

State of Rhode Island
and Providence Plantations

Department of Health
Office of Health Professions Regulation

vs.

MATTHEW LARENCE DAYUGAR (C08-097 and C08-151)

ORDER

Pursuant to R.I.G.L. (2001 Reenactment) Section 23-17.9-8 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder, the Rhode Island Department of Health (hereinafter "Department"), after review and consultation with the Advisory Board for Nursing Assistants, has investigated a complaint charging MATTHEW LARENCE DAYUGAR (NA33277) (hereinafter "Respondent") with a violation of Section 23-17.9-8 of the General Laws.

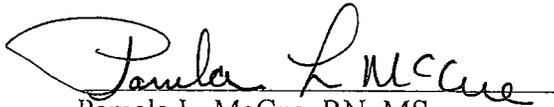
After consideration by the Department, the following constitutes the Findings of Fact with respect to the professional performance of the Respondent:

1. Respondent is a Nursing Assistant licensed to practice in the State of Rhode Island.
2. That all pertinent times, Respondent was employed by Rhode Island Veteran's Home, Bristol, RI.
3. That is, on or about November 29, 2007, the Respondent failed to adhere to the facility's policies and procedures regarding patient care resulting in the resident falling and sustaining a fractured hip.
4. That is, on or about December 29, 2007, the Respondent responded inappropriately to a resident while caring for the resident.
5. That the conduct described in paragraphs three (3) and four (4) herein constitutes unprofessional conduct pursuant to Section 23-17.9-8 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder.

Based on the foregoing, the Rhode Island Department of Health hereby enters the following:

1. That this Order shall become part of the public record of this proceeding.
2. That Respondent is issued the sanction of a Reprimand.

Ordered this 23rd day of October 2008



Pamela L. McCue, RN, MS
Director, Health Professions Regulation