

Covenant School of Nursing
Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment
Instructional Module 2

Student Name: **Rebecca Anaya**

Date: **09/01/2022**

DAS Assignment # **2**

Name of the defendant: **David Joseph Bonnett**

License number of the defendant: **795034**

Date action was taken against the license: **10findings /23/2015**

Type of action taken against the license: **Reprimand with Stipulations**

*Use the space below to describe the events which led to action taken against the license. If multiple charges were in play, be sure and cite them, e.g. drug diversion, HIPAA violation, abandonment, forfeiture on student loans, etc. **On 12/04/2012 Mr. Bonnett was charged with unprofessional and dishonorable conduct. Mr. Bonnett failed to report vital signs, urine, and stool color. He also did not notify physician on patients change in condition/status which resulted in delay of proper and emergent care. This action may have been what resulted in patients' demise.***

*Use the space below to provide a description of measures you think could have prevented any action being taken against the license and/or would have prevented harm to the patient, if harm occurred. Consider which universal competencies were violated. **Based upon the information, Mr. Bonnett could have prevented the demise of the patient and the action taken against his license if he had taken the time to properly assess his patient and document all findings correctly. The universal competencies that were violated were all four. Safety/security, Standard, Communication, and critical thinking.***

*Use the space below to describe what action you think a prudent nurse would take as the first to person to discover the event described, in other words, you are the one who discovers the patient has been harmed by the nurse or you have discovered the impairment or criminal activity cited in the disciplinary action. **As a prudent nurse I would have assessed patient as soon my shift started, documented all my findings. Then I would have looked at all documentation from previous shift. Once I had all information on the changes in patient's previous and current status, I would have notified Mr. Bonnett to follow policy and procedures per the facility and notify charge nurse as well as treating physician to transfer to a higher level of care.***