

Ohio's Occupational Licensing and Regulatory Boards



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Executive Summary

This report contains information on the financial situation of the Occupational Licensing and Regulatory Boards that are defined in section 4743.01. The individual boards provided information for this report.

Most of the Occupational Licensing and Regulatory Boards listed in this report deposit funds into the Occupational and Professional Licensing Fund, better known as Fund 4K9. The Office of Budget and Management reports that Fund 4K9 has a substantial positive balance and will operate with a healthy surplus for some time. The next full report of the Fund's balances will be submitted late in CY 2000.

The Ohio Athletic Commission and the Board of Barber Examiners are the only boards using moneys from Fund 4K9 that reported a loss for FY1998 and FY1999. For the Ohio Athletic Commission, in FY1998 its operating deficit was \$83,314 and in FY1999 the deficit was \$117,258. The Barber Board's deficits for the fiscal years were, respectively, \$361,033 and \$225,403. Although FY1998 was the first full year the Ohio Athletic Commission was in existence, steps will need to be made for the Commission to become self-sufficient. According to the Office of Budget and Management, the Ohio Athletic Commission will continue to operate under budget deficits in the foreseeable future, as the fee structure of the Commission does not allow for covering all costs. The Board of Barber Examiners could achieve self-sufficiency through raising revenues, possibly through a fee increase, or by decreasing expenditures.

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Introduction

Ohio's Occupational Licensing and Regulatory Boards

Ohio's occupational and licensing boards monitor, license, and regulate selected occupations and professions. Many of the regulated professions provide services in technical and specialized fields such as nursing, medicine, and engineering, in which the failure to meet minimum standards could be dangerous or costly. The boards help to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the public by ensuring the professionals who practice in these fields meet certain standards.

To fulfill the requirements of Section 103.13 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Legislative Service Commission prepares this report annually to evaluate the extent to which these state boards and commissions are financially self-supporting. This report provides a summary of the financial activities and some of the legislative changes that took place during FY1999 (July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999). The information in this report is divided into three main sections that are described below.

General Information – Section one begins with a description of the functions of each licensing or regulatory board, followed by a brief description of any legislation that became effective in FY 1999 that would affect any of the boards. This section also contains a table of general information, such as staffing levels and renewal cycles for each board.

Active Licenses – Section two lists the total number of active licenses for each board for this fiscal year and the previous fiscal year. The change in the total number of licenses from the last fiscal year to this fiscal year is also calculated.

Revenues and Expenditures – The final section contains information on the revenues and expenditures for each board for fiscal years 1998 and 1999. This information is separated by the renewal cycles for each board. Many of the boards renew licenses biennially and, therefore, receive the bulk of their fee revenues every other year. The table contains information on both Fund 4K9 revenues and expenditures and any non-Fund 4K9 revenues and expenditures. The table also shows the changes in both revenues and expenditures from FY1998 to FY1999 and the net gain for the two fiscal years combined.

Finally, the appendix lists the name of each board's chief administrator and the board's address and phone number.

The following board failed to provide the information required by ORC 103.13: Board of Emergency Medical Services.

General Information: Board Description

ACCOUNTANCY BOARD OF OHIO

The Accountancy Board tests, licenses, and regulates individuals and firms who practice accounting in this state to ensure that the services being provided are ethical and professional in manner and in accordance with all appropriate laws and standards.

AMBULANCE LICENSING BOARD, OHIO

The Ambulance Licensing Board inspects and licenses all private ambulance services and the vehicles operated by the services within the State of Ohio.

ARCHITECTS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF

The Board of Examiners of Architects and Landscape Architects regulates the practice of architecture and landscape architecture through education, training, examination, and practice standards.

ATHLETIC COMMISSION, OHIO

The Ohio Athletic Commission, the successor to the State Boxing Commission, regulates boxing, wrestling, kick boxing, karate, and tough person contests within the State of Ohio in an effort to protect the safety of the participants and the interests of the public.

