

## **Texas Medical Board Press Release**

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### **TMB suspends Harlingen physician**

On January 25, 2018, a disciplinary panel of the Texas Medical Board temporarily suspended, without notice, the Texas medical license of Jason Evans, M.D. (Lic. No. M9268), 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 a high volume of prescriptions have been written or electronically submitted under Dr. Evans' controlled substances registration, requiring the Board to investigate to determine if Dr. Evans is in compliance with the Act. He has not cooperated with Board staff. Given his failure to cooperate and potential impaired status, Dr. Evans presents a continuing threat to the public.

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

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

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