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Summary of 2009 Board Actions

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## **Federation of State Medical Boards Summary of 2009 Board Actions**

Each year, the Federation of State Medical Boards publishes the *Summary of Board Actions*, a compilation of disciplinary actions initiated by its 70 member medical boards. In addition to providing disciplinary data, the report includes information about the context in which each board operates, including standards of proof required when prosecuting cases and the health care professions regulated.

This year's report includes disciplinary data for each board from 2005-09. During 2009, state medical boards took 5,721 actions against physicians, an increase of 342 actions over 2008. To view annual *Summary of Board Actions* reports since 1990, please go to "Physician Data Center" at [www.fsmb.org](http://www.fsmb.org).

Because states operate with different financial resources, levels of autonomy, legal constraints and staffing levels, the FSMB discourages using data from this report to compare or rank states. The *Summary of Board Actions* is most useful in tracking trends in physician discipline within each state over time. To assist in tracking disciplinary trends, the report includes the Composite Action Index. Designed by the FSMB, the CAI is a weighted average of disciplinary actions taken against physicians practicing in a state, as well as all physicians licensed by that state. Actions affecting physicians' licenses, such as revocations and suspensions, are weighted more heavily in a state's CAI. (For more detailed information on how the CAI is calculated, please see the Definitions section on page 3.)

The CAI is a barometer that can signal significant changes in a medical board's disciplinary activity level. Changes in a board's funding, staffing levels, changes in state law and many other factors can impact the number of actions taken by a board. Please note the validity of the CAI is limited in states that have total in-state physician licensee populations of less than 1,000.

We hope you will find this report useful in understanding the important work of state medical boards in protecting the public.

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### ***Summary of Board Actions Report Definitions***

**Loss of License or Licensed Privilege:** Includes revocation, suspension, surrender or mandatory retirement of license, or loss of privileges afforded by that license.

**Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege:** Includes probation, limitation, or restriction of license, or licensed privileges.

**Other Prejudicial Actions:** Modification of a physician's license, or the privileges granted by that license, that results in a penalty or reprimand, etc., to the physician.

**Non-Prejudicial Actions:** An action that does not result in modification or termination of a license or licensed privileges. This action is frequently administrative in nature, such as a reinstatement following disciplinary action.

**Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions:** This number refers to the total number of individual physicians against whom prejudicial actions have been taken within a jurisdiction. Because an individual physician may have two or more prejudicial actions, this number is usually less than the total number of prejudicial actions taken within a jurisdiction. Since some physicians hold licenses in more than one state, a total would not be an accurate reflection of the total number of physicians with prejudicial actions in the country because many physicians may have received prejudicial actions in all of the states where they hold a license.

**Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions:** This number refers to the total number of individual physicians against whom non-prejudicial actions have been taken within a jurisdiction. Because an individual physician may have two or more non-prejudicial actions, this number is usually less than the total number of non-prejudicial actions taken within a jurisdiction. Since some physicians hold licenses in more than one state, a total would not be an accurate reflection of the total number of physicians with non-prejudicial actions in the country because many physicians may have received non-prejudicial actions in all of the states where they hold a license.

**Total Number of Physicians with Actions:** This number refers to the total number of individual physicians against whom any type of actions have been taken within a jurisdiction. This number is not always equal to the combined sum of physicians with prejudicial actions and physicians with non-prejudicial actions because an individual physician receiving both prejudicial and a non-prejudicial actions in a jurisdiction is not counted twice. Since some physicians hold licenses in more than one state, a total would not be an accurate reflection of the total number of physicians with actions in the country because many physicians may have received actions in all of the states where they hold a license.

**Total Number of Licensed Physicians:** This number refers to the total number of

physicians who have been licensed to practice within a specific jurisdiction. Because not all physicians who are licensed to practice within a jurisdiction actually practice within that jurisdiction, this number is usually greater than the Total Number of Physicians Practicing In-State figure included in this report. Since some physicians hold licenses in more than one state, a total would not be an accurate reflection of the total number of licensed physicians in the country because many physicians would be counted more than once.

**Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State:** This number refers to the total number of physicians who are actually practicing within a specific jurisdiction. Because not all physicians who are licensed to practice within a jurisdiction actually practice within that jurisdiction, this number is usually less than the Total Number of Licensed Physicians.

**Composite Action Index:** The Composite Action Index (CAI) assists state medical boards in monitoring their disciplinary activity over time. It is not designed to be used in comparing boards to one another. The CAI is a weighted average of disciplinary action taken against physicians practicing in a state, as well as all physicians licensed by a state. Actions affecting physicians' licenses, such as revocations and suspensions, are weighted more heavily in computing a state's CAI.

**How the CAI is computed:**

1. A board's total number of actions is divided by the total number of licensed physicians in a state.
2. A board's total number of actions is divided by the total number of physicians practicing in state.
3. A board's total number of prejudicial actions is divided by the total number of physicians licensed by the state, whether they practice in the state or not.
4. A board's total number of prejudicial actions is divided by the total number of physicians practicing in the state.

A state medical board's CAI is determined by the average of lines one through four. Lines three and four are weighted more heavily to reflect the more serious nature of prejudicial actions.

**Professions Regulated by a Board:**

AT-athletic trainer; ACU-acupuncturist; ANA-anesthetist assistant; AUD-audiologist; BLD-biological lab director; CP-clinical perfusionist; CT-cosmetic therapist; CHI-chiropractor; CIS-cardiovascular invasive specialist; CPM-certified professional midwife; CPP-clinical pharmacist practitioners; DO-osteopathic physician; DEH-dental hygienist; DEI-dietician; ELE-electrologist; EMT-emergency medical technician; GC-Genetic counselors; HAD-hearing aid dispenser; HYP-hypnotherapist; ICU-mobile intensive care unit; LO-licensed orthotist; LP-licensed perfusionist; LPR-licensed prosthetist; LPED-licensed pedorthist; MA-medical assistant; MD-allopathic physician; MDX-MD X-ray

operator; MP-medical physicist; MR-medical resident; MT-massage therapist; MW-midwife; NA-nurse anesthetist; NAT-naturopath; ND-nutritionist; NM-nurse midwife; NP-nurse practitioner; OT-occupational therapist; OP-optometrist; OTA-occupational therapist assistant; ORT-orthotist; PA-physician assistant; PER-perfusionist; PT-physical therapist; PTA-physical therapist assistant; POD-podiatrist; POL-polysomnograph personnel; POM-Practitioner Oriental Medicine; PRO-prosthetist; RA-radiology assistant; RE- registered electrologist; RN-registered nurse; RAT-radiological technologist; RCP-respiratory care practitioner; RET-respiratory therapist; RIT-resident in training; RTL-radiological technologists limited; RPA-radiology practitioner assistant; RRT-radiological technician; SA-surgical assistant; SL-speech language pathologist; SLA-speech language pathologist assistant; SPA-Specialist Assistant

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners**  
 PO Box 946

Montgomery, AL 36101-0946  
<http://www.albme.org>  
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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition     15 / 15 MD

Board Meeting Frequency    1 Per Month

Standard of Proof Required    Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board    MD, DO, PA, AA

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	64	54	64	53	68
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	14	16	17	21	25
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	18	14	6	13	13
Other Prejudicial Actions	24	13	24	13	20
Total Prejudicial Actions	56	43	47	47	58
Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	11	17	6	10
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	49	39	44	43	47
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	11	17	6	12
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	55	48	60	47	55

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	15,179	14,558	15,190	14,464	14,423
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	10,518	10,183	10,066	9,921	9,955

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.22	3.71	4.21	3.66	4.71
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.08	5.30	6.36	5.34	6.83
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.69	2.95	3.09	3.25	4.02
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.32	4.22	4.67	4.74	5.83
Composite Action Index	4.83	4.05	4.58	4.25	5.35

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Alaska State Medical Board

550 W 7th Ave Ste 1500

Anchorage, AK 99501

<http://www.commerce.state.ak.us/occ/pmed.htm>

(907) 269-8163; Fax: (907) 269-8196

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 5 MD, 1 PA-C, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency 4 Times Each Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, DPM, PA-C, MICP

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	32	27	46	14	32
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	3	7	12	3	16
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	11	4	7	3	3
Other Prejudicial Actions	15	14	26	8	12
Total Prejudicial Actions	29	25	45	14	31
Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	2	1	0	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	27	25	43	13	29
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	2	1	0	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	29	26	44	13	29

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	3,157	2,796	2,979	2,614	2,756
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,644	1,569	1,603	1,531	1,516

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	10.14	9.66	15.44	5.36	11.61
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	19.46	17.21	28.70	9.14	21.11
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	9.19	8.94	15.11	5.36	11.25
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	17.64	15.93	28.07	9.14	20.45
Composite Action Index	14.11	12.94	21.83	7.25	16.11

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Arizona Bd of Osteopathic Examiners In Medicine & Surgery  
 9535 E Doubletree Ranch Rd  
 Scottsdale, AZ 85258-5572  
 www.azdo.gov  
 (480) 657-7703; Fax: (480) 657-7715

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      5 DO, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency      Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required      Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board      DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	10	11	18	20	22
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	4	2	1	4	4
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	5	8	13	11	5
Other Prejudicial Actions	1	0	2	2	5
Total Prejudicial Actions	10	10	16	17	14
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	1	2	3	8
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	9	8	15	15	13
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	1	2	4	8
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	9	9	17	17	19

