GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HEALTH SYSTEMS AND PREPAREDNESS ADMINISTRATION

IN THE MATTER OF: **ARON YABES, PSN** **Respondent.**	

NOTICE OF SUMMARY ACTION TO SUSPEND LICENSE

To: Aron Yabes, PSN
[redacted]

In accordance with the provisions of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, D.C. Code § 2-509; the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985, D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(a); and 17 DCMR § 4118, the District of Columbia Department of Health (DC Health) gives you notice of the summary suspension of your polysomnographic technologist (PSN) license, PSN20000037, 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 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 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 in writing to Suzanne Fenzel, Senior Assistant General Counsel, DC Health. The request may be submitted by email to Suzanne.Fenzel3@dc.gov or by mail to 2201 Shannon Place, SE, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20020. Ms. Fenzel can be reached at (202) 724-8915.

The District of Columbia (the District) 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 DC Health must also be delivered to Collin C. Cenci, Assistant Attorney General (AAG), Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, Civil Enforcement Section, 400 Sixth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20001. You can reach AAG Cenci at (202) 705-1894 or by email at Collin.Cenci@dc.gov.

You may appear personally at the 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 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.

A request for a hearing will not stay the suspension of your license.

The summary suspension is based on the charge as set forth below.

Charge: **Your conduct presents an imminent danger to the health and safety of the public, for which DC Health can summarily suspend your license under D.C. Code § 3-1205.15(a)(1)(D).**

You received your medical license in the District of Columbia on October 11, 2024. Your license was set to expire on June 30, 2026. You applied for renewal of your license on June 25, 2026. Currently, your PSN license is in "renewal/authorized to work" status. In your renewal application, you were asked "[s]ince your last application, have you been arrested, charged, convicted, pled guilty to, or pled no contest to the violation of any criminal law of any jurisdiction whether misdemeanor or felony, including driving under the influence or while impaired, but excluding minor traffic violations?" You disclosed that you were "[c]harged with Assault. Not convicted. Court case pending." You supplemented your application with a printout of the docket for case number GC25011669-00, a criminal case pending against you. As part of your application process, D.C. Health ran a criminal background check on you. Investigators discovered, as a result of the check, that you were arrested and charged for several offenses that you did not disclose in your application, and that you were charged with additional offenses after submitting your application. You were arrested and charged in Prince William General District Court, Criminal Division, in Virginia, case number CR26001824-00 with strangulation, CR26001825-00 with strangulation, CR26001826-00 with assault and battery, CR26001827-00 with assault and battery, CR26001828-00 with assault and battery, CR26001829-00 with abduction by force, and CR26001830-00 with rape. For each of these cases, you were arrested on or before the date you submitted your renewal application.

Your arrest and charging in each of these cases, given the nature of the offenses, the number of offenses, and the fact that these offenses occurred on multiple dates in a few month span, indicating a pattern of behavior, warrants summary suspension of your PSN license. Your practice involves working with and monitoring patients during sleep studies, when patients are inherently vulnerable. Further, you withheld disclosing information about the other arrests in your application, indicating a lack of trustworthiness in your professional conduct. Your continued practice as a PSN presents an imminent danger to the health and safety of the public of the District.

Please note under 1 DCMR § 2818.1, your failure to appear at the time and place set for the hearing, either in person or through counsel, or both, will not preclude DC Health's proceeding in this matter.

Aug. 21, 2026
DATE

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