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King County dentist suspended due to lack of knowledge to practice safely

OLYMPIA — The Dental Commission immediately suspended the credential of Federal Way dentist Cynthia Leu-Yeh (DE00007993) based on concerns about her ability to practice with reasonable skill and safety.

Charges state that under a March 2014 commission order Leu-Yeh was required to complete a skills evaluation program. The order required Leu-Yeh to abide by all of the evaluators' recommended practice limitations and conditions. The evaluators allegedly found Leu-Yeh had significant levels of deficiency in multiple areas, and a panel unanimously concluded that she doesn't have the knowledge and/or judgment to treat patients safely. Leu-Yeh allegedly continued to practice dentistry in violation of the order.

The documents in this case can be seen online by clicking "[Look up a health care provider](#)" on the [Department of Health website](#). Copies can be requested by calling 360-236-4700. That number can also be used to file complaints against health care providers in Washington.

The Dental Commission protects public health and safety and promotes the welfare of the state by regulating the competency and quality of health care providers under its authority.

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