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	2,469	2,330	2,208	2,110	1,960
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,755	1,685	1,598	1,522	1,427

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.05	4.72	8.15	9.48	11.22
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.70	6.53	11.26	13.14	15.42
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.05	4.29	7.25	8.06	7.14
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.70	5.93	10.01	11.17	9.81
Composite Action Index	4.87	5.37	9.17	10.46	10.90



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Arizona Medical Board  
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Scottsdale, AZ 85258-5514

<http://www.azmd.gov>

(480) 551-2700; Fax: (480) 551-2704

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 12 Members

Board Meeting Frequency Every Other Month

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	194	170	153	124	119
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	38	35	37	37	33
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	46	44	44	36	48
Other Prejudicial Actions	48	53	59	49	32
Total Prejudicial Actions	133	132	140	122	113
Non-Prejudicial Actions	61	38	13	2	6
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	119	114	120	105	97
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	61	38	15	2	7
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	163	137	127	107	101

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	20,539	19,923	19,329	18,616	17,832
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	12,499	14,579	11,168	12,174	11,673

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	9.45	8.53	7.92	6.66	6.67
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	15.52	11.66	13.70	10.19	10.19
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.48	6.63	7.24	6.55	6.34
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.64	9.05	12.54	10.02	9.68
Composite Action Index	10.52	8.97	10.35	8.36	8.22

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Arkansas State Medical Board

2100 Riverfront Dr

Little Rock, AR 72202-1747

<http://www.armedicalboard.org>

(501) 296-1802; Fax: (501) 296-1805

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 14 Members / 11 MD, 1 DO, 2 Consumer Reps.

Board Meeting Frequency Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, RT, OT, OT-A, RPA, RA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	24	30	32	46	36
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	14	15	13	24	18
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	3	5	4	11	8
Other Prejudicial Actions	5	9	12	11	9
Total Prejudicial Actions	22	29	29	46	35
Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	1	3	0	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	19	24	25	31	23
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	2	5	1	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	19	24	26	31	23

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	8,595	8,426	8,404	8,346	8,183
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	5,772	5,697	5,680	5,599	5,510

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.79	3.56	3.81	5.51	4.40
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.16	5.27	5.63	8.22	6.53
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.56	3.44	3.45	5.51	4.28
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.81	5.09	5.11	8.22	6.35
Composite Action Index	3.33	4.34	4.50	6.87	5.39

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**Osteopathic Medical Board of California**  
 1300 National Dr Ste 150

Sacramento, CA 95834-1991  
 www.ombc.ca.gov  
 (916) 928-8390; Fax: (916) 928-8392

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition     9 / 5 DO, 2 Public, 2 ND

Board Meeting Frequency    3-4 Times A Year

Standard of Proof Required    Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board    DO

<b>Board Actions</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2005</b>
Total Actions	26	14	9	24	23
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	13	3	3	11	3
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	8	8	1	8	11
Other Prejudicial Actions	4	2	3	3	7
Total Prejudicial Actions	25	13	7	22	21
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	2	2	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	22	12	7	20	16
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	2	2	2
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	23	13	9	22	18

<b>Physician Population</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2005</b>
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	5,543	5,285	4,976	4,626	4,389
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,100	3,837	3,579	3,274	3,089

<b>Composite Action Index</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2005</b>
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.69	2.65	1.81	5.19	5.24
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.34	3.65	2.51	7.33	7.45
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.51	2.46	1.41	4.76	4.78
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.10	3.39	1.96	6.72	6.80
Composite Action Index	5.41	3.04	1.92	6.00	6.07

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Medical Board of California  
2005 Evergreen St Ste 1200

Sacramento, CA 95815-5401

<http://www.mbc.ca.gov/>

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15/8 MD, 7 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board MD

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	559	513	544	547	624
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	171	158	187	181	218
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	145	106	133	120	145
Other Prejudicial Actions	135	144	142	149	155
Total Prejudicial Actions	451	408	462	450	518
Non-Prejudicial Actions	108	105	82	97	106
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	386	359	404	394	427
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	110	108	82	95	103
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	475	449	470	460	504

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	127,076	125,549	124,158	122,684	120,436
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	100,451	98,701	97,141	95,547	93,501

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.40	4.09	4.38	4.46	5.18
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.56	5.20	5.60	5.72	6.67
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.55	3.25	3.72	3.67	4.30
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.49	4.13	4.76	4.71	5.54
Composite Action Index	4.50	4.17	4.62	4.64	5.42

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Colorado Board of Medical Examiners

1560 Broadway Ste 1300

Denver, CO 80202-5151

<http://www.dora.state.co.us/medical/>

(303) 894-7690; Fax: (303) 894-7692

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 13 / 7 MD, 2 DO, 4 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	192	145	166	152	153
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	52	45	50	29	30
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	32	29	25	28	54
Other Prejudicial Actions	80	43	59	62	44
Total Prejudicial Actions	164	117	134	119	128
Non-Prejudicial Actions	28	28	32	33	25
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	151	110	120	114	112
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	29	29	34	34	29
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	166	126	148	139	130

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	17,343	17,457	16,319	19,392	15,172
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	13,255	12,058	12,535	13,325	11,876

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	11.07	8.31	10.17	7.84	10.08
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	14.49	12.03	13.24	11.41	12.88
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	9.46	6.70	8.21	6.14	8.44
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	12.37	9.70	10.69	8.93	10.78
Composite Action Index	11.85	9.18	10.58	8.58	10.55

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Connecticut Medical Examining Board

PO Box 340308

Hartford, CT 06134-0438

<http://www.dph.state.ct.us>

(860) 509-7648; Fax: (860) 509-7553

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	55	42	35	56	69
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	13	11	14	18	13
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	15	16	13	16	23
Other Prejudicial Actions	26	13	8	20	33
Total Prejudicial Actions	54	40	35	54	69
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	2	0	2	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	52	38	29	48	67
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	2	0	3	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	52	38	29	49	67

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	16,557	16,238	15,809	15,440	15,033
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	11,987	11,835	11,649	11,455

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.32	2.59	2.21	3.63	4.59
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	3.50	2.96	4.81	6.02
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.26	2.46	2.21	3.50	4.59
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	3.34	2.96	4.64	6.02
Composite Action Index	3.29	2.97	2.59	4.15	5.31

# Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Delaware Board of Medical Practice

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Dover, DE 19903

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## Board Information

Board Size/Composition 16 / 11 MD, 5 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 10 Annually

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, Respiratory Care Practitioners, Acupuncture Practitioners, Paramedics

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	11	10	14	13	5
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	3	2	9	6	1
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	2	4	1	3	3
Other Prejudicial Actions	4	4	3	4	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	9	10	13	13	5
Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	0	1	0	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	8	10	12	13	4
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	0	1	0	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	10	10	13	13	4

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	4,540	4,675	4,298	4,444	4,105
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	2,041	2,035	2,295	2,288	2,170

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.42	2.14	3.26	2.93	1.22
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.39	4.91	6.10	5.68	2.30
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.98	2.14	3.02	2.93	1.22
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.41	4.91	5.66	5.68	2.30
Composite Action Index	3.55	3.53	4.51	4.31	1.76

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District of Columbia Board of Medicine

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Washington, DC 20005-3212

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(202) 724-4900; Fax: (202) 724-8677

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 11

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, AA, SA, PA, Acupuncturists and Naturopathic Physicians

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	27	35	33	28	17
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	9	11	18	9	7
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	7	8	5	7	4
Other Prejudicial Actions	6	12	7	5	4
Total Prejudicial Actions	22	31	30	21	15
Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	4	3	7	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	18	29	29	21	14
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	6	3	7	3
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	22	31	31	26	16

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	9,353	8,554	9,115	8,055	9,076
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,602	4,315	4,228	4,194	2,727

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.89	4.09	3.62	3.48	1.87
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.87	8.11	7.81	6.68	6.23
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.35	3.62	3.29	2.61	1.65
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.78	7.18	7.10	5.01	5.50
Composite Action Index	3.97	5.75	5.46	4.45	3.81



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Florida Board of Medicine  
4052 Bald Cypress Way BIN C03

Tallahassee, FL 32399-7017

<http://www.doh.state.fl.us>

(850) 245-4131; Fax: (850) 488-9325

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15 Members / 12 MD, 3 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 7 Meetings

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, ANA, DEI, ND, ELE

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	272	251	351	546	901
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	88	70	113	88	137
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	17	36	45	25	45
Other Prejudicial Actions	166	132	192	421	690
Total Prejudicial Actions	271	238	350	534	872
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	13	1	12	29
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	256	221	334	514	815
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	13	2	11	37
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	257	231	335	523	834

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	60,006	58,949	57,130	56,480	53,556
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	43,246	43,220	42,503	43,533	41,505

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.53	4.26	6.14	9.67	16.82
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.29	5.81	8.26	12.54	21.71
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.52	4.04	6.13	9.45	16.28
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.27	5.51	8.23	12.27	21.01
Composite Action Index	5.40	4.90	7.19	10.98	18.96

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Florida Board of Osteopathic Medicine

4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C06

Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256

<http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/osteopath/index.html>

(850) 245-4161; Fax: (850) 921-6184

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 7 Total (5 DO & 2 Consumer Members)

