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Chelan Co. certified nursing and medical assistant licenses suspended due to sexual contact with a patient

OLYMPIA -- State health officials have suspended the license of certified nursing assistant (NC60449882) and registered medical assistant (MR60502921) Jorge Martinez pending further action.

Charges say Martinez had sexual contact with a patient. Martinez cannot practice in Washington until the charges are resolved. He has 20 days to respond to the charges and ask for a hearing.

The legal documents can be seen online by clicking [Provider Credential Search](#) on the [Department of Health website](#); copies can be requested by calling 360-236-4700. Anyone who believes a health care provider acted unprofessionally is encouraged to call and report their complaint.

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