

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND :
AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS :
:
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH :
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL :
SERVICES :

EMS File #99-013

vs. :

PHILLIP R. BARDEN, JR. :

CONSENT AGREEMENT

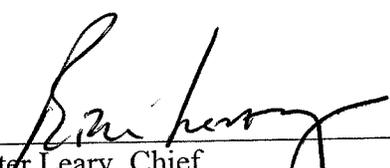
This matter is before the Department of Health, Division of Emergency Medical Services (hereinafter "Department"), upon allegations that Phillip R. Barden, Jr., (hereinafter "Respondent") did engage in conduct which would constitute grounds for disciplinary action against him while employed as an emergency medical technician at the Foster Ambulance Corps. This conduct is alleged to have occurred on September 4, 1999 while Respondent was rendering emergency medical services to an individual. Respondent did fail to administer care in accordance with the provisions of the State of Rhode Island Prehospital Care Protocols and Standing Orders for defibrillation procedures and Asystole. In addition, the documentation as contained on the Rhode Island EMS Ambulance Run Report is regarded as deficient. With respect to this matter, it is agreed by the parties as follows:

1. That Respondent shall receive a written reprimand for his actions in this matter.
2. That Respondent shall, within three (3) months of the date of execution of the Consent Agreement, present evidence of successful completion of a course of instruction approved by the Department which shall consist of Module VII

Advanced Life Support Refresher Training Program for the EMT-Cardiac level. Respondent shall submit, or cause to be submitted to the Department for its approval, the name of the licensed instructor coordinator who shall teach same prior to enrolling in said course. Fees related to the conduct of said course shall be the responsibility of the Respondent. Respondent shall submit, or cause to be submitted to the Department, appropriate documentation to verify completion of this requirement.

3. That Respondent acknowledges the need and importance for providing complete and detailed information on the Rhode Island EMS Ambulance Run Report.
4. That this Consent Agreement shall obviate the necessity for a hearing on the matter forming the basis for this Consent Agreement.


Phillip R. Barden, Jr.


Peter Leary, Chief
Division of Emergency Medical Services

Dated: 7/03/00


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