

**BEFORE THE MINNESOTA
BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY**

In the Matter of the
Physical Therapist Assistant License
of Riley I. Henrickson, P.T.A.
Year of Birth: 1983
License Number: A1508

**AGREEMENT FOR
CORRECTIVE ACTION**

This Agreement is entered into by and between Riley I. Henrickson, P.T.A. ("Licensee"), and the Complaint Review Committee ("Committee") of the Minnesota Board of Physical Therapy ("Board") pursuant to the authority of Minn. Stat. § 214.103, subd. 6(a) (2012). Licensee has been advised by Board representatives that he may choose to be represented by legal counsel in this matter. Licensee elected to forgo legal representation. The Committee was represented by Bryan D. Huffman, Assistant Attorney General, 1400 Bremer Tower, 445 Minnesota Street, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101, telephone (651) 757-1439. Licensee and the Committee hereby agree as follows:

FACTS

1. Licensee became licensed in the State of Minnesota on October 6, 2011. At all times relevant to these facts, Licensee was employed as a physical therapist assistant with a Minnesota health system.
2. On or about April 9 and December 26, 2012, Licensee treated patients prior to a physical therapist's initial evaluation. Licensee received warnings from his employer as a result of his actions.
3. On February 12, 2013, Licensee performed a treatment without a physical therapy evaluation and plan of care. Licensee admitted that he did not read the patient's chart or the plan of care or review the physical therapist's notes. Licensee's employment was suspended.

4. On or about February 27, 2013, Licensee showed a patient exercises for her wrists without a physical therapy evaluation and initial treatment of the wrists by a physical therapist.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

5. Within nine months of the date of this Agreement, Licensee must provide evidence that he has completed a course on physical therapist assistant roles and responsibilities. The course must be at least three hours and be preapproved by the Committee. Within 30 days of completing the course, Licensee must submit a written report to the Committee discussing his understanding of the physical therapist and physical therapist assistant relationship, roles, and responsibilities set forth in Minn. Stat. § 148.706, subd. 2.

6. Upon Licensee's satisfactory completion of the corrective action referred to in paragraph 5, the Committee agrees to dismiss the complaint referenced in the Facts section above. Licensee agrees that the Committee will be the sole judge of satisfactory completion. Licensee understands and further agrees that if, after dismissal, the Committee receives additional complaints similar to that referenced in the Facts section, the Committee may reopen the dismissed complaint.

7. If Licensee fails to complete the corrective action satisfactorily or if the Committee receives additional complaints similar to that referenced in the Facts section, the Committee may, in its discretion, reopen the investigation and proceed according to Minn. Stat. chs. 148, 214, and 14. Failure to complete the corrective action satisfactorily constitutes failure to cooperate with an investigation of the Board under Minn. R. 5601.3200, subp. 4. In any subsequent proceeding, the Committee may use as proof of the allegations referred to in the Facts section Licensee's agreements herein.

8. This Agreement will become effective upon execution by the Committee and will remain in effect until the Committee dismisses the complaint, unless the Committee receives additional information that renders corrective action inappropriate. Upon receipt of such information, the Committee may, in its discretion, proceed according to Minn. Stat. chs. 148, 214, and 14.

9. Licensee understands that he is solely responsible for the costs of completing the corrective action referenced in paragraph 5 herein.

10. Licensee understands that this Agreement does not constitute disciplinary action and will not be reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank. Licensee further understands and acknowledges that this Agreement and any letter of dismissal are classified as public data.

11. Licensee hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Agreement and having voluntarily entered into it. This Agreement contains the entire agreement between the Committee and Licensee, there being no other agreement of any kind, verbal or otherwise, which varies the terms of this Agreement.

Dated: 12/2/13

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SIGNATURE ON FILE

RILEY V. HENRICKSON, P.T.A.
Licensee

Dated: 12-9-2013

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FOR THE COMMITTEE