

DRAMA WITH A TUBE-DAS #3

DISSECTS THE

TRACHEOSTOMY TROPE

D'Leah Hill 4/21/25



THE CULPRIT

- Joann Phillips Wolfe
- Registered nurse
 - Also has a vocational nurse license as well
- License number 585142





THE JUICY DETAILS

- The date the action went into effect was March 31, 2022
- The date of the initial event is May 21, 2021



THE PLOT THICKENS...



- The nurse didn't give proper emergency care when a child with a trach had trouble breathing
- The child's oxygen dropped, EMS helped, but the child later died
- She decided to voluntarily surrender

PATIENT SAFETY: BECAUSE ORANGE JUMPSUITS AREN'T CUTE

- No actions were given. The nurse voluntarily surrendered.



UNIVERSAL COMPETENCIES: BECAUSE

APPARENTLY 'COMMON SENSE' WASN'T ENOUGH...

- Safety and security (Physical)
- Communication
- Critical thinking
- Human Caring
- Professional Role
- Promptly managed airway with suctioning, trach care, oxygen, and Ambu bag ventilation
- Called EMS immediately while continuing life-saving interventions