Board Meeting Frequency Approximately 4 Times Per Year

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board DO, Physician Assistants, Anesthesiology Assistants

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	16	54	50	51	32
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	6	20	11	18	6
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	9	7	8	7
Other Prejudicial Actions	9	24	32	25	17
Total Prejudicial Actions	16	53	50	51	30
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	1	0	0	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	16	45	48	47	27
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	2	0	0	2
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	16	46	48	47	28

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	5,173	5,407	5,710	4,855	4,598
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,983	3,809	4,100	3,536	3,474

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.09	9.99	8.76	10.50	6.96
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.02	14.18	12.20	14.42	9.21
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.09	9.80	8.76	10.50	6.52
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.02	13.91	12.20	14.42	8.64
Composite Action Index	3.56	11.97	10.48	12.46	7.83

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Georgia Composite Medical Board

2 Peachtree St NW 36th Fl

Atlanta, GA 30303-3141

[www.medicalboard.georgia.gov/](http://www.medicalboard.georgia.gov/)

(404) 656-3913; Fax: (404) 656-9723

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15 / 11 MD, 2 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, Resp Care, PER, ACU, ORT, Prosthetist, Residents

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	132	110	100	128	156
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	25	27	31	23	45
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	47	27	27	34	36
Other Prejudicial Actions	35	24	24	49	52
Total Prejudicial Actions	107	78	82	106	133
Non-Prejudicial Actions	25	32	18	22	23
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	102	79	72	109	123
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	25	33	20	22	24
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	124	98	89	119	143

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	29,238	28,927	27,770	27,214	27,529
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	18,422	20,545	NR	17,513	19,921

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.51	3.80	3.60	4.70	5.67
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.17	5.35	NA	7.31	7.83
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.66	2.70	2.95	3.90	4.83
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.81	3.80	NA	6.05	6.68
Composite Action Index	5.29	3.91	3.28	5.49	6.25

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Guam Board of Medical Examiners  
 651 Legacy Square Commercial Complex  
 South Route 10 Ste 9  
 Mangilao, GU 96913-6304  
 (671) 475-0251; Fax: (671) 477-4733

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition     7 / 6 MD, 1 Public

Board Meeting Frequency     Monthly

Standard of Proof Required     Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board     MD, DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

# Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Hawaii Medical Board

PO Box 3469

Honolulu, HI 96813

<http://www.hawaii.gov/dcca/pvl>

(808) 586-3000; Fax: (808) 586-2874

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## Board Information

Board Size/Composition 11

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, EMT-B, EMT-P

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	29	31	26	24	19
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	14	12	8	18	11
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	8	11	6	3	4
Other Prejudicial Actions	7	8	10	3	4
Total Prejudicial Actions	29	31	24	24	19
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	2	0	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	29	31	23	24	19
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	2	0	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	29	31	25	24	19

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	8,547	7,943	8,087	7,533	7,908
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,328	4,107	4,111	3,904	3,965

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.39	3.90	3.22	3.19	2.40
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.70	7.55	6.32	6.15	4.79
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.39	3.90	2.97	3.19	2.40
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.70	7.55	5.84	6.15	4.79
Composite Action Index	5.05	5.73	4.59	4.67	3.60

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Idaho State Board of Medicine

1755 Westgate Dr Ste 140

Boise, ID 83704-7190

[www.bom.state.id.us](http://www.bom.state.id.us)

(208) 327-7000; Fax: (208) 327-7005

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 5 MD, 1 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, AT, DEI, POL, RET

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	19	29	27	16	21
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	3	3	1	5	10
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	4	10	7	3	2
Other Prejudicial Actions	3	9	7	7	8
Total Prejudicial Actions	10	22	15	15	20
Non-Prejudicial Actions	9	7	12	1	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	10	22	13	15	18
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	9	7	12	1	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	16	28	22	15	18

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	4,822	4,615	4,314	4,075	4,121
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,024	2,910	2,854	3,685	2,855

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.94	6.28	6.26	3.93	5.10
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.28	9.97	9.46	4.34	7.36
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.07	4.77	3.48	3.68	4.85
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.31	7.56	5.26	4.07	7.01
Composite Action Index	3.90	7.14	6.12	4.01	6.08

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Illinois Department of Financial & Professional Regulation  
 State Medical Disciplinary Board  
 100 W Randolph St Ste 9-300 Thompson Ctr  
 Chicago, IL 60601  
 www.idfpr.com  
 (312) 814-5903; Fax: (312) 814-3145

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 18 / 10 MD, 2 DO, 4 Public, 2 DC

Board Meeting Frequency Disciplinary Board - Biweekly; Licensing Board - Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, CHI

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	241	210	252	242	281
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	121	99	122	134	173
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	46	46	48	38	38
Other Prejudicial Actions	44	40	57	41	35
Total Prejudicial Actions	211	185	227	213	246
Non-Prejudicial Actions	30	25	25	29	35
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	196	168	211	205	222
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	32	25	28	29	35
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	222	188	230	224	239

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	43,670	41,254	43,296	41,082	38,258
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	35,852	34,447	35,232	34,276	32,713

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.52	5.09	5.82	5.89	7.34
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.72	6.10	7.15	7.06	8.59
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.83	4.48	5.24	5.18	6.43
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.89	5.37	6.44	6.21	7.52
Composite Action Index	5.74	5.26	6.16	6.09	7.47

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Medical Licensing Board of Indiana

402 W Washington St Rm W072

Indianapolis, IN 46204-2298

<http://www.in.gov/pla/medical>

(317) 234-2060; Fax: (317) 233-4236

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 7 /5 MD, 1 DO, 1 Consumer Member

Board Meeting Frequency 11 Times Per Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, ACU, PT, PA, RT, OT, HAD, HYP

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	86	62	66	67	66
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	31	16	27	35	41
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	33	23	19	11	14
Other Prejudicial Actions	8	11	8	16	4
Total Prejudicial Actions	72	50	54	62	59
Non-Prejudicial Actions	14	12	12	5	7
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	58	42	44	58	53
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	14	12	12	5	8
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	71	54	55	63	59

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	24,888	25,931	24,192	25,340	24,260
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	17,054	18,168	16,258	16,510	14,274

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.46	2.39	2.73	2.64	2.72
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.04	3.41	4.06	4.06	4.62
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.89	1.93	2.23	2.45	2.43
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.22	2.75	3.32	3.76	4.13
Composite Action Index	3.90	2.62	3.09	3.23	3.48



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Iowa Board of Medicine

400 SW 8th St Ste C

Des Moines, IA 50309-4619

<http://medicalboard.iowa.gov/>

(515) 242-3268; Fax: (515) 242-5908

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 5 MD, 2 DO, 3 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Every 6 to 8 Weeks

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, ACU

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	48	46	53	66	54
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	9	12	18	19	13
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	20	20	11	23	17
Other Prejudicial Actions	9	7	16	16	16
Total Prejudicial Actions	38	39	45	58	46
Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	7	8	8	8
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	37	35	43	53	44
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	7	8	8	8
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	47	41	49	60	52

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	10,375	10,229	10,080	9,915	9,876
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	6,340	6,279	6,174	6,083	6,058

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.63	4.50	5.26	6.66	5.47
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.57	7.33	8.58	10.85	8.91
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.66	3.81	4.46	5.85	4.66
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.99	6.21	7.29	9.53	7.59
Composite Action Index	5.46	5.46	6.40	8.22	6.66

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

235 S Topeka Blvd

Topeka, KS 66603-3068

www.ksbha.org

(785) 296-7413; Fax: (785) 296-0852

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition	<u>15</u>
Board Meeting Frequency	<u>Every Other Month</u>
Standard of Proof Required	<u>Clear and Convincing</u>
Professions Regulated by Board	<u>DC, MD, DO, PT, DPM, PTA, PA, RT, OT, OTA, ND, AT, LRT, Contact Lens Distributors</u>

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	64	98	47	50	38
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	12	20	11	11	17
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	14	9	4	5	5
Other Prejudicial Actions	17	37	21	26	7
Total Prejudicial Actions	43	66	36	42	29
Non-Prejudicial Actions	21	32	11	8	9
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	40	63	35	42	24
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	21	32	14	9	9
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	52	74	42	45	32

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	10,462	10,398	10,278	10,052	10,123
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	7,915	7,771	7,324	7,053	6,917

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.12	9.42	4.57	4.97	3.75
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.09	12.61	6.42	7.09	5.49
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.11	6.35	3.50	4.18	2.86
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.43	8.49	4.92	5.95	4.19
Composite Action Index	5.94	9.22	4.85	5.55	4.07

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure

Hurstborne Office Park

310 Whittington Pkwy Ste 1B

Louisville, KY 40222-4927

[www.kbml.ky.gov](http://www.kbml.ky.gov)

(502) 429-7150; Fax: (502) 429-7158

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15 Members / 7 MD, 1 DO, 3 Citizens at Large

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, AT, PA, SA, ACU

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	126	111	116	94	96
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	24	15	41	25	36
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	34	38	42	37	36
Other Prejudicial Actions	37	36	15	16	10
Total Prejudicial Actions	95	89	98	78	82
Non-Prejudicial Actions	31	22	18	16	14
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	80	78	82	67	67
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	31	21	20	20	16
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	103	94	92	79	75

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	15,175	14,913	14,365	13,875	13,623
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	10,258	9,513	9,446	9,246	9,377

