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Medical Practice, Board of

http://mn.gov/health-licensing-boards/medical-practice/

AT A GLANCE

- 2,839 new credentials issued
- 27,235 active credentials
- 881 new complaints received
- 900 complaints resolved
- 400 credentialed professionals monitored under disciplinary order
- The Board is made up of 11 physicians and 5 public members appointed by the Governor.
- 22 FTE staff

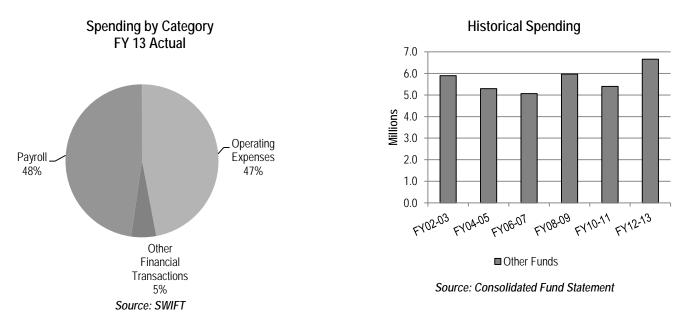
PURPOSE

The Board of Medical Practice established July 1, 1887, is mandated by M.S. 214 & M.S. 147.01 to protect the public from the unprofessional, improper, incompetent, and unlawful practice of medicine. Laws and regulations provide authority to grant and govern the subsequent use of credentials to practice medicine and six allied health professions: Acupuncturists, Athletic Trainers, Naturopaths, Physician Assistants, Respiratory Therapists and Traditional Midwives. The board carries out its mission by granting qualified applicants the privilege to practice in Minnesota and by investigating complaints relating to the competency or behavior of credentialed individuals.

The Board contributes to the statewide outcomes of:

- All Minnesotans have optimal health
- People in Minnesota are safe
- Efficient and accountable government services





Our agency is funded by fees paid for licensing, professional firm registration and annual reports, continuing education program approvals, and fines.

STRATEGIES

- The board regulates professional practice and enforces applicable laws and rules by issuing credentials, monitoring continuing
 professional education requirements, engaging in quality review and investigating complaints.
- The board ensures minimum standards of care through education and corrective or disciplinary actions against impaired or incompetent practitioners.

• The board provides information and education about licensure requirements and standards of practice to the public, the professions and other interested audiences.

RESULTS

Type of Measure	Name of Measure	Previous	Current	Dates
Quantity	Active credentials	24,953	27,235	FY 12, 13
Quantity	New complaints received	825	881	FY 12, 13
Quantity	Complaints resolved	792	900	FY 12, 13

Minnesota Statutes chapter 147 (<u>https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=147</u>) provides the Board of Medical Practice with legal authority to regulate medical practice for the purpose of public protection.

Medical Board Website: <u>http://mn.gov/health-licensing-boards/medical-practice/?agency=BMP</u> Medical Practice Act: http://mn.gov/health-licensing-boards/medical-practice/?agency=BMP

Licensure Statistics: http://mn.gov/health-licensing-boards/medical-practice/licensees/statistical-data/index.jsp

(Dollars in Thousands)

Expenditures By Fund

	Actu FY12	ual FY13	Actual FY14	Estimate FY15	Forecast FY16	Base FY17	Govern Recomme FY16	
1201 - Health Related Boards	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,551	3,945	3,945	3,973	4,002
2000 - Restricted Misc Special Rev	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Total	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,552	3,946	3,946	3,974	4,003
Biennial Change Biennial % Change				1,168 18		66 1		151 2
Governor's Change from Base Governor's % Change from Base								85 1
Expenditures by Program								
Program: Medical Practice Board of	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,552	3,946	3,946	3,974	4,003
Total	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,552	3,946	3,946	3,974	4,003
Expenditures by Category								
Compensation	1,582	1,690	1,551	1,571	1,602	1,605	1,630	1,662
Operating Expenses	1,460	1,685	1,691	2,960	2,323	2,320	2,323	2,320
Other Financial Transactions	54	188	32	21	21	21	21	21
Capital Outlay-Real Property		0	0					
Total	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,552	3,946	3,946	3,974	4,003
Full-Time Equivalents	22.4	22.5	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6

(Dollars in Thousands)

1201 - Health Related Boards

	Actu	al	Actual	Estimate	Forecas	Base	Goveri Recomme	
-	FY12	FY 13	FY 14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY16	FY17
Balance Forward In		784		646				
Direct Appropriation	3,866	4,064	3,867	3,905	3,905	3,905	3,933	3,962
Open Appropriation	14	0	0	0	40	40	40	40
Net Transfers		(159)	53					
Cancellations		1,127						
Expenditures	3,096	3,563	3,274	4,551	3,945	3,945	3,973	4,002
Balance Forward Out	784		646					
Biennial Change in Expenditures				1,167		65		150
Biennial % Change in Expenditures				18		1		2
Gov's Exp Change from Base								85
Gov's Exp % Change from Base								1
FTEs	22.4	22.5	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6

2000 - Restricted Misc Special Rev

	Actu FY12	al FY 13	Actual FY 14	Estimate FY15	Forecas FY16	t Base FY17	Govern Recomme FY16	
Receipts	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Expenditures	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Biennial Change in Expenditures				1		1		1
Biennial % Change in Expenditures						100		100
Gov's Exp Change from Base								0
Gov's Exp % Change from Base								0

FY16-17 Biennial Budget Change Item

Change Item Title: Operating Adjustment

Fiscal Impact (\$000s)	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
General Fund				
Expenditures	0	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0	0
Health Related Boards Fund				
Expenditures	28	57	57	57
Revenues	0	0	0	0
Net Fiscal Impact =	28	57	57	57
(Expenditures – Revenues)				
FTEs	0	0	0	0

Recommendation:

The Governor recommends additional funding for compensation related costs associated with the delivery of agency services. This amount represents an annual increase of 1.8% for General Fund compensation costs.

Rationale/Background:

Each year, compensation costs rise due to labor contract settlements, and changes in employer-paid contributions for insurance, FICA, Medicare, retirement, and other factors. Absorbing this increase in compensation costs within existing agency base appropriations results in reduced staffing and/or reduced non-compensation spending.

Proposal:

The Governor recommends increasing agencies' general fund budgets for employee wage and benefit costs by 1.8% per year for FY 2016-17. Agencies were instructed to include a 1.8% increase to total compensation each year in their base budgets, based upon the compound annual compensation spending rate increase per FTE over the last ten years for executive branch employees. This recommendation is intended to allow agencies to maintain their current level of agency operations.

For non-General Fund direct appropriated funds, the Governor's budget recommendations also include an adjustment of 1.8% per year, where the amount can be supported by the source of revenue.

Results:

This proposal is intended to allow agencies to continue to provide current levels of service and information to the public.

Statutory Change(s):

N.A.