

**State of New Hampshire
New Hampshire Board of Medicine
Concord, New Hampshire 03301**

In the Matter of:
Donald Tibbetts, PA
(License #1673)

Docket No. 2023-MED-Tibbetts-0251

VOLUNTARY PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT NOT TO PRACTICE

The New Hampshire Board of Medicine ("Board") first granted Donald Tibbetts, PA ("Respondent") a license to practice as a Physician Assistant ("PA") in New Hampshire on 12/2/2020. The Respondent is currently licensed to practice in New Hampshire with an expiration date of 12/31/2024.

On or about 2/16/2023, the OPLC-Division of Enforcement received a self-report from the Respondent that he engaged in acts which may be in violation of RSA Chapter 329. On or about 3/1/2023, Dartmouth Health filed a statutorily mandated report with the NH Board of Medicine related to the same subject matter as the Respondent's self-report. On 8/21/2023, the Division of Enforcement received additional information related to the self-report from the Respondent and the mandatory report filed by Dartmouth Health which rises to the level of possible professional misconduct pursuant to RSA Chapter 329.

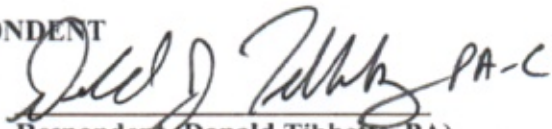
Recognizing that professional misconduct allegations are now pending against the Respondent before the New Hampshire Board of Medicine, the Respondent enters into a *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* with the Board as follows:

1. I, Donald Tibbetts, voluntarily agree not to practice as a Physician Assistant in the State of New Hampshire effective upon my signing this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice*.
2. I admit to no violations of NH RSA CHAPTER 329 or any administrative rules, ethical provisions, or any other laws, statutes, or regulations, adopted by the Board.
3. Understanding that this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* and the restrictions herein shall remain until further order of the Board, I hereby specifically waive any statute of limitations, or laches defense, which might be then available, including but not limited to, those based on RSA 332-G: 8 and RSA 332-G: 9.
4. I understand that this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* shall remain in place until such time the ongoing investigation into this matter is completed and the adjudicatory process has been completed.
5. In the event that I apply for a renewal of my license while this agreement is in effect, I voluntarily agree to waive any statutory or administrative time deadlines regarding the Board's final action on any such license renewal application. I understand that by waiving such deadlines, the Board's final action on any such license renewal application will be automatically deferred until after the disposition of this Board matter and that my license will not expire while this Preliminary Agreement is in effect.
6. I voluntarily enter into this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* with the Board and state that no promises or representations have been made to me other than those terms and conditions expressly stated herein.

7. I further understand that this document shall become a permanent part of my file, maintained by the Board as a public document and will be reported out as an adverse action against me.
8. I have had the opportunity to seek and obtain the advice of an attorney of my choosing in connection with my decision to sign this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice*.
9. I am of sound mind and not under the influence of any substance that would impair my judgement at the time I sign this Preliminary Agreement.
10. I understand that my failure to comply with the terms of this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* shall constitute unprofessional conduct under Chapter RSA 329 and may subject me to discipline under RSA 329: 17.

FOR RESPONDENT


Date: 8/24/23

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Respondent (Donald Tibbetts, PA)

FOR THE BOARD

This *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* is hereby accepted in accordance with the binding terms and conditions set forth above.

Date: 9/5/23


(Signature)
Tavia Lee Wilson
Print Name
Authorized Representative of the
New Hampshire Board of Medicine