



## SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

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Deborah Bushey  
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Dear Ms. Bushey:

The South Dakota Board of Nursing met in Sioux Falls, SD for its regularly scheduled meeting on January 22-23, 2004. The Board was informed that a complaint had been received regarding your nursing practice related to nursing judgment, documentation and medication errors.

Based upon the information outlined above, the Board determined that you were in violation of SDCL 36-9-49, (5), (7), and (10). As a result of this violation, the Board ordered that this Letter of Reprimand be issued to you in accordance with the disciplinary proceedings outlined in ARSD 20:48:08 with a copy of the Reprimand placed in your nursing file at the Board office. This final action of the Board will be published in the Board of Nursing newsletter as required by the Administrative Rules of South Dakota. Additionally, the Board ordered that you receive training in Documentation of Nursing Care and Medication Administration.

NurseLearn, a division of Diversified Healthcare Consulting, provides self-study learning materials for customers at [www.nurselearn.com](http://www.nurselearn.com). You will be responsible to purchase and complete the self-learning modules for Legal Aspects of Documenting Nursing Care (S SP-005) and Safe Medication Practice (SSP-032). These modules must be completed and the completion certificates returned to us by July 22, 2004.

In the future, when you complete your South Dakota license renewal form, you must answer "yes" to the following question:

*Has your license or certification in any state or Canadian province been denied, revoked, suspended, stipulated, placed on probation or otherwise subjected to any type of disciplinary action?*

When answering "yes" to a question, you are to explain the dates and circumstances on a separate piece of paper, which is submitted along with license renewal forms.

If you have any questions related to this matter please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Nursing Program Specialist