

(11) IS PROFESSIONALLY, PHYSICALLY, OR MENTALLY INCOMPETENT;

(12) SUBMITS A FALSE STATEMENT TO COLLECT A FEE;

(13) VIOLATES ANY RULE OR REGULATION ADOPTED BY THE BOARD;

(14) IS DISCIPLINED BY A LICENSING OR DISCIPLINARY AUTHORITY OF ANY OTHER STATE OR COUNTRY OR CONVICTED OR DISCIPLINED BY A COURT OF ANY STATE OR COUNTRY FOR AN ACT THAT WOULD BE GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTION UNDER THE BOARD'S DISCIPLINARY STATUTES;

(15) REFUSES, WITHHOLDS FROM, DENIES, OR DISCRIMINATES AGAINST AN INDIVIDUAL WITH REGARD TO THE PROVISION OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR WHICH THE LICENSEE IS LICENSED AND QUALIFIED OR THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER IS CERTIFIED AND QUALIFIED TO RENDER BECAUSE THE INDIVIDUAL IS HIV POSITIVE;

(16) COMMITS AN ACT OF IMMORAL OR UNPROFESSIONAL CONDUCT IN THE PRACTICE OF CLINICAL OR NONCLINICAL COUNSELING OR THERAPY;

(17) KNOWINGLY FAILS TO REPORT SUSPECTED CHILD ABUSE IN VIOLATION OF § 5-704 OF THE FAMILY LAW ARTICLE; OR

(18) FAILS TO COOPERATE WITH A LAWFUL INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY THE BOARD.

17-510.

(A) IF AFTER A HEARING UNDER § 17-511 OF THIS SUBTITLE THE BOARD FINDS THAT THERE ARE GROUNDS UNDER § 17-509 OF THIS SUBTITLE TO PLACE ANY LICENSEE OR CERTIFICATE HOLDER ON PROBATION, REPRIMAND ANY LICENSEE OR CERTIFICATE HOLDER, OR SUSPEND OR REVOKE A LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE, THE BOARD MAY IMPOSE A PENALTY NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000:

(1) INSTEAD OF PLACING THE LICENSEE OR CERTIFICATE HOLDER ON PROBATION, REPRIMANDING THE LICENSEE OR CERTIFICATE HOLDER, OR SUSPENDING OR REVOKING THE LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE; OR