# Section A

# I. Summary: Prejudicial/Non-Prejudicial Board Actions – 2008

[Comparative figures for 2007 appear in brackets and italics)

# PREJUDICIAL ACTIONS\*

License Denied: 14 Actions (11 Physicians, 2 PAS, 1 CCP)

[2007: 6 Actions (4 Physicians)]
Annulments: 1 Action (1 Physician)

[2007: NONE]

**Revocations: 7 Actions (7 physicians)** [2007: 9 Actions (7 physicians, 1 PA, 1 NPs]

Suspensions: 44 Actions (29 physicians, 14 PAs, 1 NP)

[2007: 55 Actions (43 via Consent Order) 41 Physicians, 10 PAs, 2NPs]

**Summary Suspensions: 3 Actions (3 Physicians)** 

[2007: 4 Actions (2 physicians, 2 PAs]

**Miscellaneous Actions: 5 Actions (4 Physicians)** 

[2007: 2 Actions (2 Physicians)]

Denials of Reconsiderations/Modification: NONE

[2007: NONE]

Surrenders: 19 Actions (14 Physicians, 5 PAs)

[2007: 34 Actions [\_via Consent Order] (28 Physicians, 6 PAs)]
Public Letters of Concern: 41 Actions (34 Physicians, 4 PAs, 3 NPs)

[2007: 46 Actions (43 Physicians, 2 PAs, 1 NP)]

Temporary/Date Licenses Issued (4 Via a Consent Order): 8 Actions (5 Physicians, 2 PAs)

[2007: 14 Actions (11 Physicians, 3 PAs)]

Temporary/Dated Licenses allowed to expire: NONE

[2007: None]

Consent Orders: 106 Actions [6 Modifications, 9 Non Disciplinary] (84 Physicians, 17 PAs and 1 NP)

[2007: 122 Actions [6 mod, 7 N-D] (97 Physicians, 18 PAs, 4 NPs)]

[CO's limit, restrict, reprimand, or otherwise affect the practitioner in some way. In certain cases, they may result in revocation, suspension, or surrender of a license, the dismissal of charges as a result of other action taken, and/or the issuance of a temporary/dated license, which results are reflected in the appropriate sections of this report. In some instances, a CO may simply modify a previous CO.]

**TOTALS:** The NCMB took 247 Prejudicial Actions in 2008 relating to 184 persons (152 Physicians; 27 PAs; 4 NPs; 1 CCP) [2007: 292 Prejudicial Actions relating to 208 persons (174 Physicians; 27 PAs; 7 NPs)

# **NON-PREJUDICIAL ACTIONS\*\***

**Dismissals: 5 Actions (5 Physicians)** 

[2007: 4 Actions (4 Physicians]

Temporary/Dated Licenses Extended: 21 Actions (10 Physicians, 4 PA)

[2007: 19 Actions (16 Physicians)]

Temporary/Dated Licenses Became Full and Unrestricted: 9 Actions (9 Physicians)

[2007: 10 Actions (6 Physicians, 4 PAs)]

Consent Orders Lifted: 23 Actions (18 Physicians, 3 PAs, 2 NPs)

[2007: 24 Actions (18 Physicians, 6 PAs)]

Reentry Agreements: 15 Actions (9 Physicians, 5 PAs, 1 CCP)

[2007: 25 Actions (15 Physicians, 10 PAs)]

TOTALS: The NCMB took 73 Non-Prejudicial Actions in 2008 relating to 60 persons (45 Physicians; 12 PAs; 2 NP; 1 CCP)

[2007: 82 Non-Prejudicial Actions relating to 67 persons (51Physicians; 16 PAs; 0 NP)]

\*Prejudicial Action: A "prejudicial action" is disciplinary in nature and reflects a violation of the Medical Practice Act by the practitioner.

\*\*Non-Prejudicial Action: A "non-prejudicial action" reflects either the Board's determination of satisfactory performance by the practitioner following a previous disciplinary action or the dropping of charges.

