

1. Treatment rendered by Respondent was misleading and inappropriate for patient's symptoms. At the initial consultation, Respondent told the patient Y.O. that the treatment plan would be one year long. Such a "plan" is not one which can be forecast for health problems presented by the patient Y.O.

2. Patient's billing procedures were improper and unprofessional in that Respondent kept the patient's deposit as credit towards future anticipated treatments without adequate notice to the patient Y.O. of this policy.

The parties being desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of formal proceedings, and it appearing that Respondent, Elliot Koziel, D.C., without admitting or denying the allegations as reflected in the findings of the Board but solely for purpose of resolving this matter, acknowledges the findings of the Board previously set forth as constituting professional misconduct and therefore grounds for disciplinary actin pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-021(e), and it further appearing that Respondent has read the terms of this Order and understands their meaning, consents to be bound by same, and it further appearing that the Board finds that the within Order is adequately protective of the public interest, it further reappearing that good cause exists for the entry of the within Order;

IT IS ON THERFORE ON THIS 10th DAY OF November, 1994
ORDERED:

1. Respondent shall a penalty to the Board in the amount of one thousand five hundred (\$1,500) dollars. Said penalty,

and the costs imposed by paragraph 3 below, shall be paid by certified check or money order in 10 equal payments in the amount of \$190 each.

2. Respondent shall cease and desist from the conduct set forth above as reflected in the diagnoses and treatment of patient Y.O. and the billing procedures utilized with respect to Y.O.

3. Respondent shall, contemporaneously with entry of this Order, pay costs to the Board in an amount of four hundred (\$400) dollars by certified check or money order.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF
CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

By: 

Alfred Davis, D.C.
President

I have read the within Consent Order and understand its terms. I hereby consent to the form and entry of this Consent Order.


Elliot Koziel, D.C.