## **Texas Medical Board Press Release**

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## TMB suspends McAllen physician

On September 26, 2014, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas medical license of Raja Nicolas Salameh, M.D., after determining his continuation in the practice of medicine would constitute a continuing threat to the public welfare. The suspension was effective immediately.

The Board panel found it has evidence that Dr. Salameh is unable to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety to patients.

Dr. Salameh had a significant and positive screen of his cognitive abilities, and his performance during the evaluation indicated he is unsafe to practice medicine, and that he presents a real and imminent threat to patient safety.

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

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

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To view disciplinary orders, visit the TMB website, click on "Look Up A License," accept the usage terms, then type in a licensee's name. Click on the name shown in the search results to view the licensee's full profile. Within that profile is a button that says "View Orders."

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