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	8.30	7.44	8.08	6.77	7.05
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	12.28	11.67	12.28	10.17	10.24
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.26	5.97	6.82	5.62	6.02
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.26	9.36	10.37	8.44	8.74
Composite Action Index	9.03	8.61	9.39	7.75	8.01

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners  
PO Box 30250

New Orleans, LA 70190-0250  
www.lsbme.la.gov  
(504) 568-6820; Fax: (504) 568-8893

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	7 / 7 MD
Board Meeting Frequency	Ten Meetings Per Year
Standard of Proof Required	Preponderance of the Evidence
Professions Regulated by Board	ACA, ACU, ADS, ATH, CDTM, CEP, DO, DMP, LRT, MD, MDW, OTA, OTT, PA, PEF, POD, POLYTCH, POLYTHN, PRT

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	98	90	65	84	64
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	36	27	17	33	23
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	35	41	29	35	31
Other Prejudicial Actions	10	2	8	3	3
Total Prejudicial Actions	81	70	54	71	57
Non-Prejudicial Actions	17	20	11	13	7
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	65	55	47	65	48
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	19	20	10	14	10
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	81	72	55	76	55

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	16,360	15,869	15,613	15,476	15,886
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	11,334	10,882	10,430	10,297	11,221

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.99	5.67	4.16	5.43	4.03
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.65	8.27	6.23	8.16	5.70
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.95	4.41	3.46	4.59	3.59
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.15	6.43	5.18	6.90	5.08
Composite Action Index	6.68	6.20	4.76	6.27	4.60

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Maine Board of Licensure In Medicine

137 State House Station

Augusta, ME 04333-0137

[www.docboard.org/me/me\\_home.htm](http://www.docboard.org/me/me_home.htm)

(207) 287-3601; Fax: (207) 287-6590

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 9 / 6 MD, 3 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board Allopathic MD, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	22	36	25	29	15
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	8	13	10	10	5
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	6	10	3	10	2
Other Prejudicial Actions	6	5	4	6	5
Total Prejudicial Actions	20	28	17	26	12
Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	8	8	3	3
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	15	24	14	23	11
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	7	7	3	3
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	16	29	20	24	14

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	5,048	4,836	5,226	5,506	5,539
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,492	3,336	3,324	2,482	3,116

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.36	7.44	4.78	5.27	2.71
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.30	10.79	7.52	11.68	4.81
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.96	5.79	3.25	4.72	2.17
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.73	8.39	5.11	10.48	3.85
Composite Action Index	5.09	8.10	5.17	8.04	3.39

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Maine Board of Osteopathic Licensure

142 State House Station

Augusta, ME 04333-0142

[www.maine.gov/osteo/](http://www.maine.gov/osteo/)

(207) 287-2480; Fax: (207) 287-3015

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 9 Members

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	7	12	7	7	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	1	1	0	0	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	3	4	5	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	2	4	2	1	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	4	8	6	6	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	4	1	1	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	3	8	5	5	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	4	1	1	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	6	12	6	6	NR

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	793	769	747	706	680
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	621	618	590	564	527

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	8.83	15.60	9.37	9.92	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	11.27	19.42	11.86	12.41	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.04	10.40	8.03	8.50	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.44	12.95	10.17	10.64	NA
Composite Action Index	7.90	14.59	9.86	10.37	NA

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Maryland Board of Physicians

4201 Patterson Ave 4th Fl

Baltimore, MD 21215

<http://www.mbp.state.md.us/>

(410) 764-4777; Fax: (410) 358-2252

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 21 / 13 MD, 1 DO, 5 Consumer, 1 PA

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, RCP, POL, RRT, RA, AT, RT

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	114	87	81	78	81
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	38	29	37	43	38
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	34	30	19	18	22
Other Prejudicial Actions	32	18	13	4	8
Total Prejudicial Actions	104	77	69	65	68
Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	10	12	13	13
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	97	69	57	57	61
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	17	14	15	15
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	106	79	68	66	74

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	26,396	25,534	25,080	24,462	23,910
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	17,588	17,348	17,194	16,933	16,376

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.32	3.41	3.23	3.19	3.39
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.48	5.02	4.71	4.61	4.95
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.94	3.02	2.75	2.66	2.84
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.91	4.44	4.01	3.84	4.15
Composite Action Index	5.16	3.97	3.68	3.58	3.83

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Massachusetts Board of Registration In Medicine  
 200 Harvard Mill Sq Ste 330  
 Wakefield, MA 01880-3238  
<http://www.massmedboard.org>  
 (781) 876-8200; Fax:

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      7 Members / 5 MD, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency      Semimonthly

Standard of Proof Required      Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board      MD, DO, ACU

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	84	108	110	142	121
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	31	43	54	60	63
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	21	24	23	40	31
Other Prejudicial Actions	21	22	19	29	19
Total Prejudicial Actions	73	89	96	129	113
Non-Prejudicial Actions	11	19	14	13	8
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	62	83	80	104	92
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	12	24	16	14	9
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	72	95	92	115	98

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	38,111	31,875	36,160	36,161	33,392
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	36,748	28,586	30,385	32,488	28,596

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.20	3.39	3.04	3.93	3.62
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	2.29	3.78	3.62	4.37	4.23
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.92	2.79	2.65	3.57	3.38
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	1.99	3.11	3.16	3.97	3.95
Composite Action Index	2.10	3.27	3.12	3.96	3.80



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Michigan Board of Medicine

PO Box 30670

Lansing, MI 48909-8170

<http://www.michigan.gov/healthlicense>

(517) 335-0918; Fax: (517) 373-2179

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 19 / 10 MD, 1 PA, 8 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	120	106	110	114	110
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	44	55	41	49	42
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	23	14	28	21	23
Other Prejudicial Actions	35	23	24	20	26
Total Prejudicial Actions	102	92	93	90	91
Non-Prejudicial Actions	18	14	17	24	19
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	94	82	88	80	82
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	18	17	18	24	19
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	110	92	102	98	93

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	35,911	31,802	31,545	30,988	30,575
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	23,264	23,450	22,840	22,545	22,066

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.34	3.33	3.49	3.68	3.60
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.16	4.52	4.82	5.06	4.99
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.84	2.89	2.95	2.90	2.98
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.38	3.92	4.07	3.99	4.12
Composite Action Index	3.93	3.67	3.83	3.91	3.92

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**Michigan Board of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery**  
**PO Box 30670**

Lansing, MI 48909-8170  
<http://www.michigan.gov/healthlicense>  
 (517) 335-9018; Fax: (517) 373-2179

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 11 / 7 MD, 1 PA, 3 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO, PA

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	48	36	39	28	47
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	8	16	10	9	16
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	17	7	19	7	16
Other Prejudicial Actions	13	8	6	8	11
Total Prejudicial Actions	38	31	35	24	43
Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	5	4	4	4
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	35	24	27	24	36
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	10	6	5	4	4
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	42	26	30	27	37

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	7,760	6,648	6,549	6,443	6,376
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	5,400	5,286	5,297	4,986	5,205

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.19	5.42	5.96	4.35	7.37
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.89	6.81	7.36	5.62	9.03
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.90	4.66	5.34	3.72	6.74
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.04	5.86	6.61	4.81	8.26
Composite Action Index	6.75	5.69	6.32	4.63	7.85

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Minnesota Board of Medical Practice

2829 University Ave SE Ste 500

Minneapolis, MN 55414-3246

<http://www.bmp.state.mn.us/>

(612) 617-2130; Fax: (612) 617-2166

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 16 / 10 MD, 1 DO, 5 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 6 Times Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, AT, Respiratory Care Therapist, ACU, MW, NAT

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	60	45	44	43	67
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	6	7	7	7	10
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	20	9	8	11	19
Other Prejudicial Actions	9	16	10	8	16
Total Prejudicial Actions	35	32	25	26	45
Non-Prejudicial Actions	25	13	19	17	22
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	32	28	23	25	42
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	25	14	19	18	25
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	54	39	40	40	63

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	19,641	19,198	18,700	18,213	17,609
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	15,205	14,892	14,545	14,184	13,678

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.05	2.34	2.35	2.36	3.80
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.95	3.02	3.03	3.03	4.90
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.78	1.67	1.34	1.43	2.56
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	2.30	2.15	1.72	1.83	3.29
Composite Action Index	2.77	2.30	2.11	2.16	3.64

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure  
 1867 Crane Ridge Dr Ste 200-B  
 Jackson, MS 39216  
 www.msbml.state.ms.us  
 (601) 987-3079; Fax: (601) 987-4159

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 9 / 8 MD, 1 DO

Board Meeting Frequency Every Other Month

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, DPH, PA, RA, ACU

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	21	23	16	11	20
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	9	14	7	6	9
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	4	5	2	1	2
Other Prejudicial Actions	4	2	5	2	3
Total Prejudicial Actions	17	21	14	9	14
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	2	2	2	6
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	17	19	13	8	12
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	2	2	2	6
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	21	21	15	9	17

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	8,913	8,702	8,800	8,653	8,476
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	5,541	5,463	5,486	5,425	5,383

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.36	2.64	1.82	1.27	2.36
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.79	4.21	2.92	2.03	3.72
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.91	2.41	1.59	1.04	1.65
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.07	3.84	2.55	1.66	2.60
Composite Action Index	2.78	3.28	2.22	1.50	2.58

