

BEFORE THE  
NORTH CAROLINA MEDICAL BOARD

In re: )  
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Scott Maurice Paviol, M.D., ) CONSENT ORDER  
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Respondent. )

This matter is before the North Carolina Medical Board ("Board") regarding information provided to the Board concerning Scott Maurice Paviol, M.D. ("Dr. Paviol"). Dr. Paviol makes the following admissions, and the Board makes the following findings and conclusions:

STATUTORY AUTHORITY

The Board is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper party to bring this proceeding under the authority granted to it in Article 1 of Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes and the rules and regulations promulgated thereto.

FINDINGS OF FACT

Dr. Paviol was first issued a license to practice medicine by the Board on or about November 1, 2013, license number 2013-02216.

At all times relevant hereto, Dr. Paviol practiced Dermatology in Charlotte, North Carolina.

On May 27, 2022, Dr. Paviol reports that one of his relatives communicated with her primary care physician to obtain a

prescription for a non-controlled substance compounded pain cream for external use. The primary care physician agreed to order the compounded cream and requested information from Dr. Paviol's relative about compounding pharmacies in Charlotte, NC. Dr. Paviol was made aware of these communications and, in an attempt to help the process, instructed one of his staff to order the compound from the pharmacy. Dr. Paviol instructed a staff member that the prescription for the compound be issued in the name of his advanced practice provider ("APP") for whom he supervised. Dr. Paviol acknowledges that he did not ask the APP for permission to prescribe this medication using the APP's name. Additionally, the APP never saw or examined Dr. Paviol's relative to determine whether the compound was medically necessary.

Dr. Paviol also acknowledges that he had previously prescribed non-controlled substance medications to this same relative and that none of these prescriptions were documented.

The Board acknowledges that Dr. Paviol attended an intensive Continuing Medical Education course in medical ethics and boundaries. The Board also acknowledges that Dr. Paviol recognizes that prescribing for a relative using the APP's name and failing to document the prescriptions are inappropriate and violate the Board's Position Statements.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Dr. Paviol's conduct, as described above, constitutes unprofessional conduct, including, but not limited to, a departure from, or the failure to conform to the standards of acceptable and prevailing medical practice, or the ethics of the medical profession, within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-14(a)(6) which is grounds under that section of the North Carolina General Statutes for the Board to annul, suspend, revoke, condition, or limit Dr. Paviol's license to practice medicine or to deny any application he may make in the future.

### PROCEDURAL STIPULATIONS

Dr. Paviol acknowledges and agrees that the Board has jurisdiction over him and over the subject matter of this case.

Dr. Paviol knowingly waives his right to any hearing and to any judicial review or appeal in this case.

Dr. Paviol, with the advice of legal counsel, acknowledges that he has read and understands this Consent Order and enters into it voluntarily.

Dr. Paviol desires to resolve this matter without the need for more formal proceedings.

The Board has determined that it is in the public interest to resolve this case as set forth below.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, with Dr. Paviol's consent, it is ORDERED that:


1. Dr. Paviol is hereby REPRIMANDED.
2. This Consent Order shall take effect immediately upon its execution by both Dr. Paviol and the Board, and it shall continue in effect until specifically ordered otherwise by the Board.
3. Dr. Paviol hereby waives any requirement under any law or rule that this Consent Order be served on him.
4. Upon execution by Dr. Paviol and the Board, this Consent Order shall become a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the North Carolina General Statutes and shall be subject to public inspection and dissemination pursuant to the provisions thereof. Additionally, it will be reported to persons, entities, agencies, and clearinghouses as required and permitted by law including, but not limited to, the Federation of State Medical Boards and the National Practitioner Data Bank.

By Order of the North Carolina Medical Board this the 11th day of April, 2023.

NORTH CAROLINA MEDICAL BOARD

By:   
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Michaux R. Kilpatrick, M.D., Ph.D.  
President

Consented to this the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2023.



Scott Maurice Paviol, M.D.

State of NC

County of Davie

I, Melissa P. Austin, do hereby certify that Scott Maurice Paviol, M.D. personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal this the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2023.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

2/20/2027

