

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

BOARD OF MEDICINE

IN RE:

ADENIYI O. ADELAKUN, M.D.

License No.: MD044634

Respondent

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CONSENT ORDER

This matter comes before the District of Columbia Board of Medicine (the “Board”) pursuant to the Health Occupations Revision Act (“HORA”) (D.C. Official Code § 3-1201.01, *et seq.* (2016 Repl.)). D.C. Official Code § 3-1202.03(a)(2) authorizes the Board to regulate the practice of medicine in the District of Columbia. The Board has broad jurisdiction to regulate the practice of medicine and to impose a variety of disciplinary sanctions upon a finding of a violation of the HORA. D.C. Official Code, § 3-1205.14; *Mannan v. District of Columbia Board of Medicine*, 558 A.2d 329, 333 (D.C.1989). The Council of the District of Columbia, in amending the HORA, “intended to strengthen enforcement of its licensing laws.” *Davidson v. District of Columbia Board of Medicine*, 562 A.2d 109, 113 (D.C.1989). And the HORA “was designed to ‘address modern advances and community needs *with the paramount consideration of protecting the public interest.*’” *Joseph v. District of Columbia Board of Medicine*, 587 A.2d 1085, 1088 (D.C.1991) (*quoting* Report of the D.C. Council on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs on Bill 6-317, at 7 (November 26, 1985)) (emphasis added by court)).

## Background

The Respondent has been licensed in the District of Columbia to practice medicine since November 23, 2016. The Delaware Medical Board of Licensure and Discipline issued an order dated May 6, 2025, revealing Respondent had not completed required continuing medical education (CME) pursuant to their laws. Following this, the Board conducted an audit of Respondent's license applications to determine compliance with the District's continuing medical education (CME) requirement. Upon review, it was discovered that Respondent's CMEs had not been done for his DC License renewal for 2022 or 2024. Instead, Respondent had uploaded an old 2020 CME certificate for both the 2022 and 2024 renewal. Respondent has now provided documentation that he satisfied the 2024 CME renewal requirement of fifty (50) CME, except for the two (2) hours of statutorily-required CME in the area of LGBTQ issues. He admitted that he thought the 2022 CME renewal requirement "had been waived due to the COVID pandemic" so did not complete the CME for that licensure renewal period. No waiver of CME was granted for the COVID pandemic.

Respondent has, therefore, failed to satisfy the Board's CME requirement of fifty (50) hours of CE every two (2) years, for the two year renewal period of January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2022, and failed to complete the two (2) hours in the subject of LGBTQ cultural competency for the renewal period of January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2024.

## Conclusions of Law

The Board is authorized to sanction Respondent under the HORA for his actions, which are related to the practice of medicine. The HORA provides, in pertinent part:

Each board, subject to the right of a hearing as provided by this subchapter, on an affirmative vote of a quorum of its appointed members may take one or more of the disciplinary actions provided in subsection (c) of this section against any applicant for a license, registration, or certification, an applicant to establish or operate a school of

nursing or nursing program, or a person permitted by this subchapter to practice a health occupation regulated by the board in the District who:

(24) violates any provision of [the HORA] or rules and regulations issued pursuant to the HORA[.]  
D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.14(a)(24).

The HORA further provides that the Mayor may establish by rule continuing education requirements as a condition for renewal of licenses[.] D.C. Official Code § 3-1205.10(b). Failure to comply with these continuing medical education requirements may subject the licensee to disciplinary action by the Board. 17 DCMR § 4615.3.

Physicians actively practicing medicine in the District of Columbia must “submit proof of having completed fifty (50) American Medical Association Physician Recognition Award (AMA/PRA) Category I hours of Board of Medicine approved continuing education credit during a two-year period preceding the date the license expires.” 17 DCMR § 4614.2. Of the requisite fifty (50) hours of continuing education credit, two (2) must be in LGBTQ. D.C. Official Code §§ 3-1205.10(b)(5)(A).

Respondent has violated the foregoing requirements necessary to maintain his license to practice medicine. Accordingly, Respondent’s conduct described above provides the Board with a basis in fact and law to warrant disciplinary action.

### **ORDER**

ACCORDINGLY, based upon the foregoing, it is hereby,

**ORDERED**, that a fine of five thousand two hundred dollars (\$5,200.00), for the standard one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each hour of CME not completed, is hereby imposed upon Respondent for failing to comply with the CME requirement to maintain his licensure requirements. The fine shall be submitted within one-hundred twenty (120) days of the effective date of this Consent Order by check or money order payable to the “D.C. Treasurer,” and mailed to Lisa

Robinson, Compliance Specialist, Board of Medicine, 2201 Shannon Place SE, 1st Floor, Washington, D.C. 20020; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that Respondent shall submit acceptable proof of having completed the deficient fifty-two (52) hours of CME credits, including two (2) hours in LGBTQ and ten (10) hours in topics designated as public health priorities within ninety (90) days of the effective date of this Consent Order. Any hours of CME credit completed to satisfy this Order shall comply with 17 DCMR §§ 4614 and 4615 and shall not be used to satisfy Respondent's continuing education requirements for the current licensing period or any subsequent licensing period. Proof of CME completed to satisfy this Order shall be submitted to Lisa Robinson, Health Licensing Specialist, Board of Medicine, 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Washington, D.C. 20002 or emailed to [dcbomed@dc.gov](mailto:dcbomed@dc.gov); and it is further

**ORDERED**, that the effective date of this Order is the date it is signed by the Board Chair; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that Respondent shall be subject to a mandatory CME audit for the next license renewal period; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that in the event Respondent fails to satisfactorily fulfill the terms of this Order, the Board may issue a notice to take additional disciplinary action against Respondent's license; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that this is a public document.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF MEDICINE



/October 28, 2025

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By: Andrea Anderson, MD, MEd, FAAFP  
Chairperson

CONSENT OF RESPONDENT

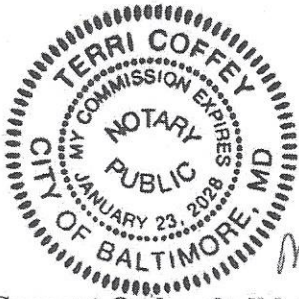
By signing this public consent order, I agree to accept and abide by its terms. I acknowledge its validity and acknowledge that I have agreed to the terms set forth in this agreement. I fully acknowledge that by signing this consent order, I am waiving my right to confront witnesses, to give testimony, to call witnesses on my behalf, and to all other substantive and procedural protections provided by law. I also recognize that I am waiving my right to appeal any adverse ruling by the Board that might have followed any such hearing. By signing this settlement agreement, I waive all such rights.

I have had the opportunity to review this document and to seek the advice of my own legal counsel. I choose to sign this consent order willingly and without reservation and am fully aware of its meaning and effect.

09/28/2025  
Date

*Adeniyi O. Adedokun*  
Adeniyi O. Adedokun M.D.  
License No.: MD044634

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28 day of September, 2025.



*TERRI COFFEY*  
Notary Public

*my commission expires 1/23/2028*

This Consent Order shall be deemed a public document and shall be distributed as appropriate.