

Covenant School of Nursing  
Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment  
Instructional Module 2

Student Name: Jalyn Colglazier      Date: 01/15/2023      DAS Assignment # 1 (1-4)

Name of the defendant: Ashley Margaret Webber      License number of the defendant: 827411

Date action was taken against the license: November 14th, 2019

Type of action taken against the license: Revoked

*Use the space below to describe the events which led to the action(s) 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.*

Charge 1: The RN was likely to injure the patient in that she lacked the necessary education and training to perform the procedure.

Charge 2: The RN left the facility while patients were under her care and without informing her supervisor. Then one of her patients that she was taking care of tried to leave the facility which led to abandonment.

Charge 3: The RN conduct was likely to injure the patient since she lacked the necessary education and training to perform the procedure.

Charge 4: The RN removed Toradol from the medication dispensing system after being given verbal order to remove blood pressure medication from the on call provider which led to drug diversion.

Charge 5: The RN submitted a Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS) certification that had falsified issued and renewal dates.

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Charge 7: The RN license to practice was revoked.

*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.*

After reading this article, I think there are many measures that this nurse could have done to prevent her from getting her license revoked. Since there were seven total charges, there are many different things she could have done differently. First of all, she should have never left the facility, especially without telling someone first. If the patient would have escaped and passed away outside of the facility or got lost as to where they were that

could have been a major deal. Second, she pulled narcotics out of the Pyxis without an order from the physician. Pulling any medication without an order can be dangerous, but especially a narcotic. Lastly, she provided false information regarding her ACLS certification. In the case that a patient needed ACLS and she didn't correctly know how to do it, that patient could have potentially passed away due to the circumstances.

*Identify which universal competencies were violated and explain how.*

Drug diversion was violated because she removed a narcotic from the drug dispensing system without an order from the physician. In charge number two, the nurse abandoned her patients without telling anyone and one patient attempted to escape. Also, the nurse falsified her ACLS certification because she provided false information to her employer.

*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 can only imagine how many things we could potentially see. If I saw a nurse pulling medications from the Pyxis, I will absolutely turn them in because of the danger that puts not only the patients in, but also her/him. Additionally, if I was working with a nurse that abandoned her patients without notifying anyone, I would also turn her in because that leaves the rest of the floor to pick up her patients and do their best to take care of them on top of their own. Nurses are already worn down and tired a lot of the time, they don't need any added, unnecessary stress into their shift.