# II. Prejudicial NCMB Board Actions -2008

### PREJUDICIAL ACTIONS

# License Denied: 14 Actions (11 Physicians, 2 PAS, 1 CCP)

[2007: 6 Actions (4 Physicians]

BALLENTINE, Kerry Layne, MD Grover, NC COOPERMAN, Glenn Arthur, MD Las Vegas, NV CUELLER, Jacob, MD Greensboro, NC DEFRESE, Geridharma Rose, DO Indianapolis, IN GONZALES, Ramon Humberto, MD Madisonville, KY MCGHEE, James Ernest, MD Charlotte, NC OWER, Kristine Michelle, PA Charlotte, NC REDDY, Rajashaker Pullagurram, MD Atlanta, GA RENFRO, Frederick Arlen, CCP Blountville, TN SESSOMS, Rodney Kevin, MD Clinton, NC SMAYDA, Richard John, DO Harwich, MA SMITH, Tracy, PA Wilmington, NC SMITH, Yale Robert, MD Rockledge, FL TOMPKINS, Kenneth James, MD Virginia Beach, VA

### **Annulments: 1 Action (1 Physician)**

[2007: NONE]

BROWN, Douglas Allen MD

Newport News, VA

# Revocations: 7 Actions (7 physicians)

[2007: 9 Actions (7 physicians, 1 PAs, 1 NP]

AUGUSTUS, Carl Trent, MD

BARRO, Lee Dennis, MD

COLLINS, Paul Dwayne, MD

DURFEY, John Quincy, MD

FRIEDES, Larry Matthew, MD

PYKE, George Albert, MD

ROJO, Rodolfo, MD

Charlotte, NC

Bessemer City, NC

Pembroke, NC

Panama City, FL

St. Augustine, FL

Anna Maria, FL

Cary, NC

# Suspensions: 44 Actions (29 physicians, 14 PAs, 1 NP)

[2007: 55 Actions [43 via Consent Order] (41 Physicians, 10 PAs, 2NPs)]

BLOCK, Matthew, MD Laurinburg, NC Greensboro, NC BRAY, Anthony David, MD Pembroke, NC BROOKS, Michael Lee, MD COOPER, Joseph Litton, MD Kenansville, NC DILLOW, Michael Lee, PA Morganton, NC DUGLISS, Malcolm Andrew John, PA Asheville, NC EATON, Lynne Antoinette, MD Worthington, OG FLECHAS, Jorge David, MD Hendersonville, NC GASTON, Johnny Eugene, MD Fayetteville, NC GLAESNER, Edward Julian, NP Raleigh, NC GRAY, Jack Kenneth, Jr, MD Norman, OK GREGORY, Ginger Dobbins, PA Fuguay-Varina, NC JONAS, Dannie Burton, PA Hayesville, NC JONES, Deborah Adee, PA Greenville, NC Durham, NC KAUFMAN, Andrew Russell, MD

KHOT, Prakash Milkanth MD Wilkesboro, NC LAND, Philip Barton, PA Greensboro, NC LEWIS, Deborah Lynn, MD Raleigh, NC LINCOLN, Michael Scott, MD Weddington, NC LOWRY, Roswell Tempest, MD Cornelius, NC LOZEVSKI, Jonathan Leonid, MD Chapel Hill, NC Wilmington, DE MBADIWE, Chukwuemeka Felix, MD MCGHEE, James Ernest, MD Charlotte, NC MCINTOSH, Margaret Gloria, MD Charlotte, NC MENDOZA, Stephen Victor, MD Charlotte, NC MESSNER, Keith Harold, MD Fayetteville, NC MILES, Martha Cope, MD Sanford, NC MURRAY, Susan Ann, PA Rocky Mount, NC O'DELL, Kevin Bruce, MD Gastonia, NC PAUL, Robert Allen, Jr, PA Raleigh, NC PIXTON, Jan Maree, PA Waynesville, NC QUILLEN, Rocky C., PA Shallotte, NC SESSOMS, Rodney Kevin, MD Clinton, NC SHAH-KHAN, Sardar Mahmood, MD Morganton, NC SMITH, David Lewis, PA Raleigh, NC SMITH, Gregory Eugene, PA Rockingham, NC STEVENS, William Michael, MD Sylva, NC TARASKA, Steven Robert, MD Monroe, GA TORRES, Rafael Guillermo, MD Raleigh, NC TYSINGER, John Reed, MD Greensboro, NC Sanford, NC VILLAREAL, Andrea Currin, PA WERTHEIMER, Thomas Albert, MD Wilmington, NC Fayetteville, NC WRENN, Cynthia Helen, PA ZASLOW, Ely David, MD Waynesville, NC

