

was granted a restricted license to practice medicine in New Jersey. The restrictions included a provision that Dr. Chambers would not practice anesthesia until further order of the Board. This Consent Order was modified by a January 10, 2000 Consent Order stipulating that Dr. Chamber's restricted license permitted him to perform nerve blocks in a supervised medical office in which no controlled substances were present.

Respondent later petitioned the Board on or about March 12, 2001 seeking permission from the Board to do histories and ~~physicals on prospective insureds for an insurance company.~~ The Board approved of Respondent's request on May 9, 2001.

On April 4, 2001 Respondent appeared before a Preliminary Evaluation Committee of the Board of Medical Examiners accompanied by Dr. David I. Canavan, Medical Director Emeritus of the PHP, to petition the Board to permit him to practice anesthesia at the Hahnemann Hospital under the supervision of Jack Cohen, M.D. The Respondent testified that he seeks to remain in this supervised setting, for a period to be determined by the supervisor, where he could have his anesthesia skills re-honed prior to returning to private practice. He further testified that despite his ~~restoration of a restricted licensed in January 2000,~~ he has not engaged in the practice of medicine since his January 1997 surrender of licensure.

Dr. Canavan testified that Respondent has been fully compliant with the Board's Consent Orders. Specifically, Dr. Canavan testified that Respondent has maintained absolute abstinence from all mood altering chemicals, has attended Alcoholics Anonymous at least three times a week and has complied with scheduled PHP meetings and random urine monitoring on a quarterly basis. Additionally, Respondent has been compliant with the requirements of his psychotherapist, Dr. Lynn Montgomery, appearing for treatment on an as needed basis in accordance with the January 10, 2000 Consent Order.

The Board having considered the respondent's testimony and the recommendations of the PHP in this case and all relevant documentation submitted and finding the within Order adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare,

IT IS ON THIS 15th DAY OF October 2001;

ORDERED THAT:

1.) Dr. Chambers shall be permitted to practice anesthesia only in a supervised setting at the Hahnemann University Hospital under the supervision of Jack Cohen, M.D. Dr. Cohen's signature on a copy of this Order indicates his agreement to immediately notify the PHP of any signs that Dr. Chambers has suffered a relapse;

2.) Dr Chambers is to maintain absolute abstinence from alcohol and all mood altering chemicals, unless such substances are

prescribed by a treating physician for a documented medical condition;

3.) Dr. Chambers shall continue his attendance at AA meetings for a minimum of two to three times per week until further order of the Board;

4.) Dr. Chambers shall continue his psychotherapy with Dr. Lynn Montgomery on a schedule to be determined by Dr. Montgomery until further order of the Board;

5.) Dr. Chambers shall continue his involvement with the ~~Physicians' Health Program with face to face visits every two months;~~

6.) Upon commencement of his practice of anesthesia, under the supervision of Dr. Cohen. Dr. Chambers shall undergo random bi-weekly urine monitoring for six months and then weekly screens for the following six months on a schedule to be determined by the Medical Director of the PHP;

7.) Dr. Chambers shall cause quarterly progress reports to be issued from the PHP to be sent to the Medical Director of the Board. Dr. Chambers agrees that the staff of the PHP should immediately notify the Medical Director of the Board, if there is any evidence of non-compliance with this Order or any evidence of a relapse;

8.) Dr. Chambers shall comply with all terms and conditions of the within Order, with all statutes and regulations concerning the practice of medicine and surgery, and with the general laws of the State of New Jersey. If the respondent fails to strictly comply with any of the aforesaid terms, the Attorney General may apply for an emergent hearing before the Board or such member(s) as the Board President may designate for this purpose on forty-eight hours notice to Respondent. That hearing shall be limited to the issue of whether this Order has been violated. Upon proof by a ~~preponderance of the evidence of a material violation of this~~ Order, the Board may summarily suspend or limit Respondent's license to practice medicine pending a hearing on those charges;

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

BY: William V. Harrer M.D.
William V. Harrer, M.D., B.L.D.
President

I have read and understood the above Order and agree to be bound by its terms.
I hereby consent to entry of this order:

Bryan P. Chambers
Bryan P. Chambers, M.D.

David I. Canavan M.D.
David I. Canavan, M.D.,
Medical Director Emeritus PHP

Jack Cohen
Jack Cohen, M.D.
Hahnemann Hospital