

IC 16-21-3

Chapter 3. Remedies for Violations

IC 16-21-3-1

Civil penalty, license revocation, or other possible actions

Sec. 1. The state health commissioner may take any of the following actions on any of the grounds listed in section 2 of this chapter:

- (1) Issue a letter of correction.
- (2) Issue a probationary license.
- (3) Conduct a resurvey.
- (4) Deny renewal of a license.
- (5) Revoke a license.
- (6) Impose a civil penalty in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

As added by P.L.2-1993, SEC.4.

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Grounds for action

Sec. 2. The state health commissioner may take action under section 1 of this chapter on any of the following grounds:

- (1) Violation of any of the provisions of this chapter or of the rules adopted under this chapter.
- (2) Permitting, aiding, or abetting the commission of any illegal act in an institution.
- (3) Knowingly collecting or attempting to collect from a subscriber (as defined in IC 27-13-1-32) or an enrollee (as defined in IC 27-13-1-12) of a health maintenance organization (as defined in IC 27-13-1-19) any amounts that are owed by the health maintenance organization.
- (4) Conduct or practice found by the state department to be detrimental to the welfare of the patients of an institution.

As added by P.L.2-1993, SEC.4. Amended by P.L.203-2001, SEC.1; P.L.156-2011, SEC.16; P.L.197-2011, SEC.61.

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Application of IC 4-21.5

Sec. 3. IC 4-21.5 applies to an action under this chapter.

As added by P.L.2-1993, SEC.4.

IC 16-21-3-4

Revocation of hospital license for cloning

Sec. 4. Notwithstanding section 1 of this chapter, the state department shall revoke the license of a hospital licensed under this article if, after appropriate notice and an opportunity for a hearing, the state health commissioner proves by a preponderance of the evidence that the hospital:

- (1) knowingly allows the hospital's facilities to be used for

cloning or attempted cloning; or

(2) knowingly allows the hospital's employees, in the course of the employee's employment, to participate in cloning or attempted cloning.

As added by P.L.126-2005, SEC.5.