#### **Summary Suspensions: 3 Actions (3 Physicians)**

[2007: 4 Actions (2 Physicians, 2PAs)]

CRUMMIE, Robert Gwinn, MD

GRAY, Michael Allen, MD

HADDON, Werner Scott, MD

Rutherfordton, NC

Morehead City, NC

Raleigh, NC

### **Miscellaneous Actions: 5 Actions (4 Physicians)**

[2007: 2 Actions (2 Physicians)]

BECKER, Robert Lee, MD
GERNERT, John O'Dell, MD
HARMON, Perry Monroe, MD
MACKOUL, Paul Joseph, MD (2 Actions)

Rockville, MD
Orlando, FL
Hillsborough, NC
Mclean, VA

### Denials of Reconsiderations/Modification: NONE

[2007: NONE]

# Surrenders: 19 Actions (14 Physicians, 5 PAs)

[2007: 34 Actions [via Consent Order] (28 Physicians, 6 PAs)]

APOSTOLOU, Michael Phillip, MD New Bern, NC BLACK, Steven Ray, MD Sylva, NC BROADHEAD, Daniel David, MD Virginia Beach, VA CAGGIANO, Christopher John, PA Concord, NC Stoney Creek, NC COYNE, Mark Dennis, MD Fayetteville, NC DOBYNS, Perrin Thomas, MD Wilmington, NC FARRELL, Edwin Gayle, MD Asheville, NC GRANT, Gregory, MD

HENDERSON, John McInnes, MD Towson, MD JAMES, James Franklin, MD Greenville, NC JAMIESON, Brian David, MD Goldsboro, NC LAND, Philip Barton, PA Denton, NC PAUL, Robert Allen, Jr, PA Raleigh, NC PERRY, Robert Francis, MD Wilmington, NC Waynesville, NC PIXTON, Jan Maree, PA TAUB, Harry Evan, MD Fletcher, NC WERTHEIMER, Thomas Albert, MD Wilmington, NC WRENN, Cynthia Helen, PA Fayetteville, NC YOPP, James Dennie, Jr, MD Winston-Salem, NC

#### Public Letters of Concern: 41 Actions (34 Physicians, 4 PAs, 3 NPs)

[2007: 46 Actions (43 Physicians, 2 PAs, 1 NP)]

WINFIELD, John Buckner, MD

CALLWOOD, Dwayne Dennis, MD Burlington, NC CHANCE, Jeffrey Alan, PA Concord, NC Burlington, NC CHAUVIN, Robert Silas, Jr, PA CUTLER, Stanley Mark, MD Wilmington, NC DAVIDSON, Andrew, MD New Bern, NC FARAHANY, Hossein H., MD Charlotte, NC FARRINGER, Gina Mills, NP Wendell, NC GALYON, Steven Wayne, MD Williston, ND GERNERT, John O'Dell, MD Orlando, FL GOYAL, Maheep Kumar, MD Royersford, PA GRAJEWSKI, Robert Sigmund, MD Mooresville, NC GREENSTONE, Sidney Thomas, DO Hayesville, NC Clavton, NC GUHA, Subrata, MD HASSAN, Keith Lawrence, MD Delray Beach, FL HENDERSON, David James, MD Greensboro, NC HOROWITZ, Alexander Ross, MD Kannapolis, NC Hickory, NC IGDAL, Henry, MD JARVIS, Lorraine Noreen, MD Jacksonville, NC JEMSEK, Joseph Gregory, MD Huntersville, NC JOHNSON, Curtis Henry, PA Fayetteville, NC JOHNSON, Earlie Thomas, MD Holly Ridge, NC KILFOIL, Mary Martha, MD Hendersonville, NC KOTZEN, Rene Marlon, MD Fayetteville, NC LEYTON, Matthew Neal, MD Woodland Hills, CA Rock Hill, SC MCCARTHY, William Golden, Jr, MD MILLARD, Devon Delaney, MD Huntersville, NC MULLEN, Joseph Patrick, III, MD Shelby, NC MUNCHING, Aaron Albert, PA Durham, NC PHILIPS, Sherif Antoun, MD Greensville, NC QUARLESS, Ashley C., NP Winston-Salem, NC REA, Gary Lynn, MD Columbus, OH REAVES, John Earl, MD Mount Holly, NC SLOAND, Timothy Peter, MD Gastonia, NC Winston-Salem, NC SORIANO, Clinton R., MD STARKEY, Suzanne Renee, MD Wilson, NC STEMEN-GALLAGHER, Mary Jane, NP Raeford, NC STURDIVANT, Mark Cooper, MD Raleigh, NC TAHTAWI, Samira Said, MD Cary, NC WEINTRAUB, Richard Alan, MD Greensboro, NC WILLIFORD, Robert Earl, MD Asheboro, NC

