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Texas Board of Respiratory Care suspends Garland respiratory care practitioner

On November 19, 2020, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Board of Respiratory Care temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas respiratory care practitioner permit of Tiffany Nashaye Escalante, RCP (Permit No. RCP00078625), after determining her continuation in the practice of respiratory care poses a continuing threat to public welfare. The suspension was effective immediately.

The Board panel found that Ms. Escalante reported to her work shift and appeared to be under the influence of a controlled substance. Ms. Escalante was terminated by her employer following her testing positive for amphetamine and methamphetamine.

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

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