

Dr. Mehdi Horri

Charges

Date Charge(s) Laid:	January 20, 2024
Charge(s) Amended:	N/A
Hearing:	Pending
Charge(s):	Unprofessional Conduct
Outcome Date:	To be determined

NOTE: Allegations of unprofessional conduct as set out in the charge below have been referred to the discipline committee. The allegations in the charge have not been admitted, nor has there been a hearing before the discipline committee to determine whether the allegations in the charge will be proved.

A physician who denies some or all of the allegations in a charge is entitled to a hearing before the discipline committee to determine if the allegations in the charge are established by the evidence at the hearing.

The Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons directs that, pursuant to section 47.5 and/or 47.6 of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, the Discipline Committee hear the following charges against Dr. Mehdi Horri, namely:

CHARGE 1

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of *The Medical Profession Act, 1981* and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you Dr. Horri performed a surgical procedure in regard to [PATIENT #1] without adequate prior investigation and/or without obtaining an opinion from a surgeon, and/or thereby did not maintain the standard of practice of the profession.

CHARGE 2

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981 and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you performed a surgical procedure in an office setting unsuited for the procedure and/or did not apply sufficient clinical knowledge or surgical skill to the performance of the procedure, and/or therefore did not maintain the standard of practice of the profession.

CHARGE 3

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981 and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you did not obtain informed consent for the surgical procedure performed on [PATIENT #1] and/or therefore did not maintain the standard of practice of the profession.

CHARGE 4

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or section 46(p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) of the Regulatory Bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, particulars whereof are that you did not provide adequate postoperative instructions and timely postoperative care to [PATIENT #1]and/or therefore did not maintain the standard of practice of the profession.

CHARGE 5

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, in that you did not have a chaperone present during a procedure with female patient [PATIENT #1], contrary to your 2018 Undertaking with the College.

CHARGE 6

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981 and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(vi) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you altered medical records related to [PATIENT #1] after becoming aware of a College investigation into your conduct with that patient.

CHARGE 7

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or 46(p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) of the College's Regulatory Bylaws in that you performed a rectal examination on [PATIENT #2] that was not medically indicated.

CHARGE 8

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, in that you did not have a chaperone present during a procedure with female patient [PATIENT #2]., contrary to your 2018 Undertaking with the College.

CHARGE 9

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981 and/or bylaw



8.1(b)(vi) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you altered medical records related to [PATIENT #2] after becoming aware of a College investigation into your conduct with that patient.

CHARGE 10

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of sections 46(o) and/or 46(p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, and/or sections 7.1 and 7.2 of the Code of Conduct, the particulars of which are that you inappropriately touched and/or made comments on a female patient's genitals during an examination.

The evidence that will be led in support of this charge will include one or more of the following:

- 1) On or about July 14th, 2022, you had a patient encounter with [PATIENT #3], a female patient.
- 2) During the course of a pap smear procedure, you pinched the patient's labia between your fingers, moved the labia back and forth, and/or asked whether the patient had ever considered surgery to remove the excess, or words to that effect.
- 3) The specific touching you conducted was not medically indicated and/or not consented to by the patient.

CHARGE 11

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or (p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981 and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(vi) of the Regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, the particulars of which are that you altered medical records related to [PATIENT #3] after becoming aware of a College investigation into your conduct with that patient.

CHARGE 12

You Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of sections 46(o) and/or 46(p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, sections 7.2(l), 7.2(t), and 7.2(aa) of the Code of Conduct, and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(xxii) the particulars of which are that you harassed and/or encouraged a potential witness in a College investigation into your conduct to provide false information.

The evidence that will be led in support of this charge will include one or more of the following:

- 1) On or about December 24th, 2022, you had been advised that the College was investigating your conduct and that a potential interim suspension of your ability to practise would be considered.
- 2) In a text message conversation on or about December 24th, 2022, you told a potential witness to the investigation that "all they need to hear is that I see my female patients with a chaperone. That's it and that's all".



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- 3) After further conversation by text message, the potential witness asked you "so lie?" and you responded: "Yes this is not the time to think about integrity."
- 4) On or about December 27th, 2022, you sent the potential witness information from your lawyer indicating that you may be suspended by the College, then asked the potential witness whether they "still think these people deserve honesty".

CHARGE 13

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) and/or section 46(p) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(ix) and/or bylaw 23.1 of the Regulatory Bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, particulars whereof are that you failed to maintain appropriate medical records for your patients [PATIENT #1], [PATIENT #2], and/or [PATIENT #3].

CHARGE 14

You, Dr. Mehdi Horri are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(o) of The Medical Profession Act, 1981, S.S. 1980-81, c. M-10.1, in that between 2018 and 2023 inclusive you had encounters with female patients without a chaperone present, contrary to your 2018 Undertaking with the College.