Boone, NC

#### Temporary/Date Licenses Issued (4 Via a Consent Order): 8 Actions (5 Physicians, 2 PAs)

[2007: 14 Actions (11 Physicians, 3 PAs)]

BOYD, William Scott, PA

KELLER, Philip Arthur, PA

LARSON, Michael Joseph, MD

ROSNER, Michael John, MD (2 Actions)

WARD, Amy Elizabeth, MD

WERTHEIMER, Thomas Albert, MD

WHITLOCK, Gary Thomas, III, MD

Siler City, NC

Currituck, NC

Healeigh, NC

Hendersonville, NC

Wilmington, NC

Wilmington, NC

New Bern, NC

#### Temporary/Date Licenses Allowed to Expire: NONE

[2007: NONE]

# Consent Orders: 106 Actions [6 Modifications, 9 Non Disciplinary] (84 Physicians, 17 PAs and 1 NP)

[2007: 122 Actions [6 mod, 7 N-D] (97 Physicians, 18 PAs, 4 NPs)]

ALRUZZEH, Sharif Mohamed, MD Charlotte, MD BADAWI, Raouf B.F., MD Greensboro, NC BECKER, Robert Lee, MD Rockville, MD BETHEL, Bradley Hutch, MD Laurinburg, NC BLISS, Laura Katherine, MD Efland, NC Laurinburg, NC BLOCK, Matthew, MD (2 Actions) BOBBITT, William Haywood, MD New Bern, NC Siler City, NC BOYD, William Scott, PA BROADHEAD, Daniel David, MD (2 Actions) Virginia Beach, VA BROOKS, Michael Lee, MD Pembroke, NC CARLSON, James Lennart, MD Cerro Gordo, NC CHANDER, Ernest Romesh, MD Gastonia, NC CLAYTON, Christy Lou, MD Cary, NC COFIELD, Trina Lashawn, MD Greenville, NC COLLINS, Paul Dwayne, MD Pembroke, NC COOPER, Joseph Litton, MD Kenansville, NC CRUMP, Carolyn Faydene, MD (2 Actions) Lexington, NC

DICKSON, Robert Trulock, MD Kinston, NC DILLON, Savtanter Singh, MD Falls Church, VA DILLOW, Michael Lee, PA Morganton, NC DRUCKER, Michael Stuart, MD Jacksonville, FL DUGLISS, Malcolm Andrews John, PA Asheville, NC EATON, Lynne Antoinette, MD Worthington, OG Charlotte, NC FARAHANY, Hossein H., MD Hendersonville, NC FLECHAS, Jorge David, MD

GARLISI, Andrew Peter, MD Ohio GASTON, Johnny Eugene, MD Fayetteville, NC GLAESNER, Edward Julian, NP Raleigh, NC GOLDWASSER, Harry David, MD Tucson, AZ GRAJEWSKI, Robert Sigmund, MD Mooresville, NC GRAY, Jack Kenneth, Jr, MD Norman, OK GREGORY, Ginger Dobbins, PA Fuquay-Varina, NC HALDEA, Daulat Singh, MD Jaipur, Rajasthan HARIHAN, Thomas Francis, III, PA Chesapeake, VA HORCHAK, Alex Michael, MD Cottonwood, AZ HYMAN, Miles Donald, MD Franklin, NC JOHNSON, Maxwell Kenneth, MD Deland, FL JONES, Deborah Adee, PA Greenville, NC JUSTIS, Christopher Morrow, MD Edenton, NC KASTRUP, John Joseph, MD St. Cloud, FL

