

BEFORE THE IOWA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

<p>RE: Massage Therapy License of</p> <p>QINGXIA HAO, License No. 113663</p>	<p>CASE NO. MT 24-0481</p> <p>AGREEMENT NOT TO PRACTICE</p>
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COME NOW the Iowa Board of Massage Therapy ("Board") and Qingxia Hao ("Licensee"), and enter into the following Agreement Not to Practice ("Agreement"):

1. Licensee holds Iowa license number 113663 to practice massage therapy, which is active and next expires April 15, 2026

2. Law Enforcement is currently investigating the Licensee for crimes including, but not limited to, money laundering, prostitution and sexual assault with intent to commit sex abuse.

3. In order to allow Licensee the opportunity to respond to the pending criminal investigation and possible criminal charges, and to meet the Board's interest in protecting the public in the absence of a disciplinary proceeding, the parties agree to the following:

- a. The Board will not pursue formal disciplinary charges against Licensee until the pending criminal investigation and charges are resolved.
- b. Licensee will not practice as a massage therapist or engage in any conduct that requires a license to practice massage therapy in the State of Iowa until the criminal charges are resolved. Following the disposition of the criminal charges against Licensee, Licensee will not practice massage therapy or engage in any conduct that requires a license to practice massage therapy in the State of Iowa, until further Order of the Board.
- c. Licensee understands this Agreement will result in Licensee's licensure status being changed to "Suspended" in the license database until further order of the Board.

4. Licensee is freely and voluntarily entering into this Agreement. By entering into this Agreement, Licensee is not making any admission of liability regarding the criminal investigation and/or criminal investigation or any other complaint pending before the Board.

5. Licensee understands this Agreement, when fully executed, is a public record and is available for inspection and copying in accordance with the requirements of Iowa Code chapters 22 and 272C.

6. Licensee understands the Board is required by federal law to report any adverse action to the National Practitioner Data Bank.

7. This Agreement is subject to approval by the Board. If the Board does not approve the Agreement, it shall be of no force or effect to either party.

8. Licensee understands the Board delegated the power to approve agreements to "stop practice" between the Board and a licensee suspending a licensee's license until further Board order at an upcoming Board meeting. Thus, this Agreement takes effect the date signed by the Board.

9. Should Licensee violate the terms of this Agreement, the Board may initiate action to impose other licensee discipline as authorized by Iowa Code chapters 147, 152C, and 272C and 481 IAC chapters 504 and 824.

1/7/2025

Date

Qingxia Hao

QINGXIA HAO
Licensee

This Agreement Not to Practice is approved by the Iowa Board of
Massage Therapy on January 21, 2025.

LeAnn Stevens

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Massage Therapy Board Chair

Copy to:

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