

**These charges are only allegations which
may be contested by the licensee in an
Administrative hearing.**

IN THE MATTER

OF

CORNELIA GALLO, M.D.

STATEMENT

OF

CHARGES

CORNELIA GALLO, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on or about November 19, 1993 by the issuance of license number 194282 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

A. On or about November 19, 2019 the Connecticut Medical Examining Board (Connecticut Board) issued a Consent Order with the Respondent whereby the Respondent was reprimanded, her license was placed on probation for a period of one year, ordered to pay a \$10,000 fine and required to complete courses in documentation standards, laboratory testing pertinent to prescriptions and communication with patients who have limited communication and with guardians and case managers. Respondent was disciplined by the Connecticut Board for failing to meet the standard of care for one patient and inadequate record keeping. Respondent treated Patient 1 various times from on or about October 13, 2015 through October 30, 2018. Respondent failed to obtain Patient 1's previous treatment records; failed to document, or adequately document, any communication with Patient 1's previous provider; Respondent's initial history and evaluation at two subsequent encounters were incomplete; Respondent failed to examine Patient 1 at appropriate intervals; failed to perform appropriate laboratory tests pertinent to medications she prescribed and failed to make timely reports to the Department of Developmental Services case manager.

B. Respondent's conduct as described above upon disciplinary action was taken in Connecticut was based would, if committed in New York State, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of the State of New York as follows:


1. New York Education Law §6530(3) (practicing the profession with negligence on more than one occasion) and/or
2. New York Education Law §6530 (32) (failing to maintain a record)

SPECIFICATION OF CHARGES
HAVING HAD DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN

Respondent is charged with committing professional misconduct as defined in N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(9)(d) by having his or her license to practice medicine revoked, suspended or having other disciplinary action taken, or having his or her application for a license refused, revoked or suspended or having voluntarily or otherwise surrendered his or her license after a disciplinary action was instituted by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the revocation, suspension or other disciplinary action involving the license or refusal, revocation or suspension of an application for a license or the surrender of the license would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state (namely N.Y. Educ. Law § 6530(3) and/or (32)) as alleged in the facts of the following:

1. The facts in Paragraph A and B.

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Albany, New York



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