Durham, NC

KAUFMAN, Andrew Russell, MD

KELLER, Philip Arthur, PA KHAYATA, Mazen H., MD KHOT, Prakash Nilkanth, MD KHURI, Radwan Rafik, MD KINZIE, Daniel Harpine, IV, MD LAND, Phillip Barton, PA LANGLEY, Dawn Tracy, PA LARSON, Michael Joseph, MD LEMAIRE, Pierre-Arnaud Paul, MD LEWIS, Deborah Lyn, MD

LINCOLN, Michael Scott, MD

LIU, Yon Jian, MD

LOWRY, Roswell Tempest, MD LOZEVSKI, Jonathan Leonid, MD MAESTAS, Rebecca Amelia, PA MANNO, Salvatore Angelo, PA MCALISTER, Linda Theresa, MD MCGHEE, James Ernest, MD MCINTOSH, Margaret Gloria, MD MENDOZA, Stephen Victor, MD MERCIER, Randall Robert, MD MESSNER, Keith Harold, MD MILES, Martha Cope, MD MIRALLES, Gines Diego, MD MOCLOCK, Michael Anthony, MD MORGAN, Elizabeth Sarah, MD NJAPA, Anthony Kechante, MD

PENDERGRAFT, James Scott, MD

PIXTON, Jan Maree, PA QUILLEN, Rocky C., PA

O'DELL, Kevin Bruce, MD

PAUL, Robert Allen, Jr. PA

ONYEKABA, Igwebuike, MD

RADHAKRISHNAN, Jay K., MD RAMACHANDRAN, Sudha, MD ROBINSON, Lindwood Allen, MD ROSENBERG, Mark Robert, MD ROSENFELD, Jeffrey, MD SCOTTI, Stephen Douglas, MD SESSOMS, Rodney Kevin, MD SHAH-KHAN, Sardar Mahmood, MD

SIROIS, Cindy Nguyen, MD SMALL, Fairleigh David, MD SMITH, Barbara Hollandsworth, MD

SMITH, David Lewis, PA SMITH, Michael Lantry, MD STAMP, Ian Patrick, MD STEVENS, William Michael, MD TARASKA, Steven Robert, MD TORRES, Rafael Guillermo, MD TYSINGER, John Reed, MD VILLAREAL, Andrea Currin, PA WARD, Amy Elizabeth, MD WATTS, Larry Thomas, MD WEINTRAUB, Richard Alan, MD

WERTHEIMER, Thomas Albert, MD (2 Actions)

WILLIAMS, Dwight Morrison, MD WRENN, Cynthia Helen, PA YAGGER, Scott David, DO

Kitty Hawk, NC Tempe, AZ Wilkesboro, NC Memphis, TN Midland, TX Greensboro, NC Lumberton, NC Raleigh, NC Wilson, NC Raleigh, NC Weddington, NC Norcross, GA Cornelius, NC Chapel Hill, NC Plymouth, NC Petoskey, MI Fayetteville, NC Charlotte, NC

Charlotte, NC Charlotte, NC Pinehurst, NC Fayetteville, NC Sanford, NC Durham, NC Dubois, PA Charlotte, NC Raleigh, NC Gastonia, NC Cooperstown, NY Raleigh, NC Orlando, FL Waynesville, NC Shallotte, NC Burlington, Iowa Chapel Hill, NC Raleigh, NC Ellisville, MO

Charlotte, NC Winston-Salem, NC Clinton, NC Morganton, NC Pompano, FL Abingdon, VA Greensboro, NC Raleigh, NC Nags Head, NC Shelby, NC Sylva, NC Monroe, GA Raleigh, NC Greensboro, NC Sanford, NC Pfafftown, NC Charlotte, NC Greensboro, NC

