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# LA doctor accused of sexual battery during exam

The Associated Press  
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LOS ANGELES—A doctor in Los Angeles has been arrested and charged with committing sexual battery on a patient in 2007 during a medical exam for federal immigration authorities.

The Medical Board of California said an investigation into Dr. Pez Abrahams led to Friday's arrest. Two felony sex charges were also filed against him.

In a licensing hearing, the board accused Abrahams of sexually assaulting a woman who was seeking vaccinations and to have her blood drawn as part of her U.S. citizenship exam.

Following that hearing, Abrahams' license was revoked in 2011, but the revocation was stayed and he was placed on probation for seven years.

Abrahams practiced in Winnetka in the San Fernando Valley.

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