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Notice of Reprimand

Dr. Dave Wong

Sydney, Nova Scotia

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Nova Scotia hereby gives notice that on May 2, 2011, pursuant to Section 53 (12) of the *Medical Act*, Dr. Dave Wong of Sydney, Nova Scotia consented to a reprimand issued by an Investigation Committee of the College.

With regard to his care of a patient at the Cape Breton Regional Hospital between July and August 2007, the Committee identified problems with Dr. Wong's clinical acumen, decision making, communication skills and record keeping.

In accordance with the reprimand, Dr. Wong has agreed to undertake the following:

1. Attend a record-keeping course approved by the College
2. Attend and participate in a remedial program approved by the College to improve his communication skills
3. Attend and participate in a remedial program approved by the College to improve his clinical assessment and management of critically ill patients with multiple organ failure

A reprimand is a finding of professional misconduct that is entered on a doctor's formal discipline record.