BARBER EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF

The Barber Board licenses barbers, barber shops, and barber schools. The board protects the health and welfare of the consuming public by setting standards for licensure and by enforcing these standards through exams, investigations, and disciplinary actions.

BUILDING STANDARDS, BOARD OF

The Board of Building Standards certifies local building departments to enforce the Ohio Basic Building Code.

CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS, STATE OF OHIO BOARD OF

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners protects the health and welfare of Ohio's citizens by setting standards for licensure and by enforcing these standards through examination, renewal, clinical inspection, investigation and disciplinary action.

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY EXAMINATION BOARD

The Ohio Construction Industry Examination Board issues state certificates by examination for the following contracting professions: electrical, heating-ventilating-air conditioning, hydronics, plumbing, and refrigeration. The state certificate exempts the holder from taking additional tests or examinations when obtaining a city or county contractor license.

COSMETOLOGY, STATE BOARD OF

The State Board of Cosmetology maintains sanitary and professional standards through the licensure and regulation of the profession of cosmetology.

General Information: Board Description

COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL WORKER BOARD

The Counselor and Social Worker Board regulates the professions of counseling and social work by establishing licensure and practice standards for the professions.

DENTAL BOARD, OHIO STATE

The Dental Board licenses and regulates the practice of dentistry, dental hygiene, and dental assistant radiography in Ohio.

DIETETICS, OHIO BOARD OF

The Board of Dietetics protects the health and safety of Ohio citizens by regulating the practice of dietetics as defined in the Revised Code.

EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS, BOARD OF

The Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors licenses and regulates embalmers, funeral directors, and funeral homes and resolves complaints against any of those who are regulated.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, BOARD OF

The Board of Emergency Medical Services oversees training and certifies all emergency medical technicians and firefighters. The Board approves all training institutions and instructors, as well as administers its grant fund.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, DIVISION OF

The Division of Financial Institutions acts as the primary regulatory authority over state-chartered banks, savings banks, savings & loans, credit unions; and licenses and regulates money transmitters, consumer finance companies, pawnbrokers, mortgage brokers, check cashers, precious metal dealers, insurance premium finance companies, and credit service organizations.

HEARING AID DEALERS AND FITTERS LICENSING BOARD

The Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Licensing Board licenses all hearing aid dealers pursuant to the requirements of the Revised Code.

INDUSTRIAL COMPLIANCE, DIVISION OF

The Division of Industrial Compliance safeguards the health, safety, and welfare of Ohio's workers and citizens by regulating individuals in the building trades, such as steam engineers and boiler inspectors.

STATE MEDICAL BOARD OF OHIO

The State Medical Board of Ohio protects and enhances the health and welfare of Ohio citizens by regulating the practice of Doctors of Medicine, Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine, and Doctors of Podiatric Medicine, as well as Limited Practitioners and Physician's Assistants.

MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION REPAIR REGISTRATION, BOARD OF

The Board of Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Registration registers all independent collision repair facilities.

General Information: Board Description

MOTOR VEHICLE DEALER LICENSING BOARD

The Motor Vehicle Dealer Licensing Board carries out all of the due process functions necessary to identify violators, charge them with the violations, and to effectuate the suspension and revocation of the licenses of such violators.

MOTOR VEHICLE SALVAGE DEALER LICENSING BOARD

The Motor Vehicle Salvage Dealer Licensing Board carries out all of the due process functions necessary to identify violators, charge them with the violations, and to effectuate the suspension and revocation of the licenses of such violators.

NURSING, STATE BOARD OF

The State Board of Nursing serves as a safeguard for the health, welfare, and safety of the public and protects the public against unqualified practitioners of nursing. The Board regulates the professions of registered nurse, licensed practical nurse, and certified nurse-midwife.

NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF

The Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators Board uses its statutory powers to develop, adopt, impose, and enforce regulations prescribing standards which must be met by individuals to receive a license as a nursing home administrator.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY, PHYSICAL THERAPY, AND ATHLETIC TRAINERS' BOARD

The Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers' Board provides licenses to occupational therapists, physical therapists, and athletic trainers and approves continuing education for all of the fields except physical therapy. The Board also investigates allegations of wrongdoing, monitors practice via spot checks of licensees, conducts administrative hearings, and provides informational newsletters for its licensees.

OPTICAL DISPENSERS' BOARD, OHIO

The Optical Dispensers' Board maintains standards in the industry by examination of applicants for licensure, the issuance of spectacle, contact lens, and oculist licenses on an ongoing basis, the approval of continuing education courses, and the investigation of complaints with discipline as necessary.

OPTOMETRY, OHIO STATE BOARD OF

The Board of Optometry carries out the responsibilities listed in the Revised Code relating to examinations, licensing, continuing education, compliance, investigation, and enforcement activities for all Ohio optometrists.

PHARMACY BOARD, OHIO

The Pharmacy Board licenses all persons who distribute dangerous drugs and sites where dangerous drugs are stored in Ohio. The Board also enforces the Pharmacy Practice Act, Dangerous Drugs Distribution Act, Food and Drug Act, Controlled Substance Act, and the Criminal Code of Ohio relating to drugs.

General Information: Board Description

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS, STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR

The Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors oversees the licensure and renewals of professional engineers and professional surveyors, and enforces the laws relating to these professions.

PSYCHOLOGY, STATE BOARD OF

The State Board of Psychology licenses psychologists and school psychologists. It also regulates the practice of psychology and takes enforcement action against unethical or illegal practice.

REAL ESTATE AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING, DIVISION OF

The Division of Real Estate administers the real estate, appraiser, cemetery laws, and regulates auctioneers, private investigators, and security guards.

RESPIRATORY CARE BOARD, OHIO

The Ohio Respiratory Care Board regulates and licenses the practice of respiratory care by examining and licensing qualified applicants, investigating complaints, establishing educational standards, and mandating continuing education.

SANITARIAN REGISTRATION, STATE BOARD OF

The State Board of Sanitarian Registration protects public health by ensuring that individuals who engage in the practice of environmental health possess and maintain specialized knowledge and skills that pertain to the field of environmental health science.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY, BOARD OF

The Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology regulates the professions of speech-language pathology and audiology in accordance with the Revised Code.

VETERINARY MEDICAL BOARD, OHIO

The Ohio Veterinary Medical Board licenses, enforces, and regulates the practice of veterinary medicine in the state of Ohio. The Board administers national examinations for licensure, investigates consumer complaints, and conducts administrative hearings.

New Legislation Enacted in FY 1999

Accountancy Board of Ohio

Sub. S.B. 200 (effective March 30, 1999) permits a person who does not hold an Ohio permit or a foreign certificate from another state to own an equity interest in a public accounting firm if certain conditions are met. This bill expands the investigation powers of the Accountancy Board to establish a peer committee to conduct investigations prior to disciplinary hearings. During an investigation, the board may administer oaths, issue subpoenas, compel attendance and testimony at deposition, and compel the production of evidence.

Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors

Am. S.B. 117 (effective August 5, 1998) adds the regulation of crematory facilities to the purview of the Board. This bill creates the Crematory Review Board (CRB). The CRB consists of three members of the Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors, three members of the Cemetery Dispute Resolution Commission, and one member knowledgeable about crematories, to be selected by the six members outlined above. The changes outlined in this bill increase some of the fees that the Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors currently charge. The Board will also add the new crematory facility license. Lastly, the bill sets penalties for noncompliance of regulations related to crematory facilities.

