

1 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD**

2 In the Matter of

3 **NAIYER IMAM, M.D.**

4 Holder of License No. 31992  
5 For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine  
6 In the State of Arizona.

**Case No. MD-19-1160A**

**ORDER FOR LETTER  
OF REPRIMAND; AND  
CONSENT TO THE SAME**

7 Naiyer Imam, M.D. ("Respondent") elects to permanently waive any right to a  
8 hearing and appeal with respect to this Order for a Letter of Reprimand; admits the  
9 jurisdiction of the Arizona Medical Board ("Board"); and consents to the entry of this Order  
10 by the Board.

11 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

12 1. The Board is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and control of  
13 the practice of allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.

14 2. Respondent is the holder of license number 31992 for the practice of  
15 allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.

16 3. The Board initiated case number MD-19-01160A after receiving notification  
17 of a malpractice settlement regarding Respondent's care and treatment of an 82 year-old  
18 female patient ("OG") alleging improper reading of x-ray to determine the proper location of  
19 gastrostomy tube.

20 4. On November 11, 2019, Respondent entered into a Stipulation and Order for  
21 Letter of Reprimand with the Minnesota Board of Medical Practice ("Minnesota Board")  
22 subsequent to the Minnesota Board's review of Respondent's care and treatment of  
23 patient OG.

24 5. On January 17, 2020, Respondent entered into a Consent Order for Letter of  
25 Reprimand with the Maryland State Board of Physicians ("Maryland Board") subsequent to  
the Maryland Board's review of the Minnesota Board's action.

1 6. On February 13, 2020 Respondent entered into a Consent Order for Letter of  
2 Reprimand with the North Carolina Medical Board ("North Carolina Board") subsequent to  
3 the North Carolina Board's review of Respondent's care and treatment of patient OG.

4 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

5 a. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over  
6 Respondent.

7 b. The conduct and circumstances described above constitute unprofessional  
8 conduct pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1401(27)(p)("Action that is taken against a doctor of  
9 medicine by another licensing or regulatory jurisdiction due to that doctor's mental or  
10 physical inability to engage safely in the practice of medicine, the doctor's medical  
11 incompetence or for unprofessional conduct as defined by that jurisdiction and that  
12 corresponds directly or indirectly to an act of unprofessional conduct prescribed by this  
13 paragraph. The action taken may include refusing, denying, revoking or suspending a  
14 license by that jurisdiction or a surrendering of a license to that jurisdiction, otherwise  
15 limiting, restricting or monitoring a licensee by that jurisdiction or placing a licensee on  
16 probation by that jurisdiction.").

17 ORDER

18 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

19 1. Respondent is issued a Letter of Reprimand.

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21 DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

22 ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

23  
24 By Patricia E. McSorley  
25 Patricia E. McSorley  
Executive Director

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**CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER**

1. Respondent has read and understands this Consent Agreement and the stipulated Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order ("Order"). Respondent acknowledges she has the right to consult with legal counsel regarding this matter.

2. Respondent acknowledges and agrees that this Order is entered into freely and voluntarily and that no promise was made or coercion used to induce such entry.

3. By consenting to this Order, Respondent voluntarily relinquishes any rights to a hearing or judicial review in state or federal court on the matters alleged, or to challenge this Order in its entirety as issued by the Board, and waives any other cause of action related thereto or arising from said Order.

4. The Order is not effective until approved by the Board and signed by its Executive Director.

5. All admissions made by Respondent are solely for final disposition of this matter and any subsequent related administrative proceedings or civil litigation involving the Board and Respondent. Therefore, said admissions by Respondent are not intended or made for any other use, such as in the context of another state or federal government regulatory agency proceeding, civil or criminal court proceeding, in the State of Arizona or any other state or federal court.

6. Upon signing this agreement, and returning this document (or a copy thereof) to the Board's Executive Director, Respondent may not revoke the consent to the entry of the Order. Respondent may not make any modifications to the document. Any modifications to this original document are ineffective and void unless mutually approved by the parties.

1           7. This Order is a public record that will be publicly disseminated as a formal  
2 disciplinary action of the Board and will be reported to the National Practitioner's Data  
3 Bank and on the Board's web site as a disciplinary action.

4           8. If the Board does not adopt this Order, Respondent will not assert as a  
5 defense that the Board's consideration of the Order constitutes bias, prejudice,  
6 prejudgment or other similar defense.

7           9. ***Respondent has read and understands the terms of this agreement.***

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10 X *Naiyer Imam M.D.*  
NAIYER IMAM, M.D.

DATED: 06/03/2020

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12 EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed  
13 this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020 to:  
14 Naiyer Imam, M.D.  
Address of Record

15 ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed  
16 this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020 with:  
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18 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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