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Missouri Board of Registration For the Healing Arts  
 PO Box 4

Jefferson City, MO 65109-7111  
 www.pr.mo.gov/healingarts.asp  
 (573) 751-0098; Fax: (573) 751-3166

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 9 / 5 MD, 3 DO, 1 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 6 Weeks

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, PT, PTA, SLP, SLA, AUD, AA, PER, AT, ANA

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	77	83	63	103	97
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	27	36	18	25	32
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	19	18	22	37	16
Other Prejudicial Actions	12	10	10	20	16
Total Prejudicial Actions	58	64	50	82	64
Non-Prejudicial Actions	19	19	13	21	33
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	56	59	46	71	57
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	19	20	13	22	34
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	67	72	58	90	83

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	22,942	22,410	21,874	21,756	21,908
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	15,545	14,812	14,506	14,376	14,402

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.36	3.70	2.88	4.73	4.43
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.95	5.60	4.34	7.16	6.74
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.53	2.86	2.29	3.77	2.92
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.73	4.32	3.45	5.70	4.44
Composite Action Index	3.64	4.12	3.24	5.34	4.63

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Montana Board of Medical Examiners

PO Box 200513

Helena, MT 59620-0513

[www.medicalboard.mt.gov](http://www.medicalboard.mt.gov)

(406) 841-2364; Fax: (406) 841-2305

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 12 Members / 5 MD, 1 DO, 1 POD, 1 ND, 1 PA, 1 EMT, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency 6 Times a Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, ACU, POD, NUT, EMT, DO

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	7	7	12	10	11
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	5	7	8	8	8
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	2	0	3	1	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	0	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	7	7	11	9	9
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	1	1	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	7	7	10	9	9
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	1	1	2
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	7	7	11	10	11

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	4,334	4,173	4,172	4,072	3,982
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,912	3,727	2,396	3,594	2,246

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.62	1.68	2.88	2.46	2.76
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	1.79	1.88	5.01	2.78	4.90
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.62	1.68	2.64	2.21	2.26
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	1.79	1.88	4.59	2.50	4.01
Composite Action Index	1.70	1.78	3.78	2.49	3.48

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**Nebraska Board of Medicine & Surgery**  
 PO Box 94986

Lincoln, NE 68509-4986

[www.dhhs.ne.gov](http://www.dhhs.ne.gov)

(402) 471-2118; Fax: (402) 471-8614

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      8 Members / 5 MD, 1 DO, 2 Consumers

Board Meeting Frequency      7 Times a Year

Standard of Proof Required      Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board      MD, DO, PA, ACU, Perfusion

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	69	32	52	55	58
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	4	8	10	12	18
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	16	12	11	12	13
Other Prejudicial Actions	47	11	31	30	21
Total Prejudicial Actions	67	31	52	54	52
Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	1	0	1	6
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	63	28	48	50	47
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	3	1	0	1	6
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	65	29	48	51	51

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	7,833	7,197	7,123	6,543	6,569
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,216	4,061	4,040	3,689	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	8.81	4.45	7.30	8.41	8.83
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	16.37	7.88	12.87	14.91	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	8.55	4.31	7.30	8.25	7.92
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	15.89	7.63	12.87	14.64	NA
Composite Action Index	12.41	6.07	10.09	11.55	8.38

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine  
 901 American Pacific Dr #180  
 Henderson, NV 89014  
 www.osteo.state.nv.us  
 (702) 732-2147; Fax: (702) 732-2079

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      7 Members / 5 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency      Monthly

Standard of Proof Required      Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board      DO, PA

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	5	6	0	2	3
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	2	1	0	0	3
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	0	0	0	2	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	2	4	0	0	0
Total Prejudicial Actions	4	5	0	2	3
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	0	0	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	4	5	0	2	3
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	0	0	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	5	6	0	2	3

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	760	692	713	627	739
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	478	692	527	407	419

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.58	8.67	NA	3.19	4.06
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.46	8.67	NA	4.91	7.16
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.26	7.23	NA	3.19	4.06
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.37	7.23	NA	4.91	7.16
Composite Action Index	7.67	7.95	NA	4.05	5.61



**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners  
 PO Box 7238

Reno, NV 89510  
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 (775) 688-2559; Fax: (775) 688-2321

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 9 Members / 6 MD and 3 Public Member

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA , Respiratory Therapists and Perfusionists

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	32	26	24	20	18
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	6	10	8	7	11
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	7	10	7	1	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	18	5	9	11	7
Total Prejudicial Actions	31	25	24	19	18
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	0	1	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	28	22	22	19	17
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	1	0	1	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	29	22	22	20	17

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	6,065	NR	6,631	6,610	5,935
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,513	NR	4,341	4,335	4,026

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.28	NA	3.62	3.03	3.03
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.09	NA	5.53	4.61	4.47
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.11	NA	3.62	2.87	3.03
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.87	NA	5.53	4.38	4.47
Composite Action Index	6.09	NA	4.58	3.72	3.75

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

New Hampshire Board of Medicine

2 Industrial Park Dr Ste 8

Concord, NH 03301-8520

[www.nh.gov/medicine](http://www.nh.gov/medicine)

(603) 271-1203; Fax: (603) 271-6702

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 11 / 6 Physicians, 1 PA & 3 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency Once Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	16	7	13	18	26
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	6	4	8	8	12
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	1	2	4	5
Other Prejudicial Actions	9	1	2	6	7
Total Prejudicial Actions	16	6	12	18	24
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	1	1	0	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	16	6	12	16	23
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	2	1	0	2
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	16	7	13	16	24

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	5,748	5,605	5,325	5,140	4,981
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,851	3,751	3,619	3,509	3,429

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.78	1.25	2.44	3.50	5.22
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.15	1.87	3.59	5.13	7.58
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.78	1.07	2.25	3.50	4.82
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.15	1.60	3.32	5.13	7.00
Composite Action Index	3.47	1.45	2.90	4.32	6.16

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners**  
**PO Box 183**

Trenton, NJ 08625-0183  
[www.state.nj.us/lps/ca/medical.htm#bme5](http://www.state.nj.us/lps/ca/medical.htm#bme5)  
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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	21
Board Meeting Frequency	Monthly
Standard of Proof Required	Preponderance of the Evidence
Professions Regulated by Board	MD, DO, DPM, MW, AT, PA, BLD, HAD, ELE, PER

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	115	115	111	102	98
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	60	51	59	55	37
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	24	29	20	29	27
Other Prejudicial Actions	19	20	23	11	16
Total Prejudicial Actions	103	100	103	95	80
Non-Prejudicial Actions	12	15	8	7	18
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	95	95	95	84	70
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	12	14	8	9	18
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	107	106	104	90	87

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	33,783	66,409	50,372	33,900	32,524
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	33,608	31,677	NR	25,526

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.40	1.73	2.20	3.01	3.01
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	3.42	3.50	NA	3.84
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.05	1.51	2.04	2.80	2.46
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	2.98	3.25	NA	3.13
Composite Action Index	3.23	2.41	2.75	2.91	3.11

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

New Mexico Medical Board  
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Santa Fe, NM 87505-0503  
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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 9 / 7 MD, 2 Public, 1 PA

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, PA, ANA, Genetic Counselors, Polysomnographic Technologists

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	53	36	22	31	34
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	10	7	6	10	7
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	29	15	2	11	7
Other Prejudicial Actions	7	3	10	7	12
Total Prejudicial Actions	46	25	18	28	26
Non-Prejudicial Actions	7	11	4	3	8
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	39	24	18	27	26
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	7	11	4	3	8
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	45	33	22	30	33

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	7,317	7,115	7,005	7,661	7,412
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	4,400	4,332	4,344	4,212	4,420

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.24	5.06	3.14	4.05	4.59
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	12.05	8.31	5.06	7.36	7.69
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.29	3.51	2.57	3.65	3.51
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.45	5.77	4.14	6.65	5.88
Composite Action Index	9.01	5.66	3.73	5.43	5.42

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 New Mexico Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners  
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 2550 Cerrillos Rd 2nd Fl  
 Santa Fe, NM 87505-3260  
<http://www.rld.state.nm.us/osteopathy/index.html>  
 (505) 476-4950; Fax: (505) 476-4645

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 5 / 3 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	1	NR	NR	NR	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	0	NR	NR	NR	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	NR	NR	NR	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	0	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	1	NR	NR	NR	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	1	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	1	NR	NR	NR	NR

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	NR	NR	NR	504	NR
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	NR	435	NR

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

New York State Board For Medicine

2nd Fl West Wing

89 Washington Ave

Albany, NY 12234

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(518) 474-3817; Fax: (518) 486-4846

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 24 /18 MD, 2 DO, 2 Public, 2 PA

Board Meeting Frequency 3 Per Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, SA, SPA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions					
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege					
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege					
Other Prejudicial Actions					
Total Prejudicial Actions					
Non-Prejudicial Actions					
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions					
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions					
Total Number of Physicians with Actions					

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	85,370	81,684	81,641	79,692	78,306
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	64,818	62,770	65,644	61,931	63,427

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians					
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians					
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians					
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians					
Composite Action Index					

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 New York State Office of Professional Medical Conduct  
 433 River St Ste 303  
 Troy, NY 12180-2299  
[www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/opmc/monthly.htm](http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/opmc/monthly.htm)  
 (518) 402-0855; Fax: (518) 402-0866