State Medical Board

Sub. H.B. 606 (effective March 9, 1999) makes various changes to the State Medical Board's laws, as follows:

- The bill allows the Board to fine individuals who did not complete the requisite continuing medical education credit hours.
- The initial application fee for a training certificate for an individual pursuing an internship, residency, or clinical fellowship is raised from \$35 to \$75.
- In sections 4730.12 and 4731.281, the penalty for renewing of a license that had been suspended due to non-renewal is changed. Under the existing system, a licensee would be required to pay the current renewal fee, a penalty of \$25, plus all delinquent registration fees. For example, if a person's license had been suspended for 20 years, that individual would be required to pay the back fees for the 10 missed biennial renewals.
- The bill also requires an applicant to obtain a score of forty or higher on the test of spoken English conducted by the Educational Testing Service. Under existing law, an applicant scoring between 40 and 50 must appear before the Board to demonstrate English language competency.
- Lastly, the bill makes a first offense of practicing medicine, osteopathy, or podiatry without a license issued by the Board a fifth degree felony. An individual would be guilty of a fourth degree felony for each subsequent offense.

New Legislation Enacted in FY 1999

State Board of Nursing

Am. Sub. H.B. 850 (effective March 18, 1999) authorizes the Board of Nursing to provide and charge for services to 19 boards and commissions at costs equal to or less than the fees that are charged by the Department of Administrative Services' Central Service Agency (CSA). Prior to H.B. 850, the Board of Nursing provided central services to the 19 boards and commissions, but were required to pay the required fees to CSA.

Ohio State Board of Optometry

Am. Sub. H.B. 553 (effective March 9, 1999) prohibits the State Board of Optometry from accepting applicants who have failed any part of the licensing examination four times until such applicants have taken remedial classes and passed the examination. The act also expands the Board's investigatory powers and allows the Board to impose monetary penalties.

Ohio Pharmacy Board and Ohio Veterinary Board

The laws pertaining to the practice of pharmacy and drugs are updated in Sub. S.B. 66 (effective July 22, 1998). In this bill pharmacists who act on behalf of the Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections are granted immunity from civil or criminal claims arising from dispensing of a drug based upon established formulas. Furthermore, a \$5 licensing fee is assessed to professional associations, corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies that distribute dangerous drugs or that practice veterinary medicine.

Division of Real Estate and Professional Licensing

Am. Sub. H.B. 695 (effective March 18, 1999) amends sections 4763.05 and 4763.07 of the Revised Code to change the experience, education, and continuing education requirements of real estate appraisers. The bill also requires that every state-certified general real estate appraiser, state-certified residential real estate appraiser, state-licensed residential real estate appraiser, and state-registered real estate appraiser assistant submit proof of successfully completing the minimum classroom hours of continuing education requirements on an annual basis; current law requires that proof be submitted every two years.

General Information: Staffing Levels

BOARD	Primary Renewal Cycle	Board Members	Full-time Staff	Part-time Staff	Full-time Investigators	Part-time Investigators
Accountancy Board of Ohio	Triennial	9	8	0	2	0
Ambulance Licensing Board, Ohio	Biennial	6	2	0	23	0
Architects and Landscape Architects, State Board of Examiners of	Biennial (A); Annual (LA)	5	3	0	1	0
Athletic Commission, Ohio	Annual	4	1	0	0	0
Barber Examiners, State Board of	Biennial	3	3	0	4	0
Building Standards, Board of	Triennial	10	9	0	2	0
Chiropractic Examiners, State Board of	Annual	5	6	0	3	0
Construction Industry Examination Board	Annual	17	1	0	0	0
Cosmetology, State Board of	Biennial	7	20 ^c	0	14	0
Counselor and Social Worker Board	Biennial	11	10	0	3	0
Dental Board, Ohio State	Biennial	7	5	0	7	0
Dietetics, Ohio Board of	Annual	5	2	1	1	0
Embalmers and Funeral Directors, Board of	Annual	7	4	0	2	0
Emergency Medical Services, Board of ^a	--	--	--	--	--	--
Financial Institutions, Division of	Annual	0	133 ^b	0	6	0
Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Licensing Board	Annual	8	0	0	0	0
Industrial Compliance, Division of	Annual	33	121 ^c	0	100	0
Ohio State Medical Board	Biennial	12	78	0	24	0
Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Registration	Annual	7	1	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Dealer Licensing Board	Annual	11	2	0	33	0
Motor Vehicle Salvage Dealer Licensing Board	Annual	5	2	0	33	0

