

Covenant School of Nursing

Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment

Instructional Module 2

Student Name: **Kaitlynn Basquez** Date: **9/15/22** DAS Assignment # 3 (1-4)

Name of the defendant: **Glenda Reed Diagne** License number of the defendant: **754224**

Date action was taken against the license: **08/21/2020**

Type of action taken against the license: **Revoked License**

There were several events that led to Glenda Reed Diagne having her license revoked. Diagne went into an Operation Room (OR) without her preceptor and performed an assessment on a newborn, during this assessment she also removed the clamp on the umbilical cord resulting in blood to spill out. She then proceeded to leave the newborn alone and unsupervised. Diagne also falsely claimed she was a surgery technician and scrubbed in on a c-section that she was most definitely not qualified or properly trained for. Lastly, Diagne presented to work impaired, she then later passed out in a patient's room and was also throwing up. While in a meeting with her supervisor she was short tempered, spitting and slamming her hands on the desk, and became violent towards her supervisor, threatening to punch her. Ultimately, she was forcefully removed from her office and continued to cause a massive scene on her unit, screaming and yelling in front of employees and patients.

These actions committed by Diagne were all preventable and unnecessary. Diagne should have known and maintained her professional role as a nurse in training. She should have never stepped foot into the OR without her preceptor. Diagne also should have never thought to pose as a surgery scrub technician since she had not been properly trained to do so, therefore she violated safety and security, and standard precaution. Diagne should have also maintained her professional role while coming to work and not showing up impaired.

I as the prudent nurse would ask Diagne where her preceptor was and tell her she is not properly trained to be in the OR alone nor to do the assessment. I would also report her actions to her preceptor and supervisor. I would report the other events Diagne performed to the nurse manager and ensure that Diagne were properly removed from the unit and hospital so that she could not endanger any patients.