



# DECISION 1

**Dr. Kevin Calzonetti**

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**ALLEGATION OF PROFESSIONAL MISCONDUCT**

- Treated a patient without consent (para. 7)

**BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF FACTS**

Dr. Calzonetti, an endodontist, autotransplanted one tooth into the socket of another on his patient without obtaining and documenting the patient's informed consent to the procedure, including discussion of the risks of treatment, available alternatives, the likelihood of success of the treatment and the relevant information of what to expect during the healing process following the procedure.

**DECISION****1. Finding**

The member pleaded guilty and was found guilty with respect to the above allegation of professional misconduct.

**2. Penalty**

- Reprimand
- One-on-one course on informed consent
- Recordkeeping course
- Practice to be monitored for 24 months

**3. Costs**

- Costs awarded to College in the amount \$10,000
- Member to pay monitoring costs

**PANEL'S REASONING**

- The penalty was a joint submission reached following a pre-hearing conference
- The penalty is in the appropriate range and adequately protects the public
- The penalty acts as a deterrent and sends a message to the profession that the failure to obtain and document the required informed consent will not be tolerated by the College
- The ongoing practice monitoring will greatly minimize the risk of this ever happening again in Dr. Calzonetti's practice
- The courses will help remediate the member
- Dr. Calzonetti had not previously appeared before the Discipline Committee and has admitted his conduct, which avoided a drawn out hearing. The misconduct occurred after the Inquiries, Complaints and Reports Committee had already cautioned the member on another complaint regarding informed consent and after he had undergone practice monitoring.