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Nursing, State Board of	Biennial	12	43	0	6	0
Nursing Home Administrators, Board of Examiners of	Quarterly	9	5	0	1	0
Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers' Board	Biennial	20	7	0	1	0
Optical Dispensers' Board	Annual	9	2	0	1	0
Optometry, Ohio State Board of	Annual	6	2	0	1	0
Pharmacy Board, Ohio	Annual	9	43	0	22	0
Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors	Annual	5	6	0	1	0
Psychology, State Board of	Biennial	7	5	0	3	0
Real Estate and Professional Licensing, Division of	Annual	5 Real Estate; 5 Prof Lic	53	0	15	0
Respiratory Care Board, Ohio	Biennial	5	2	0	1	0
Sanitarian Registration, State Board of	Annual	7	0	1	0	0
Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, Board of	Biennial	7	3	0	1	0
Veterinary Medical Board, Ohio	Biennial	7	2.5	0	1	0

^a The Board of Emergency Medical Services did not supply the information required by ORC 103.13 and 4743.01.

^b The workload is distributed among employees in different divisions.

^c The number of staff for the Board of Cosmetology and the Division of Industrial Compliance has included investigators for the last few years. FY 1999 figures reflect all staff except for investigators.

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

	FY 1998	FY 1999	CHANGE
Accountancy Board of Ohio^a	38,080	39,370	3.3%
Public Accountant - Ohio Registration	361	305	-18.4%
Public Accountant - Transitional Permit	9	--	--
Public Accountant - Ohio Permit	102	72	-41.7%
Certified Public Accountant - Ohio Registration	10,329	9,679	-6.7%
Certified Public Accountant - Transitional Permit	794	--	--
Certified Public Accountant - Ohio Permit	17,099	19,362	11.7%
Other	9,386	9,952	5.7%
Ambulance Licensing Board, Ohio	142	144	1.4%
Private Ambulance Services	142	144	1.4%
Architects and Landscape Architects, State Board of Examiners of	7,226	7,728	6.5%
Certificate of Qualification - Architect	6,267	6,628	5.4%
Certificate of Authorization - Architect	405	522	22.4%
Certificate of Qualification - Landscape Architect	527	548	3.8%
Certificate of Authorization - Landscape Architect	27	30	10.0%
Athletic Commission, Ohio	296	499	40.7%
Judges	37	39	5.1%
Referees	19	16	-18.8%
Timekeeper	5	15	66.7%
Manager	14	17	17.6%
Trainer	34	34	0.0%
Matchmaker	5	3	-66.7%
Seconds	64	99	35.4%
Promoter	26	37	29.7%
Permits	92	136	32.4%
Boxer	--	103	--
Barber Examiners, State Board of	13,087	12,585	-4.0%
Barber	9,907	9,288	-6.7%
Barber School Teacher	64	64	0.0%
Barber Shop	3,102	3,219	3.6%
Barber School	14	14	0.0%
Building Standards, Board of	--	934	--
Electrical Safety Inspector	--	934	--
Chiropractic Examiners, State of Ohio Board of	1,953	1,994	2.1%
Chiropractic Physician	1,953	1,994	2.1%
Construction Industry Examination Board	6,975	7,637	8.7%
Refrigeration	513	556	7.7%
Electrical	2,751	2,981	7.7%
Heating-Ventilation-Air Conditioning	1,383	1,547	10.6%
Hydronics	422	462	8.7%
Plumbing	1,906	2,091	8.8%

