

**RESTRICTED DELIVERY CERTIFIED MAIL
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Before the Iowa Department of Public Health

IN THE MATTER OF Ryan Kintzell 3233 120 th Street Amana, Iowa 52203-8042 Certification: I-10-308-08	Case: 09-05-27 NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION SUSPENSION
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Pursuant to the provisions of Iowa Code Sections 17A.18, 147A.7, and Iowa Administrative Code (I.A.C.) 641—131.7, the Iowa Department of Public Health is proposing to indefinitely **SUSPEND** the EMS certification identified.

The Department may suspend an EMS provider when it finds that the certificate holder has committed any of the following acts or offenses:

Failure to comply with the terms of a department order or the terms of a settlement agreement or settlement order.

IAC 641—131.7(2)d

Specifically;

Each licensee of a licensing board, as a condition of licensure, is under a duty to submit to a physical, mental, or clinical competency examination when directed in writing by the board for cause.
Iowa Code Section 272C.9"1"

The following events have lead to this notice:

On June 23, 2010, you received an order from the Department to complete a comprehensive mental health evaluation concerning your fitness to practice as an emergency medical care provider. The order states that you were to complete a comprehensive mental health evaluation within 30 days of the Department approving a facility. You received the approval on September 22, 2010. As of the date of this notice, you have failed to complete the ordered evaluation.

Your certification shall be suspended until the mental health evaluation is received, processed and approved by the Department:

You have the right to request a hearing concerning this notice of disciplinary action. A request for a hearing must be submitted in writing to the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested, within twenty (20) days of receipt of this Notice of Proposed Action. The written request must be submitted to the Iowa Department of Public Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services, Lucas State Office Building, 321 East 12th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. If the request is made within the twenty (20) day time limit, the proposed action is suspended pending the outcome of the hearing. Prior to, or at the hearing, the Department may rescind the notice upon satisfaction that the reason for the action has been or will be removed.

If no request for a hearing is received within the twenty (20) day time period, the disciplinary action proposed herein shall become effective and shall be final agency action.



Kirk Schmitt, Bureau Chief
Emergency Medical Services

12-17-2010
Date