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Board files disciplinary petition against Wichita doctor

The Kansas State Board of Healing Arts filed a disciplinary petition against the medical license of Lawrence M. Simons Sr., M.D., Wichita, this week. The disciplinary petition includes alleged violations of statute such as excessive prescribing of a controlled substance; unprofessional conduct, which includes practicing veterinary medicine without proper licensure; commission of fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or securing an original, renewal or reinstated license; and failure to keep written medical records, amongst other violations.

Disciplinary action could include revocation, suspension or other limitations of Dr. Simons' license.

A pre-hearing conference will be scheduled, followed by a hearing with a presiding officer. Following the hearing, the presiding officer will issue an initial order. That initial order will then be reviewed by the Board of Healing Arts, who will then issue a final order regarding whether or not disciplinary action will be taken against Dr. Simons. No dates have been scheduled at this time.

Dr. Simons' license remains active at this time. He has had a Kansas license since 2003.

A copy of the disciplinary petition is attached.

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