue, or (2) in which her compliance with §20-74g of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended, is at issue.
6. That this Consent Order, and terms set forth herein are not subject to reconsideration, collateral attack or judicial review under any form or in any forum. Further, that said order is not subject to appeal or review under the provisions of Chapters 54 or 368a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, provided that this stipulation shall not deprive her of any rights that she may have under the laws of the State of Connecticut or of the United States.
7. This Consent Order is effective when accepted and approved by a duly appointed agent of the Department of Health Services.

8. That she understands that she has the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this document.

I, Deborah A. Cichon, have read the above Consent Order, and I agree and admit to the terms and allegations set forth therein. I further declare the execution of this Consent Order to be my free act and deed.

Deborah A. Cichon
Deborah A. Cichon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March 1987.

[Signature]
~~Notary Public or person authorized by law to administer an oath or affirmation~~ COMMISSIONER OF SUPERIOR CT.
Geoffrey G. Mandley

The above Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the Commissioner of the Department of Health Services on the 26th day of March 1987, it is hereby ordered and accepted.

[Signature]
Stanley K. Peck, Director
Division of Medical Quality Assurance

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