

Covenant School of Nursing

Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment

Instructional Module 2

Student Name: PHANELLA Date: 02/09/2023

DAS Assignment # 4 (1-4)

Name of the defendant: FOX KRISTEN

License number of the defendant: 775905

Date action was taken against the license: 3/18/2014

Type of action taken against the license: Warning with stipulations

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. Withdraw hydrocodone for the patient exceeding frequency/dosage of physicians' order; withdraw hydrocodone, Zolpidem and Alprazolam for patient and failed to document; also failure to dispose according to hospital policy of unused portion of medication

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.

He could have follow the 7 rights for medication administration; document, and follow hospital policy and procedure to dispose unused portion of medication

Identify which universal competencies were violated and explain how.

- Safety and security: he could have overdosed the patient
- Documentation: Did not use eMAR medication scan and failed to document
- Professional role: Did not follow facility's policy for wastage of unused portion of medication

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.

I would report him to the case manager, the charge nurse or a supervisor because those actions could have harmed the patient. As nurse, we supposed to advocate, protect and care for our patient.