

**Formal Board Actions Taken by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board**

January 2019

Practitioner	License Number or Application Type	Sanction	Basis for Action	Board Action Date
Tamara Link	OTA001926	Probation until 07/01/2020; Random Drug/Alcohol Screenings; Participate in Drug/Alcohol Rehabilitation Program 3/week	Felony Conviction	January 17, 2019
Katharine Freeman	PTA0011184	One (1) year probation; Complete CPEP Medical Record Keeping Program	Documented and billed for services not provided	January 17, 2019
Tara Clark	OTA003814	One (1) year probation; Complete ethics course; Complete Ohio laws and rules examination; Supervision/verification of accuracy of billing records and submit monthly report of such to Board	Failure to maintain accurate billing records; Failure to cooperate with an investigation	January 17, 2019
Scott Van Bramer	PT005754	One (1) year probation; Complete PROBE Ethics & Boundaries Program;	Failure to maintain supervision of a student	January 17, 2019
Teresa Sprayberry	OT003269	Thirty (30) day suspension; Probation for eleven (11) months; Complete PROBE Ethics & Boundaries Program	Failure to maintain accurate documentation and billing records	January 17, 2019
John Longenecker	PTA003001	Probation for two (2) years; Complete PROBE Ethics & Boundaries Program; Complete APTA documentation course	Failure to maintain accurate documentation and billing records	January 17, 2019

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March 2019

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Jennifer Wood	PT012271	Written Reprimand; Complete PROBE Ethics & Boundaries Program	Documented or billed for services not provided and failed to maintain accurate patient/client records by deleting records for a patient.	March 21, 2019
Amy Coriell	PT-LD-19-001	Probationary status for two years; Participate in AA, NA, or similar program during probationary status & submit reports	Felony convictions	March 21, 2019

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May 2019

Practitioner	License Number or Application Type	Sanction	Basis for Action	Board Action Date
Sharon Hall	OTA002030	License Surrender/Revocation	Failure to maintain accurate documentation and billing records for multiple individuals	May 23, 2019
Tamara Link	OTA001926	License Surrender/Revocation	Unable to abide by consent agreement terms	May 23, 2019
Michelle Day	PT014070	30 day suspension	Provided physical therapy services to individuals when did not possess a valid license to practice as physical therapist	May 23, 2019

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July 2019

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Andrea Morrison	PTA012419	Probationary status for 18 months; Attend weekly AA/NA/or similar program during probationary status; Fitness for duty clearance required for release from probationary status	Convictions involving alcohol related violations	July 25, 2019
Margaret Ramos	PTA005614	Written Reprimand; Unconditionally pass PROBE program	Failure to maintain accurate records	July 25, 2019
Robert Clark	PTA004704	30-day suspension; \$1,000.00 fine; Develop a Personal Plan of Action	Practiced as a PTA without a valid (expired) license	July 25, 2019
Sherri Wells	PT013131	Written Reprimand; Probationary status for one year; Unconditionally pass PROBE program	Failure to maintain accurate records	July 25, 2019
Amy Schmitz	PTA006174	Probationary status for 6 months; Complete continuing education courses	Failure to complete previous consent agreement terms	July 25, 2019
Clay Courtney	OTA006798	12-day suspension; Probationary status for one year; Complete continuing education courses; Supervisor's verification of accuracy of billing records/documentation must be submitted monthly for one year	Failure to maintain accurate records	July 18, 2019

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September 2019

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Thomas Burnett	PT007356	License Surrender	The Board has received evidence indicating that in May 2019, while employed as a physical therapist at Ohio First Home Health, Burnett failed to adhere to the minimal standards of acceptable prevailing practice, which caused a patient to feel deprived of their dignity. Said conduct, if proven, would constitute a violation of the Ohio Rev. Code § 4755.47 (A)(5) and Ohio Administrative Code § 4755- 27-05 (B)(5)(d). The evidence received by the Board is considered to be "confidential information" within the meaning of Ohio Rev. Code 4755.02 (E).	09/12/2019
Shane Becker	PTA008603	Revocation	Engaged in behavior/conversation of a sexual nature with patients.	09/26/2019

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November 2019

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Nathan Yates	PTA012532	Yates shall comply with and successfully complete all terms of his Settlement Agreement with the Kentucky Board of Physical Therapy, Agency Case No. 2018-24, Administrative Action No. 19-KBPT, ordered on September 19, 2019.	Disciplinary action taken by Kentucky Board on 09/19/2019 for “Engaging in fraud or material deception in the delivery of professional services, including reimbursement, or advertising services in a false or misleading manner. When on numerous occasions, demonstrated by the records, it is clear that improper record keeping was entered for services that were not provided.”	Nov. 21, 2019
Jane Warner	PT003132	\$500 fine; Agrees to be audited for 2022 renewal cycle; Develop a personal plan of action.	On May 9, 2019, as a result of being selected for a continuing education audit conducted by the Board, Warner was sent an audit notice letter via email. On July 29, 2019, the Board office received Warner’s certificates of completion, which reflected that she completed zero (0) contact hours of continuing education within the continuing education reporting period of February 1, 2016, to January 31, 2018.	Nov. 21, 2019
Christine Wood	PTA003965	Wood's license to practice as a Physical Therapist in the State of Ohio shall be restricted to none	Wood slapped patient with an open hand on his right upper back in the shoulder area that was audible.	Nov. 21, 2019

		<p>Developmental Disability patients.</p> <p>Complete 12 hours of Continuing Education Units (CEU) involving populations with Developmental Disabilities and/or other populations with challenging behavior. Upon completion of all required courses, Wood is to write a paper to the board on what she has learned from taking these courses.</p>		
Andrea Medcalf	PTA006878	License revocation.	Goldman hearing held for failure to respond to CE audit.	Nov. 21, 2019
Erich Ward	PTA009691	License revocation.	Felony conviction.	Nov. 21, 2019