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 147 / 102 Physicians, 45 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 113 Committee and Special Committee Meetings

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, SA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	408	465	466	509	534
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	161	215	200	214	208
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	87	78	79	109	154
Other Prejudicial Actions	74	77	77	93	73
Total Prejudicial Actions	322	370	356	416	435
Non-Prejudicial Actions	86	95	110	93	99
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	292	335	316	356	388
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	87	100	110	96	104
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	362	417	418	429	469

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	85,370	81,684	81,641	79,692	78,306
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	64,818	62,770	65,644	61,931	63,427

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.78	5.69	5.71	6.39	6.82
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	6.29	7.41	7.10	8.22	8.42
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.77	4.53	4.36	5.22	5.56
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.97	5.89	5.42	6.72	6.86
Composite Action Index	4.95	5.88	5.65	6.64	6.92

# Summary of 2009 Board Actions

North Carolina Medical Board

PO Box 20007

Raleigh, NC 27619-0007

[www.ncmedboard.org](http://www.ncmedboard.org)

(919) 326-1100; Fax: (919) 575-5061

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## Board Information

Board Size/Composition 12 Members

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, NP, CPP, LP, AA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	277	206	251	256	210
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	80	59	73	80	71
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	35	37	33	32	34
Other Prejudicial Actions	130	86	118	111	76
Total Prejudicial Actions	245	182	224	223	181
Non-Prejudicial Actions	32	24	27	33	29
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	216	164	193	193	152
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	31	22	23	27	25
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	236	184	209	213	171

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	31,278	30,378	29,606	28,870	28,452
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	22,392	21,667	21,030	20,615	20,210

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	8.86	6.78	8.48	8.87	7.38
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	12.37	9.51	11.94	12.42	10.39
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.83	5.99	7.57	7.72	6.36
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.94	8.40	10.65	10.82	8.96
Composite Action Index	10.00	7.67	9.66	9.96	8.27



**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 North Dakota State Board of Medical Examiners  
 City Center Plaza  
 418 E Broadway Ste 12  
 Bismarck, ND 58501-4086  
 www.ndbomex.com  
 (701) 328-6500; Fax: (701) 328-6505

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 12 Members / 9 MD, 1 DO, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency 3 Times a Year - March, July, November

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, Fluoroscopy Techs

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	20	19	11	14	11
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	10	6	8	3	6
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	3	4	2	4	1
Other Prejudicial Actions	3	4	0	1	0
Total Prejudicial Actions	16	14	10	8	7
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	5	1	6	4
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	14	12	7	8	7
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	5	2	6	5
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	18	14	8	13	11

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	3,167	3,033	2,850	2,804	2,836
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,518	1,491	1,448	1,412	1,486

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.32	6.26	3.86	4.99	3.88
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	13.18	12.74	7.60	9.92	7.40
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.05	4.62	3.51	2.85	2.47
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.54	9.39	6.91	5.67	4.71
Composite Action Index	8.77	8.25	5.47	5.86	4.62

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands  
 Health Care Professions Lic Bd  
 PO Box 502078  
 Saipan, MP 96950  
<http://www.cnmiguide.com>  
 (670) 664-4809; Fax: (670) 664-4814

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	5
Board Meeting Frequency	Monthly
Standard of Proof Required	Preponderance of the Evidence
Professions Regulated by Board	MD, PA, DEH, ACU, AUD, MW, OT, OP, PT, PTA, PA, RAT, RET, SL, Clinical Social Worker

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	94	105	119	NR	NR
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	37	46	46	NR	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

State Medical Board of Ohio

30 E Broad St 3rd Flr

Columbus, OH 43215-6127

[www.med.ohio.gov](http://www.med.ohio.gov)

(614) 466-3934; Fax: (614) 728-5946

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 12 Board Members

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, DPM, PA, ACU, ANA, MT, CT, RA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	276	257	283	244	280
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	103	88	83	101	113
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	113	117	124	94	122
Other Prejudicial Actions	18	18	33	31	10
Total Prejudicial Actions	235	223	240	226	245
Non-Prejudicial Actions	41	34	43	18	35
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	182	186	198	191	182
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	42	36	45	18	39
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	222	214	238	209	213

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	42,022	40,660	40,297	39,399	38,851
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	31,000	30,384	30,013	29,522	28,942

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.57	6.32	7.02	6.19	7.21
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.90	8.46	9.43	8.27	9.67
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.59	5.48	5.96	5.74	6.31
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.58	7.34	8.00	7.66	8.47
Composite Action Index	7.16	6.90	7.60	6.97	7.92

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
**Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners**  
 4848 Lincoln Blvd Ste 100

Oklahoma City, OK 73105-3321  
 www.osboe.ok.gov  
 (405) 528-8625; Fax: (405) 557-0653

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      8 / 6 DO, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency      Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required      Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board      DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	9	6	19	20	21
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	3	2	5	7	4
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	4	4	10	9	10
Other Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	0	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	7	6	15	16	15
Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	0	4	4	6
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	6	5	13	15	12
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	2	0	4	4	6
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	8	5	16	19	16

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	2,194	2,142	2,074	2,015	1,961
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,682	1,628	1,555	1,491	1,453

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.10	2.80	9.16	9.93	10.71
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.35	3.69	12.22	13.41	14.45
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.19	2.80	7.23	7.94	7.65
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.16	3.69	9.65	10.73	10.32
Composite Action Index	4.20	3.24	9.57	10.50	10.78

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure & Supervision  
 PO Box 18256

Oklahoma City, OK 73154-0256  
 www.okmedicalboard.org  
 (405) 962-1400; Fax: (405) 962-1499

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	<u>9 Board Members / 7 MD, 2 Lay</u>
Board Meeting Frequency	<u>7 Time/Year</u>
Standard of Proof Required	<u>Clear and Convincing</u>
Professions Regulated by Board	<u>MD, PA, PT, AT, OT, LO, RE, RC, LPED, LPR, LD, RA, ANA</u>

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	54	55	32	52	45
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	23	18	18	23	18
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	20	26	4	18	18
Other Prejudicial Actions	3	4	2	5	5
Total Prejudicial Actions	46	48	24	46	41
Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	7	8	6	4
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	36	36	20	38	31
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	7	8	7	5
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	43	41	27	44	35

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	9,488	9,198	8,800	8,541	8,280
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	6,053	5,961	5,777	5,668	5,557

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.69	5.98	3.64	6.09	5.43
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.92	9.23	5.54	9.17	8.10
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.85	5.22	2.73	5.39	4.95
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.60	8.05	4.15	8.12	7.38
Composite Action Index	6.77	7.12	4.01	7.19	6.47

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Oregon Medical Board  
1500 SW 1st Ave Ste 620

Portland, OR 97201-5815

[www.oregon.gov/BME](http://www.oregon.gov/BME)

(971) 673-2700; Fax: (971) 673-2670

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 12 Members / 7 MD, 2 DO, 1 DPM, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA, ACU, DPM

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	56	79	61	67	73
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	24	41	30	23	33
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	12	19	10	20	22
Other Prejudicial Actions	7	7	7	15	9
Total Prejudicial Actions	43	67	47	58	64
Non-Prejudicial Actions	13	12	14	9	9
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	36	54	43	55	52
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	14	14	16	9	11
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	46	63	57	63	58

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	14,395	14,341	13,734	13,635	12,670
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	10,622	10,856	11,127	11,229	10,950

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.89	5.51	4.44	4.91	5.76
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.27	7.28	5.48	5.97	6.67
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.99	4.67	3.42	4.25	5.05
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.05	6.17	4.22	5.17	5.84
Composite Action Index	4.05	5.91	4.39	5.08	5.83

# Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine

PO Box 2649

Harrisburg, PA 17105

[www.dos.state.pa.us/med](http://www.dos.state.pa.us/med)

(717) 787-2381; Fax: (717) 787-7769

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## Board Information

Board Size/Composition 11 / 6 MD, 2 Public, 3 Other

Board Meeting Frequency 1 Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, ACU, PA, NM, RT, AT, POM, PER

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	185	185	195	189	194
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	93	77	86	81	79
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	29	33	32	28	30
Other Prejudicial Actions	41	48	59	62	64
Total Prejudicial Actions	163	158	177	171	173
Non-Prejudicial Actions	22	27	18	18	21
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	145	150	169	159	164
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	22	29	19	20	22
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	160	172	185	173	179

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	45,070	41,391	43,290	39,645	42,477
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	32,152	32,521	30,885	31,599

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.10	4.47	4.50	4.77	4.57
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	5.75	6.00	6.12	6.14
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.62	3.82	4.09	4.31	4.07
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	4.91	5.44	5.54	5.47
Composite Action Index	3.86	4.74	5.01	5.19	5.06

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Pennsylvania State Board of Osteopathic Medicine  
 PO Box 2649

Harrisburg, PA 17105  
 www.dos.state.pa.us/ost  
 (717) 783-4858; Fax: (717) 787-7769

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 11 / 6 DO, 2 Public, 3 Other

Board Meeting Frequency 1 Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO, ACU, PA, RT, AT

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	25	30	39	38	26
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	9	12	18	14	9
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	5	7	11	6	5
Other Prejudicial Actions	7	7	6	15	11
Total Prejudicial Actions	21	26	35	35	25
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	4	4	3	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	18	24	28	32	22
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	4	4	3	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	21	28	32	34	23

