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TMB suspends Corpus Christi physician

On February 5, 2019, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas medical license of Juan Antonio Villarreal, M.D. (Lic. No. H3292), 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. Villarreal was arrested by the Corpus Christi Police Department on December 17, 2018 on three felony charges of sexual assault and the case has been referred to the Nueces County District Attorney for prosecution. Based on evidence that Dr. Villarreal has been arrested and indicted on felony sexual assault charges, the panel finds an imminent peril to the public health, safety, or welfare.

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

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

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