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From a friend

After I saw the reports yesterday about Zach Smith and his sex toys/sex photos, I wanted to share this info:

in the summer of 2015, Zach Smith was placed by the medical director of the Ohio State University of Health System in the Sibcy House at Linder Center of Hope in Mason, Ohio. Its a residential treatment center. He was placed there we were told because of multiple substance abuse addictions and/or stimulant overuse or misuse and also to determine or rule out if he had a sex addiction. He was admitted on a Wednesday or Thursday (I dont remember the exact day) for a minimum 10 day stay but he left after only four days. He did not complete his treatment and patients are required to stay the 10 days and then we assess whether the patient should stay an additional 14, 21 or 28 days.

It was evident to me that he had no intention of completing the program or even taking it seriously. He remarked the first day that he was sure this would soon gonna hit the media. I browsed the internet and saw no mention of this. I was an employee of this facility and we treat a lot of high profile people. After reading about his issues at Ohio State it seems obvious something happened in summer of 2015 because something written on the internet said an OSU staff member was reassigned because she had sex with Zach in 2015. Based on the timing the school then sent Zach to rehab but he never completed it.

I wanted to pass this along because it didn't make sense to me why a school like Ohio State would keep him as a coach if he had all of these domestic violence issues didn't complete his rehab and the other things he reportedly did in the past several years. I can not reveal my name. I hope you understand. Thank you and God Bless.