

## **ALABAMA BOARD OF HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT**

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### **DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS**

#### **Georgia Home Medical – Columbus, Inc.**

**Date:** April 26, 2017

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(1) (1975 as amended) and Ala. Admin. Code 473-X-4-.01 by engaging in the provisioning of home medical services without maintaining a staffed physical location during normal business hours within the State.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$1,500.00 for said violation, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6 (1975 as amended). Georgia Home Medical – Columbus, Inc. has been placed on probation for a period of two (2) years.

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### **Choice Healthcare, Inc.**

**Date: August 24, 2016**

**Violation:** Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01(3) (2014) by failing to maintain a primary business telephone at the physical facility.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$5,000.00 for said violation, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended). Choice Healthcare, Inc. has been placed on probation for a period of one (1) year.

### **Complete Patient Services, LLC**

**Date: July 25, 2016**

**Violation:** Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01 by failing to pass an inspection of the physical facility.

**Finding:** A cease and desist letter was issued and the Board requested that Complete Patient Services, LLC surrender its license.

### **Spectrum Healthcare, Inc.**

**Date: September 23, 2015**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$1,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

### **Harbor Freight Tools USA, Inc.**

**Date: April 7, 2014**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$3,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**Southern Patient Care, Inc.**

**Date: February 18, 2014**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$3,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**Steve Henry**

**Date: May 14, 2013**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board; Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01(2) (2011) by failing to maintain a physical facility on an appropriate site as required.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$4,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**Medical Necessities and Services, LLC**

**Date: February 12, 2013**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$1,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**Custom Healthcare, LLC d/b/a Phoenix Rehab and Mobility/PPS Orthotic and Prosthetic Services**

**Date: February 12, 2013**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**Rehabitat, LLC**

**Date: February 12, 2013**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$3,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (a

**National HME, Inc.**

**Date: January 24, 2012**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,000.00 for said violations, in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended) ("Violations; penalties.").

**ConvaCare Services, Inc.**

**Date: August 31, 2011**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$30,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Kerley Medical Equipment & Supply, Inc.**

**Date: August 31, 2011**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**One Coast Medical, Inc.**

**Date: August 31, 2010**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board and Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-6-.01(c) and (d)6 (2007) by failing to maintain a physical facility on an appropriate site and engaging the falsification of records

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$15,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Choice Healthcare, Inc.**

**Date: April 27, 2010**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board and Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01(2) (2007) by failing to maintain a physical facility on an appropriate site.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$4,750.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Omni Diabetes Care, L.L.C.**

**Date: July 27, 2009**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Southland Medical, Inc.**

**Date: November 12, 2008**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board and Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01 (2006) by failing to maintain a physical facility on an appropriate site.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$3,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Kinex Medical Company, LLC**

**Date: November 12, 2008**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board and Ala. Admin. Code r. 473-X-4-.01 (2006) by failing to maintain a physical facility on an appropriate site.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$11,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**D & D Medical Equipment Company**

**Date: July 22, 2008**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Secrets**

**Date: July 22, 2008**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$1,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Fred's Stores of Tennessee, Inc.**

**Date: May 2, 2007**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Nationwide Medical Equipment, Inc.**

**Date: May 2, 2007**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Caring Medical Equipment & Supplies**

**Date: May 2, 2007**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$1,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Mid-South Home Care Services**

**Date: May 2, 2007**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Companion Health Services**

**Date: May 2, 2007**

**Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.

**Finding:** Fined a total of \$10,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)

**Alexander Orthotics and Mobility and Lifeaid Medical Equipment****Date: August 22, 2006****Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.**Finding:** Fined a total of \$41,650.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)**IMS Home Medical Equipment****Date: August 22, 2006****Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.**Finding:** Fined a total of \$2,500.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)**EZ Mobility****Date: August 22, 2006****Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.**Finding:** Fined a total of \$15,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)**Healthcare Solutions****Date: July 26, 2006****Violation:** Ala. Code § 34-14C-4(a) 1975 (as amended) by engaging in the provisioning of home medical equipment services without having first obtained a license from the Board.**Finding:** Fined a total of \$60,000.00 in accordance with Ala. Code § 34-14C-6(a) 1975 (as amended)