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	6,760	6,316	6,504	6,091	6,226
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	5,227	5,202	4,961	4,904

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.70	4.75	6.00	6.24	4.18
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	5.74	7.50	7.66	5.30
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.11	4.12	5.38	5.75	4.02
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	4.97	6.73	7.06	5.10
Composite Action Index	3.40	4.89	6.40	6.68	4.65



**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Puerto Rico Board of Medical Licensure & Discipline  
 PO Box 13969  
 San Juan, PR 00908  
 www.salud.gov.pr  
 (787) 782-8989; Fax: 787-792-4436

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 9 / 9 MD

Board Meeting Frequency Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required \_\_\_\_\_

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, VN, SLP

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Rhode Island Board of Medical Licensure & Discipline  
 Cannon Bld Rm 205 Three Capitol Hill

Providence, RI 02908-5097  
 www.health.ri.gov/hsr/bmld  
 (401) 222-3855; Fax: (401) 222-2158

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 12 Members

Board Meeting Frequency 1 Per Month

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	12	13	23	18	17
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	5	6	8	3	4
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	5	5	10	7	12
Other Prejudicial Actions	2	2	5	6	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	12	13	23	16	17
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	2	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	11	12	19	14	15
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	2	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	11	12	19	16	15

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	4,676	4,374	4,349	4,216	4,191
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,236	3,161	3,155	3,185	3,229

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.57	2.97	5.29	4.27	4.06
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.71	4.11	7.29	5.65	5.26
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.57	2.97	5.29	3.80	4.06
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	3.71	4.11	7.29	5.02	5.26
Composite Action Index	3.14	3.54	6.29	4.69	4.66

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners  
 110 Centerview Dr Ste 202  
 Columbia, SC 29210-8432  
[www.llr.state.sc.us/pol/medical](http://www.llr.state.sc.us/pol/medical)  
 (803) 896-4500; Fax: (803) 896-4515

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 12

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, ACU, PA, RT, ANA, CIS

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	20	56	17	22	26
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	10	15	7	14	13
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	2	3	2	2	2
Other Prejudicial Actions	2	30	8	5	11
Total Prejudicial Actions	14	48	17	21	26
Non-Prejudicial Actions	6	8	0	1	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	14	48	16	21	24
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	6	7	1	1	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	20	54	16	21	24

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	14,591	14,764	14,922	14,463	NR
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	9,643	9,552	9,275	9,515	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	1.37	3.79	1.14	1.52	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	2.07	5.86	1.83	2.31	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	0.96	3.25	1.14	1.45	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	1.45	5.03	1.83	2.21	NA
Composite Action Index	1.46	4.48	1.49	1.87	NA

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 South Dakota Board of Medical & Osteopathic Examiners  
 101 N Main Ave Ste 301  
 Sioux Falls, SD 57104  
<http://medicine.sd.gov>  
 (605) 367-7781; Fax: (605) 367-7786

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	<u>9</u>
Board Meeting Frequency	<u>Quarterly</u>
Standard of Proof Required	<u>Preponderance of the Evidence</u>
Professions Regulated by Board	<u>EMT, AT, GC, LN, MA, MD, DO, OT, OTA, PT, PTA, PA, RCP</u>

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	16	7	9	7	2
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	3	5	6	4	1
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	4	0	1	0	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	9	2	0	2	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	16	7	7	6	2
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	2	1	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	15	7	8	6	2
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	2	1	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	15	7	9	7	2

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	3,187	3,128	3,101	2,918	2,968
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,625	1,807	1,851	1,720	1,768

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.02	2.24	2.90	2.40	0.67
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.85	3.87	4.86	4.07	1.13
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.02	2.24	2.26	2.06	0.67
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.85	3.87	3.78	3.49	1.13
Composite Action Index	7.43	3.06	3.45	3.01	0.90

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners  
 Heritage Place MetroCenter  
 227 French Landing Ste 300  
 Nashville, TN 37243-0001  
<http://health.state.tn.us/BOARDS/ME/>  
 (615) 532-4384; Fax: (615) 253-4484

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 12 Members

Board Meeting Frequency 6 Times Annually

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board GC, PA, Radiology Assistants, MDX, ACU, CP

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	89	54	59	65	85
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	32	26	20	26	38
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	27	14	23	21	27
Other Prejudicial Actions	29	8	3	14	13
Total Prejudicial Actions	88	48	46	61	78
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	6	13	4	7
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	88	48	41	55	72
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	6	13	5	7
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	89	54	54	59	76

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	20,003	19,468	18,743	18,834	18,288
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	12,506	11,413	14,691	14,429	14,210

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.45	2.77	3.15	3.45	4.65
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.12	4.73	4.02	4.50	5.98
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.40	2.47	2.45	3.24	4.27
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.04	4.21	3.13	4.23	5.49
Composite Action Index	5.75	3.54	3.19	3.86	5.10

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Tennessee Board of Osteopathic Examiners  
 Heritage Place MetroCenter  
 227 French Landing Ste 300  
 Nashville, TN 37243-0001  
<http://health.state.tn.us/Boards/Osteo/>  
 (615) 532-3202; Fax: (615) 253-4484

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition     Six Members

Board Meeting Frequency     Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required     Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board     DO, MW

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	2	5	0	6	5
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	0	3	0	4	4
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	2	0	2	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	1	0	0	0	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	2	5	0	6	5
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	0	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	2	5	0	6	5
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	0	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	2	5	0	6	5

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	868	811	761	719	688
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	407	355	491	468	426

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.30	6.17	NA	8.34	7.27
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.91	14.08	NA	12.82	11.74
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.30	6.17	NA	8.34	7.27
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.91	14.08	NA	12.82	11.74
Composite Action Index	3.61	10.12	NA	10.58	9.51

# Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Texas Medical Board

PO Box 2018

Austin, TX 78701-2018

[www.tmb.state.tx.us](http://www.tmb.state.tx.us)

(512) 305-7010; Fax: (512) 305-7051

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## Board Information

Board Size/Composition 19 Members / 9 MD, 3 DO, 7 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 5 Times Per year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, ACU, PA, SA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	494	482	371	384	448
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	51	62	61	58	87
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	94	97	75	103	101
Other Prejudicial Actions	329	289	215	192	228
Total Prejudicial Actions	474	448	351	354	416
Non-Prejudicial Actions	20	34	20	30	32
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	458	436	328	336	380
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	22	40	23	33	36
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	473	450	342	364	411

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	62,966	60,646	60,469	56,877	54,855
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	48,373	46,703	48,796	43,565	42,022

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.85	7.95	6.14	6.75	8.17
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	10.21	10.32	7.60	8.81	10.66
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.53	7.39	5.80	6.22	7.58
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.80	9.59	7.19	8.13	9.90
Composite Action Index	8.85	8.81	6.68	7.48	9.08

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Utah Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons Licensing Board  
 PO Box 146741

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6741  
 www.dopl.utah.gov  
 (801) 530-6628; Fax: (801) 530-6511

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition     4 DO, 1 Public Person

Board Meeting Frequency     Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required     Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board     DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	3	2	3	9	9
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	2	0	1	1	2
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	2	1	1	4
Other Prejudicial Actions	0	0	1	0	2
Total Prejudicial Actions	3	2	3	2	8
Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	0	0	7	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	3	1	1	2	6
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	0	1	0	6	3
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	3	1	1	7	7

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	454	407	372	332	255
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	66	NR	NR	NR

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.61	4.91	8.06	27.11	35.29
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	30.30	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.61	4.91	8.06	6.02	31.37
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	30.30	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	6.61	17.61	8.06	16.57	33.33



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Utah Physicians Licensing Board

PO Box 146741

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6741

[www.dopl.utah.gov](http://www.dopl.utah.gov)

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 9 MD, 2 Public Members

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly As Needed

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	25	23	38	26	42
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	4	4	10	7	10
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	10	6	22	12	22
Other Prejudicial Actions	6	3	1	5	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	20	13	33	24	33
Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	10	5	2	9
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	16	12	24	21	25
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	10	5	5	10
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	19	21	27	22	31

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	8,494	7,972	7,821	7,381	7,616
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.94	2.89	4.86	3.52	5.51
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.35	1.63	4.22	3.25	4.33
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	2.65	2.26	4.54	3.39	4.92

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Vermont Board of Medical Practice

108 Cherry St

PO Box 70

Burlington, VT 05402-0070

[www.healthvermont.gov](http://www.healthvermont.gov)

(802) 657-4220; Fax: (802) 657-4227

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 17 Board Members

Board Meeting Frequency Twice a Month

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MD, POD, PA, AA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	15	9	20	24	31
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	4	0	7	4	7
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	3	2	3	10	7
Other Prejudicial Actions	3	4	5	5	11
Total Prejudicial Actions	10	6	15	19	25
Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	3	5	5	6
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	10	7	13	13	17
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	5	3	6	6	6
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	13	9	18	17	21

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	3,300	3,093	3,188	3,063	3,095
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,993	1,909	1,907	1,929	1,855

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.55	2.91	6.27	7.84	10.02
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.53	4.71	10.49	12.44	16.71
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.03	1.94	4.71	6.20	8.08
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	5.02	3.14	7.87	9.85	13.48
Composite Action Index	5.03	3.18	7.34	9.08	12.07

