

# Covenant School of Nursing

## Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment

### Instructional Module 2

Student Name: Michael Tejada  
Assignment # \_\_\_\_4\_\_\_\_

Date: 2/10/2023

DAS

Name of the defendant: Betty Ruth Fowler

License number of the defendant:554404

Date action was taken against the license: 3/5/12

Type of action taken against the license: Fine W education

Betty Ruth Fowler answered no to the question "have you ever been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violation?" she provided false information when answering this question. The respondent failed to disclose that she was charged for credit card abuse, which was a felony in Texas.

*I think a clear understanding of the regulations of what needed to be done after she was convicted, would have helped her. She stated that she understood it as if "she serves her 2 years of probation the felony would have been expunged". There was no patient harm committed in this case, however we don't know if Betty actually understood her case the way she did. She could have been lying and in reality who knows if her character as a nurse would portray this behavior.*

*Betty violated safety and security because she did establish the trust within herself to be honorable nurse. She also violated communication because she did not utilize her resources properly. Lastly her professional role was altered by this mishap. Her future employers will see this and It also affects her interactions with peers, staff and family.*

*I dont think nothing could have been done directly to prevent this from a co-worker, unless they knew her before they were coworkers. I do think some family members or someone would have for sure knew about this. If I was her family or a close friend I would have told her to make sure to include everything in your paperwork and its better to be safe than sorry. Also, the act of using diversion on the paperwork could reflect her dignity as a nurse.*