Wilmington, NC Roanoke Rapids, NC Fayetteville, NC Rocky Mount, VA

YONGUE, Judith Salle, MD ZASLOW, Ely David, MD Greenville, NC Waynesville, NC

# III. Non-Prejudicial NCMB Board Actions -2008

### NON-PREJUDICIAL ACTIONS

### **Dismissals: 5 Actions (5 Physicians)**

[2007: 4 Actions (4 Physicians)]

DONALDSON, Brian Robert, MD
GRANT, Gregory, MD
HOWARD, Charles Dwayne, MD
LOWE, James Edward, Jr, MD
WISE, Matthew Jay, MD
Healdsburg, CA
Asheville, NC
Springfield, KY
Fayetteville, NC
Gallup, NM

### Temporary/Dated Licenses Extended: 21 Actions (10 Physicians, 4 PA)

[2007: 19 Actions (16 Physicians)]

APPLING, Jon Scott, MD La Crosse, KS BASILI, Richard Louis, MD Kinston, NC BOYD, William Scott, PA (2 Actions) Siler City, NC HENSLER, Rachel Hurst, PA (2 Actions) Wilmington, NC HUMBLE, Scott David, MD Salisbury, NC Currituck, NC KELLER, Philip Arthur, PA (2 Actions) LARSON, Michael Joseph, MD (2 Actions) Raleigh, NC Oxford, NC MCMANUS, Shea Eamon, MD ROBINSON, Lindwood Allen, MD Raleigh, NC ROGERS, Bruce William, MD (2 Actions) Greensboro, NC ROSNER, Michael John, MD (2 Actions) Hendersonville, NC RUSSELL, Anthony Otis, MD (2 Actions) High Point, NC VAUGHAN, Howell Anderson, PA Knightdale, NC Goldsboro, NC YOUNG, Jordan Terrell, MD

### Temporary/Dated Licenses Became Full and Unrestricted: 9 Actions (9 Physicians)

[2007: 10 Actions (6 Physicians, 4 PAs)]

Kerrville, TX APPLING, Jon Scott, MD BASILI, Richard Louis, MD Kinston, NC CRUMP, Carloyn Faydene, MD Lexington, NC HAMBLETON, Scott Lewis, MD Hattiesburg, MS HARRIS, John Joel, MD Cerro Gordo, NC KPEGLO, Maurice Kopla, MD Greensboro, NC WESSEL, Richard Frederick, Jr, MD Coinjock, NC WHITMER, Gilbert Gomer, Jr. MD Fayetteville, NC WILLIAMS, Dwight Morrison, MD Roanoke Rapids, NC

# Consent Orders Lifted: 23 Actions (18 Physicians, 3 PAs, 2 NPs)

[2007: 24 Actions (18 Physicians, 6 PAs)]

AARONS, Mark Gold, MD Rockingham, NC CAMPBELL, Jeffrey Paul, MD Lumberton, NC CARBONE, Dominick John, Jr, MD Elkin, NC Clayton, NC CLARKE, Theresa Sharon, PA DERBES, Linda Kaufman, MD Honolulu, HI FORTKORT, Peter Thomas, MD Shelby, NC GARDNER, James Eric, MD Colliersville, TN HAMBLETON, Scott Lewis, MD Hattiesburg, MS

HARRIS, Dennis Bret, PA Goldsboro, NC KPEGLO, Maurice Kopla, MD Greensboro, NC KRZYZANIAK, Raymond Leonard, MD Charlotte, NC MABE, Layla Myers, NP Hamlet, NC MARTONE, Arlene Rae, MD Venice, FL PAYTON, James Bayard, MD Asheville, NC PHILLIPS, Thomas Caldwell, III, MD Sanford, NC RUFF, Ronnie Harry, MD Lake Oswego, OR SMITH, Barbara Hollandsworth, MD Greensboro, NC SMITH, Stephen Keith, MD Morganton, NC TAYLOR, Dennis Absher, NP Charlotte, NC Jacksonville, NC WEBB, Charles Marshall, MD WESSEL, Richard Frederick, MD Coinjock, NC Fayetteville, NC WHITMER, Gilbert Gomer, MD WOGLOM, Peter B., PA Windsor, NC

