



Mr. Huangrui (Richard) ZHU

Charges

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| Date Charge(s) Laid: | July 13, 2021 |
| Penalty Hearing: | Completed |
| Charge(s): | Confidentiality, Breach of |
| Outcome Date: | September 18, 2021 |

The Executive Committee of the College of Physicians and Surgeons directs that, pursuant to section 47.5 of **The Medical Profession Act, 1981**, the Discipline Committee hear the following charge against Mr. Huangrui (Richard) Zhu:

You Mr. Huangrui (Richard) Zhu 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 paragraphs 31 and/or 32 and/or 33 of bylaw 7.1, and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(viii), of the Regulatory Bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, particulars whereof are that during the years 2017 to 2019, you collected documents and copies of documents containing personal information and personal health information of numerous other individuals, you retained those documents in your possession, and you failed to exercise due diligence to ensure the documents were disposed of in an appropriate and secure manner. The evidence that will be led in support of this charge will include some or all of the following:

- a) In the course of your clerkship in Saskatoon and Regina in 2017 to 2019, you collected and copied various medical records, patient lists, appointments logs, etc. of patients that you dealt with that contained personal information and personal health information.
- b) You retained those documents in your residence(s), and did not redact those documents for personally identifying information.
- c) In or about August 2019, you placed numerous documents containing the personal information and personal health information of other individuals in a plastic bag.
- d) That plastic bag was left outside your apartment building in Regina, Saskatchewan.
- e) You failed to take appropriate care to ensure the documents in the bag were disposed of in a secure and appropriate manner.