

1 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD**

2 In the Matter of
3 **FLOYD E. TRINIDAD, M.D.**
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5 Holder of License No. 33162
6 For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine in the
7 State of Arizona.

CASE No: MD-23-0057A
REQUEST FOR LICENSE
INACTIVATION WITH CAUSE AND
ORDER INACTIVATING LICENSE
WITH CAUSE

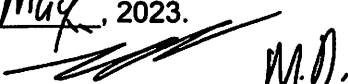
8 1. I, Floyd E. Trinidad, M.D. ("Respondent"), am the holder of License No. 33162 to
9 practice allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.

10 2. I hereby request that, effective at 5:00 p.m. on the date of the following Order,
11 the Arizona Medical Board ("Board") inactivate with cause my license to practice
12 allopathic medicine number 33162 pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1452(F). I participated in the
13 Board's Physician Health Program ("PHP"), from January 19, 2017 through September 3,
14 2020 and no longer qualify for a confidential Board Order.

15 3. I will not practice medicine in Arizona or any other state, territory or district of the
16 United States or a foreign country while my Arizona license is inactive. I may not hold or
17 maintain a controlled substance certificate with the Drug Enforcement Administration or
18 write or refill prescriptions as long as my license is inactive. If I practice medicine while my
19 license is inactive I will be practicing medicine without a license and/or without being
20 exempt from licensure, which amongst other things, is a felony.

21 4. I shall not request reactivation of my license to practice medicine in Arizona until I
22 complete a long-term care residential program, an inpatient hospital treatment program,
23 an intensive outpatient treatment program or any combination of these programs as
24 required by A.R.S. § 32-1452(F) and subsequently complete an assessment with the
25 Board's PHP Contractor, and the Board is in receipt of the assessment findings and

1 recommendations. I understand that I may also be required to complete other evaluations
2 if deemed necessary by the Board. The Board will not reactivate my license until I present
3 evidence satisfactory to the Board, in its sole discretion, that I am medically competent
4 and mentally and physically able to safely practice medicine in the State of Arizona.

5 DATED this 15th day of May, 2023.
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8 Floyd E. Trinidad, M.D.

8 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 9 1. Respondent currently holds an active license to practice medicine in this state.
10 2. Respondent was under a Board stipulation or probationary order pursuant to
11 A.R.S. § 32-1452 that is no longer in effect.
12 3. On December 31, 2022, the Board received a self-report from Respondent that
13 he had been charged with an extreme DUI.
14 4. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1452(F), Respondent has requested that his license to
15 practice medicine in the State of Arizona be placed on the status of Inactive with Cause.

16 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

- 17 1. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over
18 Licensee.
19 2. The conduct and circumstances described above constitute unprofessional
20 conduct pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1401(27)(f) ("Exhibiting a pattern of using or being under
21 the influence of alcohol or drugs or a similar substance while practicing medicine or to the
22 extent that judgment may be impaired and the practice of medicine detrimentally
23 affected..").
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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. License number 33162 held by Respondent is Inactivated with Cause.

2. Before Respondent can request that his license be reactivated, he/she shall successfully complete a long-term care residential program, an inpatient hospital treatment program, an intensive outpatient treatment program or any combination of these programs and shall meet the applicable requirements of A.R.S. § 32-1431(D).

3. Once Respondent has completed treatment, the Board shall determine if it should refer the matter for a formal hearing for the purpose of suspending or revoking the license or to place Respondent on probation for a minimum of five (5) years with restrictions necessary to ensure public safety.

DATED this 15 day of May, 2023.

ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

By: Patricia E. McSorley
Patricia E. McSorley
Executive Director

1 EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed
2 This 15th day of January, 2023 to:

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