

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Office of the Attorney General**



**Public Interest Division**  
**Civil Enforcement Section**

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Sharon Williams Lewis  
Senior Deputy Director  
Health Regulation and Licensing Administration  
Department of Health

**THROUGH:** Fernando Rivero  
Assistant Chief  
Civil Enforcement Section

**FROM:** James P. Jordan  
Assistant Attorney General

**DATE:** April 30, 2021

**SUBJECT:** In the Matter of Marcus F. Cox, MD048304

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This Section received the above referenced request for the preparation of a Notice of Summary Action to Suspend License on April 15, 2021. The proposed notice is attached. If you have any questions, please contact AAG James P. Jordan at (202) 805-7658 or by email at James.Jordan1@dc.gov.

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
HEALTH REGULATION AND LICENSING ADMINISTRATION



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IN THE MATTER OF:

MARCUS F. COX, MD,

Respondent.

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**NOTICE OF SUMMARY ACTION TO SUSPEND LICENSE**

To: Marcus F. Cox, MD  
4258 Raber Road, N.E.  
Dover, OH 44622

In accordance with the provisions of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, D.C. Code § 2-509(a), and the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985, D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(b), the Health Regulation and Licensing Administration (HRLA) gives you notice of the summary suspension of your license to practice medicine in the District of Columbia, License No. MD048304, under D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(a).

Your license is **summarily suspended** effective **immediately** upon receipt of this notice. If you wish to appeal this summary suspension of your license, you must file a written request for a hearing within 72 hours after service of this notice. Should you request a hearing, one will be held within 72 hours of receipt of a timely request, and a decision will be rendered within 72 hours after the close of the hearing. The request for a hearing must be submitted to Suzanne Fenzel, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Health, Health Licensing Regulation Administration, 899 North Capitol Street, N.E., Sixth Floor, Washington, D.C. 20002. Ms. Fenzel can be reached at (202) 934-0446 or by email at [Suzanne.Fenzel3@dc.gov](mailto:Suzanne.Fenzel3@dc.gov).

The District of Columbia is represented by the Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia. A copy of your hearing request and any pleading or other written communication addressed to the HLRA must also be delivered to James P. Jordan, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, Civil Enforcement Section, 400 Sixth Street, N.W., Suite 10100, Washington, D.C. 20001. James P. Jordan can be reached at (202) 805-7658 or by email at [James.Jordan1@dc.gov](mailto:James.Jordan1@dc.gov).

You may appear personally at such a hearing and you may be represented by legal counsel. You have the right to produce witnesses and evidence, to cross-examine witnesses against you, to examine evidence produced, and to have subpoenas issued to require the production of witnesses and evidence.

All hearings are conducted before the administrative judge in the English language. If you or any witnesses to be called are deaf, have a hearing impediment, or cannot readily understand or communicate the spoken English language, an application may be made to the administrative law judge for the appointment of a qualified interpreter.

The basis of the contemplated action is certain information received by the agency which, if proven to be true, justifies taking the proposed action under D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(a)(1)(A).

The charge upon which the summary suspension is based is set forth below.

**Charge I: Your license to practice medicine was suspended in another jurisdiction and has not been reinstated within that jurisdiction. Thus, your license may be summarily suspended under D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(a)(1)(A).**

On February 10, 2021, the State Medical Board of Ohio issued an order that permanently revoked your license to practice medicine in Ohio. To date, your license has not been reinstated.

A request for a hearing will not stay this summary suspension. Please note that under 17 DCMR § 4103.2, your failure to appear at the time and place set for the hearing, either in person or through counsel, or both, will not preclude the administrative law judge's proceeding in this matter.

April 30, 2021  
DATE

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