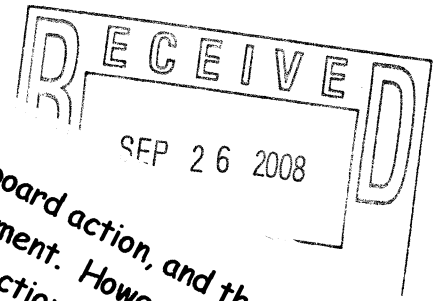


BEFORE THE
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
STATE OF OREGON



In the Matter of

Richard Finley DC

) Case # 2008 - 5002
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) CONSENT AGREEMENT
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The Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (hereafter "Board") is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining chiropractic physicians in the State of Oregon. Richard Finley DC (hereafter "Licensee"), is currently licensed by the Board as a chiropractic physician.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1.

Licensee had stroke events in June 2008, and June 2007, and one previously, date unknown. Licensee went through a course of rehabilitation following the latest event and has been evaluated by a medical neurologist and a neuropsychologist specializing in this area. Licensee is currently practicing part time and sees established patients. Licensee has practiced chiropractic in Oregon since 1972.

2.

The evaluating psychologist made several recommendations for Licensee and the OBCE to address the ongoing challenges for Licensee as he continues his recovery process.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

3.

In order to protect the public, assure continued competency and to assist Licensee in his continued recovery, and pursuant to the authority of the OBCE under ORS 684.100(9) to put limitations on the licensee of a license; the Board finds that this agreement is warranted.

CONSENT AGREEMENT

4.

Licensee and the Board agree to the entry of this Consent Order, which provides that Licensee shall comply with the following as a condition on his Oregon chiropractic license:

1. Licensee will accept a Board appointed observer to visit Licensee's chiropractic clinic for the purpose of observing Licensee's chiropractic practice. While the observer will keep visits to a minimum (once a month is suggested), the observer may observe more or less often as he or she deems necessary. Licensee must allow the observer to make copies of selected patient files if needed for his report to the Board. The observer will be an actively licensed Oregon chiropractic physician.
2. Licensee will make follow-up appointments with Audrey Sherman Ph.D., neuropsychologist, as recommended by Dr. Sherman. The current recommendation is for a follow-up visit within 6 to 9 months since August 11, 2008. Licensee consents to and agrees that Dr. Sherman will provide a letter or report to the OBCE following each visit. Licensee waives any privileges he may have to any confidentiality of those medical records to be provided to the OBCE.
3. Licensee and the OBCE agree this Consent Agreement is not a disciplinary action however, this is a public record.
4. Licensee's failure to abide by this agreement may be used as further information for the Board to consider public protection measures.

IT IS SO ORDERED effective upon signing of both parties and later date below:

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

State of Oregon

Original signature on file at OBCE.

By:

Dave Mc League, Executive Director

Date: September 22, 2008

Original signature on file at OBCE.

By:

Richard Finley, DC

Date: 23 Sept 08