# Reentry Agreements: 15 Actions (9 Physicians, 5 PAs, 1 CCP)

[2007: 25 Actions (15 Physicians, 10 PAs)]

ASHRAF, Muhammad, MD Raleigh, NC Raleigh, NC BLAIR, Ellen Kay, MD BRIGGS, Stanley Arthur, CCP Asheville, NC CHOWBEY, Vandana Pandey, MD Summerfield, NC GOINS, Natasha Ann Halmi, MD Charlotte, NC HULL, James Franklin, Jr, PA Fayetteville, NC MAESTAS, Rebecca Amelia, PA Plymouth, NC PAYNE, Richard, MD Durham, NC PFAFFENBERGER, Marta Ariel, MD Miami, FL Elm City, MD ROGERS, William Everette, MD SEYMOUR, John Christopher Campbell, MD Southport, NC SMITH, Frances Li, PA Greenville, NC STORY, Ellen Shannon, MD Charlotte, NC WEAVER-BAILEY, Ellen Lois, PA Whispering Pines, NC ZURICH, Kathleen Ellen, PA

Asheville, NC

# Section B

# V. General Data and Information

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

ITEM	As of 1/2009	As of 1/2008	As of 1/2007
1. Total Regulated Population			
Physicians   active licenses* (MD/DO)	30,379	29,605	28,852
in-state	21,666	21,029	20,615
out-state	8,713	8,576	8,237
Resident Training License (RTL)	2,329	2,292	2,264
Physician Assistants (PA)	2,564	3,346	3,091
Clinical Pharmacist Practitioners (CPP)	64	60	58
Licensed Perfusionists (LP)	115	107	100
Anesthesiologist Assistants (AA)	9	0	0

# **LICENSING**

ITEM	IN 2008	IN 2007	IN 2006
2. Initial Licenses/Approvals			
Physicians (MD/DO)	1,879	1,969	1,798
RTL	864	846	802
PAs	346	525	474
LPs	17	9	97
AAs	9	0	0

# COMPLAINTS/INFORMATION RECEIVED

(Information on one person may come from several sources)

ITEM	IN 2008
3. Total Complaints Received	2,164
4. From Patients/Public	1,194
5. From Other Health Care Professionals	45
6. Board Staff	123
7. Anonymous	60
8. From Malpractice Reports	339
9. From Privilege Reports by Hospitals, etc.	14
10. From Other Boards/FSMB	314
11. From Other Sources (media, etc.)	75

# **BOARD ACTIONS**

(See Section A for detailed information on all actions in 2008)

# **CAUSES OF ACTIONS**

CAUSES OF ACTIONS			
ITEM	IN 2008	IN 2007	IN 2006
12. Prescribing Issues (misprescribing, inappropriate prescribing, improper prescribing, self-prescribing)	33	43	43
13. Alcohol/Substance Abuse (alcohol abuse, substance abuse, obtaining drugs improperly/illegally)	30	48	39
14. Incompetence, Failure to Meet Standards, Quality of Care	53	45	37
15. Mental/Physical/Behavioral Condition Affecting Practice	12	6	8
16. Conviction of Felony or Violation of Law Involving Medical Practice	5	6	7
17. Sexual Misconduct or Personal Boundary Issue	9	12	20
18. False/Deceptive Representation (to patient, for personal gain, in claiming to treat under system which not educated, to Board, in billings)	21	3	6
19. Medical Records (false entries, inadequate, failure to make available to patient)	14	21	25
20. Failure to Cooperate with the Board or Obey Board Order/Agreement	8	6	12
21. Action By Another Licensing Authority	26	41	83
22. Other Unprofessional or Unethical Conduct (violation patient confidentiality, selling items to exploit patient, improper payment for referrals, abortion contrary to law, failure to pay child support, practicing with inactive license, aiding unlicensed practice, failure to do required CME, other unprofessional or unethical practice)	38	47	50
23. Modification or Amendment of Consent Order	6	7	9
Total	255	295	339

