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TMB restricts Houston physician

On March 28, 2019, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily restricted, without notice, the Texas medical license of Leo M. Hayes, D.O. (Lic. No. K2486), after determining his continuation in the unrestricted practice of medicine poses a continuing threat to public welfare. The restriction was effective immediately.

Dr. Hayes is prohibited from administering, distributing or prescribing Schedule II controlled substances in Texas.

The Board panel found that Dr. Hayes is prescribing at a high volume, a majority of which were Schedule II controlled substances, including opioids. Dr. Hayes is not registered as a pain management clinic as required.

A temporary restriction hearing with notice will be held as soon as practicable with 10 days' notice to Dr. Hayes, unless the hearing is specifically waived by Dr. Hayes.

The temporary restriction remains in place until the Board takes further action.

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