

1 BEFORE THE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
2 OF THE STATE OF OREGON

3 In the Matter of the License of)
4 GREGG R. MORRIS, D.C.)
5 _____)

STIPULATION

6 1.

7 Gregg R. Morris (Morris) and the Oregon Board of Chiropractic
8 Examiners (Board) enter into this Stipulation pursuant to ORS
9 684.100(9) for the purpose of concluding a Board investigation and
10 a chiropractic Peer Review Committee investigation concerning the
11 treatment of patient A.M.A by Morris on October 4, 1989.

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13 Morris agrees that the Board has jurisdiction over this matter
14 and agrees that the Board may assess the penalties prescribed
15 herein.

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17 Morris stipulates and agrees that he violated OAR 811-15-015
18 when he failed to clarify for patient . the use of non-
19 standard methods of diagnosis and treatment as compared to
20 conventional chiropractic procedures and failed to obtain written
21 informed consent of patient A.M.A.

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23 Morris also stipulates and agrees that he utilized an
24 experimental therapeutic procedure which was not registered with
25 the Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners pursuant to OAR
26 811-15-070.

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Morris stipulates and agrees that the procedure he used with patient ... is not taught at any chiropractic college, as part of its regular curriculum which he attended.

Morris stipulates and agrees that the Board may assess, and he agrees to abide by, the following terms of settlement:

A. Morris is assessed and pays a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000 payable to the State of Oregon according to the following schedule:

October 1, 1990	-	\$100
November 1, 1990	-	100
December 1, 1990	-	100
January 1, 1991	-	100
February 1, 1991	-	100
March 1, 1991	-	100
April 1, 1991	-	100
May 1, 1991	-	100
June 1, 1991	-	100
July 1, 1991	-	100

Failure to make payments when due constitutes a violation of this Stipulation and ORS 684.100(1)(g).

B. Morris is assessed and pays herewith the sum of \$500 for the cost of this disciplinary proceeding.

C. Morris is ordered to and agrees to comply with all Oregon statutes and administrative rules relating to the practice of chiropractic, including specifically those related to informed

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1 consent, written informed consent, and experimental devices and
2 procedures.

3 D. Morris agrees to perform 60 hours of voluntary services
4 within a research project relating to chiropractic which is to be
5 preapproved by the Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners and to
6 be completed no later than July 31, 1991.

7 E. Morris agrees to write a scholarly paper of no less than
8 20 pages of text on the subject of scientific evidence and proof
9 and what constitutes valid scientific research, which scholarly
10 paper shall be prepared to the satisfaction of the Board and for
11 the Board's own use without further attribution to Morris, as the
12 Board may deem useful and appropriate, such paper to be completed
13 no later than October 31, 1990.

14 F. Morris agrees to discontinue using the therapy, or
15 related or similar therapy, which he used on patient

16 G. In any public statements or press releases, Morris will
17 not contradict the admissions made in or the terms of this
18 Stipulation.

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20 This Stipulation is intended to cover the acts and practices
21 denoted herein. This Stipulation does not cover actions which are
22 not described herein. Morris expressly waives any objection as to
23 the form of the proceedings and service of documents connected
24 herein.

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IS IS SO STIPULATED this 10th day of Aug, 1990.

Original signature on file
at the OBCE office.

Gregg R. Morris

SO STIPULATED this 17th day of August, 1990.

Original signature on file
at the OBCE office.

Christie Joachim
Executive Director
Oregon Board of Chiropractic
Examiners

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