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Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency
Department of Consumer Affairs
Gavin Newsom, Governor



Date: September 29, 2025

Permit No.: Unlicensed Sterile Compounding

Names: Forever Young Pharmacy

Address: 6351 Corte Del Abeto #111 Carlsbad CA 92011

# **Authority for this Action**

Business and Professions Code Section 4316, subdivision (a), states, "the board, through its executive officer, is authorized to issue a cease and desist order for operating any facility under this chapter that requires licensure without obtaining that licensure." Subdivision (b) of that section provides that, whenever the board issues a cease and desist order, the Board must immediately issue the facility a notice setting forth the acts or omissions with which it is charged, specifying the pertinent code section or sections and any regulations.

Activities under this chapter that require licensure include those set forth in the following regulations:

Business and Professions Code section 4127.1(a) a pharmacy shall not compound sterile drug products unless the pharmacy has obtained a sterile compounding pharmacy license from the board pursuant to this section. The license shall be renewed annually and is not transferable.

### Acts or Omissions Upon Which this Action is Based

Forever Young Pharmacy, located in Carlsbad CA, is not licensed to compound sterile drug products. On 9/25/26, during a complaint inspection PIC Fredricksen admitted to compounding several sterile injectable products, including testosterone and other anabolic steroids. The inspection revealed raw materials for sterile compounding, including active pharmaceutical ingredients in a powder form, empty vials and caps used for sterile compounding, and vials of suspected sterile drug products.

### <u>Order</u>

On the basis of the foregoing, the Board, through its Executive Officer therefore ORDERS: Effective immediately, Forever Young Pharmacy, shall cease and desist practicing any activity under this chapter that requires licensure, including the compounding of sterile drug products.



# Unlicensed Entity's Right to be Heard and Procedure

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 4316, subdivision (c), within 15 days of receipt of this notice, Forever Young Pharmacy may request a hearing before the president of the Board to contest this cease and desist order. Any contest of the cease and desist order will comply with the requirements of Section 11425.10 of the Government Code, a copy of which is enclosed. Chapter 5 of the Administrative Procedures Act (commencing at Government Code Section 11500) does not apply to this proceeding. The hearing will be held no later than five (5) days from the date the owner's request for a hearing is received by the Board. The president will render a written decision within five (5) days of the hearing. In the absence of the president of the Board, the vice president of the Board may conduct the hearing permitted by this subdivision. Review of the decision of the president of the Board may be sought by the owner or person in possession or control of the pharmacy pursuant to Section 1094.5 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

California State Board of Pharmacy

By: Anne Sodergren, Executive Officer

Signed: Sodergren, Digitally signed by Sodergren, Anne@DCA Date: 2025.09.29
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Date: 9/29/2025

### Acknowledgement

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the above cease and desist order and notice.

By:

Date:

Please return a copy of this signed and acknowledged document to the Board of Pharmacy by fax to 916-574-8618 or via email to <a href="mailto:Christine.acosta@dca.ca.gov">Christine.acosta@dca.ca.gov</a>

#### Government Code 11425.10.

- (a) The governing procedure by which an agency conducts an adjudicative proceeding is subject to all of the following requirements:
- (1) The agency shall give the person to which the agency action is directed notice and an opportunity to be heard, including the opportunity to present and rebut evidence.
- (2) The agency shall make available to the person to which the agency action is directed a copy of the governing procedure, including a statement whether Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 11500) is applicable to the proceeding.
- (3) The hearing shall be open to public observation as provided in Section 11425.20.
- (4) The adjudicative function shall be separated from the investigative, prosecutorial, and advocacy functions within the agency as provided in Section 11425.30.
- (5) The presiding officer is subject to disqualification for bias, prejudice, or interest as provided in Section 11425.40.
- (6) The decision shall be in writing, be based on the record, and include a statement of the factual and legal basis of the decision as provided in Section 11425.50.
- (7) A decision may not be relied on as precedent unless the agency designates and indexes the decision as precedent as provided in Section 11425.60.
- (8) Ex parte communications shall be restricted as provided in Article 7 (commencing with Section 11430.10).
- (9) Language assistance shall be made available as provided in Article 8 (commencing with Section 11435.05) by an agency described in Section 11018 or 11435.15.
- (b) The requirements of this section apply to the governing procedure by which an agency conducts an adjudicative proceeding without further action by the agency, and prevail over a conflicting or inconsistent provision of the governing procedure, subject to Section 11415.20. The governing procedure by which an agency conducts an adjudicative proceeding may include provisions equivalent to, or more protective of the rights of the person to which the agency action is directed than, the requirements of this section.