

**Formal Board Actions Taken by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers
Board – January 2022**

Practitioner	License Number or Application Type	Sanction	Basis for Action	Board Action Date
Kaye Wiswell	OTA004429	Voluntary surrender/simultaneous revocation.	While on probation with the Board, Wiswell violated the terms of her probation on two occasions. Wiswell failed to call to check in for a drug screening. Said conduct is a violation of Ohio Revised Code section 4755.11(A)(22). Wiswell also admitted to a Board investigator that she drank alcohol and used cocaine despite being on probation with the Board and being supervised in an intervention in lieu of conviction program out of Franklin County Common Pleas Court. Said conduct is a violation of Ohio Revised Code section 4755.11(A)(22).	01/20/2022
Robert Dunham	PT011975	Voluntary surrender/simultaneous revocation.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist for the 2018-2020, Dunham provided zero (0) contact hours of Ohio approved continuing education within the continuing education reporting period. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47(A)(6) & (22), and 4755.51, and Ohio Administrative	01/20/2022

			Code rules 4755-23-08 (A)(1), (D), (E)(2), & (F).	
Gretchen Gorham	PTA003900	Voluntary surrender/simultaneous revocation.	On July 24, 2019 while working as a physical therapist assistant, Gorham falsely billed for physical therapy services that she did not perform and forged a patient's signature. This said conduct constitutes a violation of the Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47(A)(5), (A)(11), (A)(13) & (A)(14) and Ohio Administrative Code § 4755-27-05 (A)(2), (A)(3), (B)(1), (B)(5)(1) & (B)(9).	01/20/2022
Richard Hover	PTA009366	Written Reprimand; Fine of \$100.00; Provide a copy of the consent agreement to any current and future employers during the term of the agreement.	Hover engaged in the practice of physical therapy, when he did not hold a valid license to practice as a physical therapist assistant in the State of Ohio. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47 (A)(6), (28) and Ohio Administrative Code rules 4755-27-05 (B)(3)(b).	01/20/2022
Robert Miles	PTA011120	Voluntary surrender/simultaneous revocation.	Robert Miles was convicted of failing to provide for a functionally impaired person as a misdemeanor of the first degree in violation of Ohio Revised Code section 2903.16. At the time of the offense, Miles was employed and practicing as a licensed physical therapist assistant. Said conduct constitutes a violation of the Ohio Revised Code section 4755.47(A)(23).	01/20/2022

Jason Nemunaitis	PT012615	Fine of \$1200.00; Provide a copy of the consent agreement to any current and future employers during the term of the agreement.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist for the 2018-2020, Nemunaitis provided zero (0) contact hours of Ohio approved continuing education within the continuing education reporting period. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47 (A)(6) & (22), and 4755.51, and Ohio Administrative Code rules 4755-23-08 (A)(1), (D), (E)(2), & (F).	01/20/2022
Kathleen O'Leary	PT009794	Written Reprimand; Fine of \$100.00; Provide a copy of the consent agreement to any current and future employers during the term of the agreement.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist for the 2018-2020 provided four (4) contact hours were previously submitted to fulfill the 2018 continuing education audit. Therefore, the contact hours were not valid for the audit reporting period of February 1, 2018 to January 31, 2020. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code section 4755.47 (A)(6) and (A)(22) and Ohio Administrative Code rule 4755-23-08 (A) and (E)(2).	01/20/2022
David Roman	PTA010687	Revocation of license.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist assistants for the 2017-2019 license renewal period, Roman failed to provide evidence of his continuing education completion. Roman failed to respond to the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Roman violated Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47 (A)(6) & (22), and 4755.11,	01/20/2022

			and Ohio Administrative Code rules 4755-23-08 (A)(2), (D), (E)(2), & (F).	
Flordeliz Sebastian	PT005114	Written Reprimand; Fine of \$100.00; Provide a copy of the consent agreement to any current and future employers during the term of the agreement.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist for the 2018-2020, Sebastian provided four (4) contact hours that were previously submitted to fulfill the 2018 continuing education audit. Therefore, the contact hours were not valid for the audit reporting period of February 1, 2018 to January 31, 2020. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code section 4755.47 (A)(6) and (A)(22) and Ohio Administrative Code rule 4755-23-08 (A) and (E)(2).	01/20/2022
Patrick Sharkey	PT016627	Fine of \$450.00; Provide a copy of the consent agreement to any current and future employers during the term of the agreement; complete deficient hours of continuing education.	During the continuing education audit of physical therapist for the 2018-2020, Sharkey provided fourteen point two five (14.25) contact hours of Ohio approved continuing education within the continuing education reporting period. Said conduct constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code sections 4755.47 (A)(6) & (22), and 4755.51, and Ohio Administrative Code rules 4755-23-08 (A)(1), (D), (E)(2), & (F).	01/20/2022