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## TMB suspends Spring physician

On June 21, 2022, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas medical license of Zahra Piyar Ali, M.D. (Lic. No. T2810), after determining her continuation in the practice of medicine poses a continuing threat to public welfare. The suspension was effective immediately.

The Board panel found that Dr. Ali is unable to safely practice medicine at this time due to her intemperate use of alcohol. Dr. Ali resigned from her position following an incident involving her drinking while on shift at her clinic.

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

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