## **Texas Medical Board Press Release**

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## TMB suspends Longview physician

On August 10, 2020, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas medical license of Matt E. Hipke, M.D. (Lic. No. H6289) after determining his continuation in the practice of medicine poses a continuing threat to public welfare. The suspension was effective immediately.

The Board panel found that Dr. Hipke is the subject of a criminal investigation involving allegations of sexual assault of three children who were patients.

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

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