



STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

1801 Congress Avenue, Suite 8.600, Austin, Texas 78701

September 2, 2025

Leeanne Lankford, RDH
1600 Texas
Liberty, TX 77575

ABC Legal Process Server

Re: SBDE No. 2025-00061
Proposed Cease and Desist Order

Dear Ms. Lankford:

Enclosed please find a proposed *Cease and Desist Order* to resolve SBDE No. 2025-00061. You may reach me at (737) 363-2408 or dbryant@tsbde.texas.gov should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Doug Bryant
Staff Attorney

Encl. (Cease & Desist Order)

SBDE NO. 2025-00061

IN THE MATTER OF	§	BEFORE THE STATE
LEEANNE LANKFORD, RDH	§	BOARD OF
LIBERTY, TEXAS	§	DENTAL EXAMINERS

CEASE AND DESIST ORDER

On September 2, 2025, the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners (Board) proposes this Cease and Desist Order (Order) against LEEANNE LANKFORD, RDH.

The Board has received information and possesses certain evidence indicating that Leeanne Lankford has violated provisions of the Dental Practice Act (the Act), codified at Tex. Occ. Code §§ 251 through 257

Failure to file a written request for a hearing on this Order by the 11th day after receipt will render this Order immediately effective and non-appealable in accordance with Tex. Occ. Code § 264.0525(b).

Pursuant to authority granted at Tex. Occ. Code § 264.0525, the Board finds and issues the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. During the time period from September 6, 2024, through the present, Leeanne Lankford, RDH, license no. 10592, whose license is currently in **CANCELLED** status, engaged in dishonorable conduct and engaged in the unlicensed practice of dental hygiene, without holding an active registered dental hygienist license.
2. Specifically, Leanne Lankford's registered dental hygienist number, 10592, was cancelled on December 31, 2013. Since that time, Leanne Lankford has continued to fraudulently work and provide patient care as a registered dental hygienist by forging fake licenses with expirations dated December 31, 2016; December 31, 2017; December 31, 2018; December 31, 2021; and December 31, 2024.
3. This conduct constitutes the unlicensed practice of dental hygiene and dishonorable conduct, as defined by Tex. Occ. Code § 262.002, and Tex. Admin. Code Title 22 §§ 115.9(2), (3), (5), and (8) and is a violation of Tex. Occ. Code § 256.052 and may be subject to criminal prosecution.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

LEEANNE LANKFORD, RDH, **CEASE AND DESIST** from any further action in the state of Texas in connection with the unlicensed practice of dental hygiene.

Signed this 2nd day of September, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Casey Nichols". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Casey Nichols
Executive Director
Texas State Board of Dental Examiners