

# ONTARIO PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS DISCIPLINE TRIBUNAL

Tribunal File No.: 24-026

**Date of Order:** June 2, 2025

Jay Sengupta (panel chair)  
Marie-Pierre Carpentier (physician)  
Jose Cordeiro (public)  
Markus de Domenico (public)  
Veronica Mohr (physician)

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario

**College**

- and -

Mehdi Horri

**Registrant**

## ORDER

This referral was heard on June 2, 2025.

### **Finding**

The Tribunal finds that the registrant committed the following acts of professional misconduct:

1. under paragraph 1(1)33 of Ontario Regulation 856/93 made under the *Medicine Act, 1991*, they have engaged in an act or omission relevant to the practice of medicine that, having regard to all the circumstances, would reasonably be regarded by members as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional.
2. under clause 51(1)(b) of the Health Professions Procedural Code which is Schedule 2 to the *Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991*, S.O. 1991, c. 18, the governing body of another health profession in Ontario, or the governing body of a health profession in a jurisdiction other than Ontario, has found that the member committed an act of professional misconduct that would, in the opinion of the panel, be an act of professional misconduct under section 51 of the Health Professions Procedural Code or an act of professional misconduct as defined in the regulations.

### **Penalty**

1. The Tribunal requires the registrant to appear before the panel to be reprimanded.

2. The Tribunal directs the Registrar to:

- a. suspend the registrant's certificate of registration for twelve (12) months commencing June 3, 2025 at 12:01 a.m.

**Costs**

3. The Tribunal requires the registrant to pay the College costs in the amount of \$6,000 by July 1, 2025.

**The reasons for the decision will be released later.**

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**BETWEEN:**

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**The Tribunal delivered the following Reprimand  
by videoconference on Monday, June 2, 2025**

**\*\*\*NOT AN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT\*\*\***

Dr. Horri,

This panel is deeply disturbed by your repeated and serious misconduct while practising in Saskatchewan.

In approximately September 2023, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan (CPSS), found you guilty of professional misconduct by failing to comply with an undertaking to the CPSS. That undertaking required that you refrain from any professional encounters with female patients unless a female practice monitor was present. You breached this undertaking by having a professional encounter with a four-year-old female patient, without the required monitor. In response to this breach, the CPSS Council imposed a penalty that included a reprimand and a two-month suspension.

As a registrant licensed in both Ontario and Saskatchewan, you are accountable to the standards and requirements of each. Under Ontario law, a finding of professional misconduct by a health regulator in another jurisdiction also constitutes professional misconduct in this province. We also found that by breaching the terms of your undertaking to the CPSS, you engaged in disgraceful, dishonourable and unprofessional conduct.

In addition, on two separate occasions, you failed to report criminal charges to the CPSO and you provided an incomplete response on the 2024 CPSO Annual Renewal Questionnaire.

Although both charges were ultimately stayed, this did not relieve you of your legal obligations to report to the CPSO. You agree, and we have found, that these acts constitute disgraceful, dishonorable, and unprofessional conduct.

Your behaviour shows a clear lack of judgment and a troubling disregard for your regulatory responsibilities. By failing to comply with your undertaking and by repeatedly failing to comply with your reporting obligations, you have demonstrated disrespect toward the regulatory bodies charged with protecting the public. This undermines the integrity of the self-regulation system — a system that relies on honesty, accountability, and cooperation from its members.

This profession holds a privileged position of public trust. Your repeated misconduct erodes that trust and brings the medical profession into disrepute. The panel is particularly concerned by the recurring nature of your conduct and your failure to take previous sanctions seriously.

The panel has ordered a 12-month suspension of your certificate of registration. We expect that during this suspension, you will take meaningful steps to reflect on the seriousness of your actions and rebuild your understanding of your professional obligations. Should you return to practice in Ontario, we expect full compliance with all regulatory requirements and a demonstrated commitment to ethical and professional conduct.

The legal obligations and professional expectations of this profession are not optional — they are foundational to protecting the public and preserving the honour of the profession.