

59 otherwise than medicinally, or for accepted therapeutic purposes, or with intent to evade any law with respect
60 to the sale, use, or disposition of such drug;

61 9. Violating provisions of this chapter on division of fees or practicing any branch of the healing arts in
62 violation of the provisions of this chapter;

63 10. Knowingly and willfully committing an act that is a felony under the laws of the Commonwealth or
64 the United States, or any act that is a misdemeanor under such laws and involves moral turpitude;

65 11. Aiding or abetting, having professional connection with, or lending his name to any person known to
66 him to be practicing illegally any of the healing arts;

67 12. Conducting his practice in a manner contrary to the standards of ethics of his branch of the healing
68 arts;

69 13. Conducting his practice in such a manner as to be a danger to the health and welfare of his patients or
70 to the public;

71 14. Inability to practice with reasonable skill or safety because of illness or substance abuse;

72 15. Publishing in any manner an advertisement relating to his professional practice that contains a claim
73 of superiority or violates Board regulations governing advertising;

74 16. Performing any act likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public;

75 17. Violating any provision of statute or regulation, state or federal, relating to the manufacture,
76 distribution, dispensing, or administration of drugs;

77 18. Violating or cooperating with others in violating any of the provisions of Chapters 1 (§ 54.1-100 et
78 seq.), 24 (§ 54.1-2400 et seq.) and this chapter or regulations of the Board;

79 19. Engaging in sexual contact with a patient concurrent with and by virtue of the practitioner and patient
80 relationship or otherwise engaging at any time during the course of the practitioner and patient relationship in
81 conduct of a sexual nature that a reasonable patient would consider lewd and offensive;

82 20. Conviction in any state, territory, or country of any felony or of any crime involving moral turpitude;

83 21. Adjudication of legal incompetence or incapacity in any state if such adjudication is in effect and the
84 person has not been declared restored to competence or capacity;

85 22. Performing the services of a medical examiner as defined in 49 C.F.R. § 390.5 if, at the time such
86 services are performed, the person performing such services is not listed on the National Registry of Certified
87 Medical Examiners as provided in 49 C.F.R. § 390.109 or fails to meet the requirements for continuing to be
88 listed on the National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners as provided in 49 C.F.R. § 390.111;

89 23. Failing or refusing to complete and file electronically using the Electronic Death Registration System
90 any medical certification in accordance with the requirements of subsection C of § 32.1-263. However,
91 failure to complete and file a medical certification electronically using the Electronic Death Registration
92 System in accordance with the requirements of subsection C of § 32.1-263 shall not constitute unprofessional
93 conduct if such failure was the result of a temporary technological or electrical failure or other temporary
94 extenuating circumstance that prevented the electronic completion and filing of the medical certification
95 using the Electronic Death Registration System; *or*

96 24. Engaging in a pattern of violations of § 38.2-3445.01; *or*

97 25. *Willfully representing or knowing of the willful representation of any of the following at an
98 unregulated pregnancy clinic as defined by § 32.1-137.012 if such representation is not true:*

99 a. *That the clinic is a medical facility that diagnoses and treats medical conditions;*

100 b. *That an examination or test, such as an ultrasound examination, is being conducted, supervised, or
101 interpreted in accordance with accepted medical standards;*

102 c. *That a patient's sensitive personal information is kept confidential; or*

103 d. *That the medical care provided at the facility is supervised in accordance with accepted medical
104 standards.*

105 B. The commission or conviction of an offense in another state, territory, or country, which if committed
106 in Virginia would be a felony, shall be treated as a felony conviction or commission under this section
107 regardless of its designation in the other state, territory, or country.

108 C. The Board shall refuse to issue a certificate or license to any applicant if the candidate or applicant has
109 had his certificate or license to practice a branch of the healing arts revoked or suspended, and has not had his
110 certificate or license to so practice reinstated, in another state, the District of Columbia, a United States
111 possession or territory, or a foreign jurisdiction.

112 **§ 54.1-3007. Refusal, revocation or suspension, censure or probation.**

113 The Board may refuse to admit a candidate to any examination, refuse to issue a license, certificate, or
114 registration to any applicant and may suspend any license, certificate, registration, or multistate licensure
115 privilege for a stated period or indefinitely, or revoke any license, certificate, registration, or multistate
116 licensure privilege, or censure or reprimand any licensee, certificate holder, registrant, or multistate licensure
117 privilege holder, or place him on probation for such time as it may designate for any of the following causes:

118 1. Fraud or deceit in procuring or attempting to procure a license, certificate, or registration;

119 2. Unprofessional conduct;

120 3. Willful or repeated violation of any of the provisions of this chapter;

121 4. Conviction of any felony or any misdemeanor involving moral turpitude;

122 5. Practicing in a manner contrary to the standards of ethics or in such a manner as to make his practice a
123 danger to the health and welfare of patients or to the public;

124 6. Use of alcohol or drugs to the extent that such use renders him unsafe to practice, or any mental or
125 physical illness rendering him unsafe to practice;

126 7. The denial, revocation, suspension or restriction of a license, certificate, registration, or multistate
127 licensure privilege to practice in another state, the District of Columbia or a United States possession or
128 territory; *or*

129 8. Abuse, negligent practice, or misappropriation of a patient's or resident's property; *or*

130 9. *Willfully representing or knowing of the willful representation of any of the following at an unregulated*
131 *pregnancy clinic as defined by § 32.1-137.012 if such representation is not true:*

132 a. *That the clinic is a medical facility that diagnoses and treats medical conditions;*

133 b. *That an examination or test, such as an ultrasound examination, is being conducted, supervised, or*
134 *interpreted in accordance with accepted medical standards;*

135 c. *That a patient's sensitive personal information is kept confidential; or*

136 d. *That the medical care provided at the facility is supervised in accordance with accepted medical*
137 *standards.*