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Vermont Board of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons  
 National Life Bldg North Flr 2  
  
 Montpelier, VT 05620-0001  
 www.vtprofessionals.org  
 (802) 828-1505; Fax: (802) 828-2368

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 5 / 3 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	NR	NR	0	1	2
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	0	0	1
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	0	1	0
Other Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	0	0	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	0	1	2
Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	0	0	0
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	0	1	2
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	0	0	0
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	NR	NR	0	1	2

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	NR	NR	108	96	99
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	108	53	52

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	10.42	20.20
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	18.87	38.46
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	10.42	20.20
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	18.87	38.46
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	14.65	29.33

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Virgin Islands Board of Medical Examiners  
 Department of Health  
 1303 Hospital Ground Ste 10  
 St Thomas, VI 00802

(340) 774-0117; Fax: (340) 777-4001

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition 5 / 5 MD

Board Meeting Frequency Quarterly

Standard of Proof Required \_\_\_\_\_

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Other Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	NR	NR	NR	NR	241
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	NR	NR	NR	NR	222

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Composite Action Index	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Virginia Board of Medicine  
 Perimeter Ctr - 9960 Mayland Dr Ste 300  
 Henrico, VA 23233-1463  
<http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/medicine/>  
 (804) 367-4600; Fax: (804) 527-4426

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**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	18 / 11 MD, 1 DO, 4 Public, 2 Other
Board Meeting Frequency	Three Full Board Meeting Annually (special committees hold disciplinary hearings most weeks)
Standard of Proof Required	Clear and Convincing
Professions Regulated by Board	MD, DO, PA, ACU, AT, DC, OT, POD, RT, RTL, CPM, OTA, RCP, RIT

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	239	267	164	102	164
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	67	66	47	38	49
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	31	30	23	14	15
Other Prejudicial Actions	73	93	58	23	62
Total Prejudicial Actions	171	189	128	75	126
Non-Prejudicial Actions	68	78	36	27	38
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	149	175	122	67	120
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	69	79	37	27	38
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	183	212	146	89	135

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	34,331	32,105	32,762	30,499	31,379
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	20,517	19,208	19,124	18,209	18,131

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.96	8.32	5.01	3.34	5.23
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	11.65	13.90	8.58	5.60	9.05
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	4.98	5.89	3.91	2.46	4.02
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.33	9.84	6.69	4.12	6.95
Composite Action Index	7.98	9.49	6.05	3.88	6.31

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Washington Board of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery  
 PO Box 47865

Olympia, WA 98504-7852  
<http://www.doh.wa.gov/hsqa/Professions/Osteopath/default.htm>  
 (360) 236-4945; Fax: (360) 236-2406

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition      6 DO, 1 Public Member

Board Meeting Frequency      6 Times A Year

Standard of Proof Required      Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board      DO, Osteopathic PA

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	7	10	8	11	8
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	1	1	1	4	2
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	2	1	2	3
Other Prejudicial Actions	4	2	3	3	1
Total Prejudicial Actions	6	5	5	9	6
Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	5	3	2	2
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	6	5	5	8	6
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	1	5	3	2	3
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	7	10	8	10	7

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	1,112	1,041	969	903	824
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	838	774	710	665	615

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.30	9.61	8.26	12.18	9.71
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	8.35	12.92	11.27	16.54	13.01
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.40	4.80	5.16	9.97	7.28
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.16	6.46	7.04	13.53	9.76
Composite Action Index	6.80	8.45	7.93	13.06	9.94

**Summary of 2009 Board Actions**  
 Washington State Medical Quality Assurance Commission  
 PO Box 47866  
 Olympia, WA 98504-7866  
 www.doh.wa.gov  
 (360) 236-2750; Fax: (360) 236-2795

**Board Information**

Board Size/Composition	<u>21 Members</u>
Board Meeting Frequency	<u>8 Meeting Per Year</u>
Standard of Proof Required	<u>Clear and Convincing</u>
Professions Regulated by Board	<u>MD, PA</u>

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	175	108	114	99	92
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	40	32	28	34	18
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	38	28	21	8	23
Other Prejudicial Actions	47	31	31	32	28
Total Prejudicial Actions	125	91	80	74	69
Non-Prejudicial Actions	50	17	34	25	23
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	114	84	72	69	64
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	51	18	36	26	23
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	149	99	101	91	83

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	23,575	24,201	22,121	21,440	20,623
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	17,533	24,097	16,234	15,782	15,156

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.42	4.46	5.15	4.62	4.46
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.98	4.48	7.02	6.27	6.07
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	5.30	3.76	3.62	3.45	3.35
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.13	3.78	4.93	4.69	4.55
Composite Action Index	7.46	4.12	5.18	4.76	4.61

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

West Virginia Board of Medicine

101 Dee Dr Ste 103

Charleston, WV 25301

[www.wvbom.wv.gov](http://www.wvbom.wv.gov)

(304) 558-2921; Fax: (304) 558-2084

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 15 / 9 MD, 3 Public, 3 Other

Board Meeting Frequency Bimonthly

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DPM, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	50	40	39	46	65
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	15	7	8	9	18
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	10	8	3	9	7
Other Prejudicial Actions	21	18	22	19	24
Total Prejudicial Actions	46	33	33	37	49
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	7	6	9	16
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	44	31	34	33	48
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	8	6	10	15
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	46	36	38	40	50

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	6,403	6,244	6,071	5,921	5,815
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	3,730	3,708	3,837	3,743	3,650

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.81	6.41	6.42	7.77	11.18
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	13.40	10.79	10.16	12.29	17.81
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	7.18	5.29	5.44	6.25	8.43
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	12.33	8.90	8.60	9.89	13.42
Composite Action Index	10.18	7.84	7.66	9.05	12.71



## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

West Virginia Board of Osteopathy

405 Capitol St Ste 402

Charleston, WV 25301

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(304) 558-6095; Fax: (304) 558-6096

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 5 / 3 DO, 2 Public

Board Meeting Frequency 3-4 Per Year

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board DO, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	11	10	11	7	6
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	6	4	5	4	2
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	1	2	3	0	3
Other Prejudicial Actions	0	2	2	1	0
Total Prejudicial Actions	7	8	10	5	5
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	2	1	2	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	7	4	5	5	5
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	2	1	2	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	10	5	5	7	6

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	1,017	985	912	870	825
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	770	737	676	638	607

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	10.82	10.15	12.06	8.05	7.27
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	14.29	13.57	16.27	10.97	9.88
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	6.88	8.12	10.96	5.75	6.06
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	9.09	10.85	14.79	7.84	8.24
Composite Action Index	10.27	10.67	13.52	8.15	7.86

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

Wisconsin Med Examining Bd Licensing & Regulation

1400 E Washington Ave Rm 178

Madison, WI 53703-3041

<https://ice.wi.gov/LicenseLookup/boards.do?board=MED>

(608) 266-2112; Fax: (608) 261-7083

### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 13, Patients Compensation Fund (non-voting) Rep.

Board Meeting Frequency Monthly

Standard of Proof Required Preponderance of the Evidence

Professions Regulated by Board MED, PT, OT, RCP, PA, PERF, AT, Dietitians, Podiatrists

Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	71	73	85	109	105
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	22	15	15	24	16
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	7	10	13	6	7
Other Prejudicial Actions	34	37	43	56	65
Total Prejudicial Actions	63	62	71	86	88
Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	11	14	23	17
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	54	47	55	64	61
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	8	12	14	23	16
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	56	55	63	78	69

Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	22,285	22,948	21,220	22,321	20,838
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	15,347	15,389	14,646	14,830	14,228

Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.19	3.18	4.01	4.88	5.04
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.63	4.74	5.80	7.35	7.38
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.83	2.70	3.35	3.85	4.22
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.11	4.03	4.85	5.80	6.18
Composite Action Index	3.69	3.66	4.50	5.47	5.71

## Summary of 2009 Board Actions

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### Board Information

Board Size/Composition 8 Members / 2 Public, 1 PA, 5 MD

Board Meeting Frequency 3 Per Year Mimimum

Standard of Proof Required Clear and Convincing

Professions Regulated by Board MD, DO, PA

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Board Actions	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions	10	10	6	11	10
Loss of License or Licensed Privilege	2	4	1	3	4
Restriction of License or Licensed Privilege	2	1	2	4	3
Other Prejudicial Actions	2	4	0	3	2
Total Prejudicial Actions	6	9	3	10	9
Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	1	3	1	1
Number of Physicians with Prejudicial Actions	6	7	3	7	7
Number of Physicians with Non-Prejudicial Actions	4	1	3	1	1
Total Number of Physicians with Actions	10	8	6	8	7

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Physician Population	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Number of Licensed Physicians	2,796	2,592	2,444	2,412	2,439
Total Number of Licensed Physicians Practicing In-State	1,285	1,047	913	969	1,037

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Composite Action Index	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
Total Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	3.58	3.86	2.45	4.56	4.10
Total Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	7.78	9.55	6.57	11.35	9.64
Total Prejudicial Actions/Total Licensed Physicians	2.15	3.47	1.23	4.15	3.69
Total Prejudicial Actions/Practicing In-State Physicians	4.67	8.60	3.29	10.32	8.68
Composite Action Index	4.54	6.37	3.39	7.60	6.53