

(b) A licensed physical therapist assistant may practice limited physical therapy only under the direction of a licensed physical therapist who gives [periodic] ONGOING onsite supervision and instruction that is adequate to ensure the safety and welfare of the patient.

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Subject to the hearing provisions of § 13-317 of this subtitle, the Board may deny a license, temporary license, or restricted license to any applicant, reprimand any licensee or holder of a temporary license or restricted license, place any licensee or holder of a temporary license or restricted license on probation, or suspend or revoke a license, temporary license, or restricted license if the applicant, licensee, or holder:

(1) Fraudulently or deceptively obtains or attempts to obtain a license, temporary license, or restricted license for the applicant, licensee, or holder or for another;

(2) Fraudulently or deceptively uses a license, temporary license, or restricted license;

[(3)] Practices physical therapy inconsistent with any written or oral order of:

(i) A physician authorized to practice medicine in any state;

(ii) A dentist authorized to practice dentistry in any state; or

(iii) A podiatrist authorized to practice podiatry in any state;

[(4)] (3) Unless specifically licensed with respect to the treatment, treats or attempts to treat a health condition of [an individual] A PATIENT OR CLIENT by means other than physical therapy;

[(5)] (4) In the case of an individual who is authorized to practice physical therapy is grossly negligent:

(i) In the practice of physical therapy;

(ii) In the direction of an individual who is authorized to practice limited physical therapy; or

(iii) In the supervision of a physical therapy aide;

[(6)] (5) In the case of an individual who is authorized to practice limited physical therapy:

(i) Practices limited physical therapy other than as authorized by this title; or

(ii) Is grossly negligent while practicing limited physical therapy;