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

	FY 1998	FY 1999	CHANGE
Cosmetology, State Board of	92,005	106,600	13.7%
Beauty Salon	11,443	11,483	0.3%
Nail Salon	1,142	1,216	6.1%
Esthetic Salon	50	55	9.1%
Tanning Facility	3,517	3,262	-7.8%
Cosmetologist	16,618	22,692	26.8%
Managing Cosmetologist	43,604	51,474	15.3%
Cosmetology Instructor	5,459	5,664	3.6%
Cosmetology School	158	153	-3.3%
Manicurist	4,551	4,677	2.7%
Manicuring Instructor	110	148	25.7%
Managing Manicurist	4,954	5,313	6.8%
Esthetician	124	144	13.9%
Managing Esthetician	267	310	13.9%
Esthetics Instructor	8	9	11.1%
Counselor and Social Worker Board	27,683	28,171	1.7%
Counselor Assistant	320	52	-515.4%
Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor	2,086	2,440	14.5%
Licensed Social Worker (LSW)	15,997	15,926	-0.4%
Social Worker Assistant	670	944	29.0%
Licensed Professional Counselor	2,930	3,217	8.9%
Licensed Independent Social Worker (LISW)	5,680	5,592	-1.6%
Dental Board, Ohio State	19,892	21,145	5.9%
Dentist	7,252	7,454	2.7%
Dental Hygienist	5,940	6,360	6.6%
Dental Assistant Radiographers	6,534	6,698	2.4%
Dental Residents	152	102	-49.0%
Dental Teacher Licenses	9	14	35.7%
Dental Hygiene Teacher Licenses	0	1	-100.0%
Limited Continuing Education Licenses	5	7	28.6%
General Anesthesia	--	276	--
Conscious Sedation	--	233	--
Dietetics, Ohio Board of	3,227	3,254	0.8%
Dietitian License Reactivation	7	19	63.2%
Initial Dietitian License	172	179	3.9%
Late Fee - Dietitian	54	54	0.0%
Dietitian License Renewal	2,859	2,871	0.4%
Dietitian Limited Permits	98	97	-1.0%
Initial Dietitian License - Pro-rated	20	14	-42.9%
Dietitian License Reinstatement	17	20	15.0%
Embalmers and Funeral Directors, Board of	7,386	7,057	-4.7%
Funeral Homes	1,259	1,307	3.7%
Funeral Directors	3,210	3,249	1.2%
Embalmers	2,381	2,501	4.8%
Embalmer Registration	89	--	--
Funeral Director Registration	112	--	--
Embalmer Apprentice	134	--	--
Funeral Director Apprentice	145	--	--
Crematory	56	--	--

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

	FY 1998	FY 1999	CHANGE
Emergency Medical Services, Board of^c	--	--	--
Financial Institutions, Division of	5,402	7,169	24.6%
Pawnbroker	207	204	-1.5%
Ohio Small Loan Act	159	116	-37.1%
Ohio Mortgage Loan Act	3,120	3,769	17.2%
Precious Metals Dealers	24	27	11.1%
Money Transmitters - Domestic	14	15	6.7%
Money Transmitters - Foreign	14	15	6.7%
Mortgage Broker	1,010	1,722	41.3%
Credit Service Organization	4	5	20.0%
Check Cashers - Lenders	382	613	37.7%
Check Cashers	422	641	34.2%
Insurance Premium Finance Company	46	42	-9.5%
Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Licensing Board	789	740	-6.6%
Trainee Permit	109	76	-43.4%
Corporation License	199	217	8.3%
Individual License	481	447	-7.6%
Industrial Compliance, Division of^d	15,175	78,513	--
Steam Engineer License	15,175	14,582	-4.1%
Hotel/Motel	--	1,558	--
Explosive Magazines	--	96	--
Fireworks Exhibitors	--	556	--
Fire Safety	--	18,518	--
Travel Agents	--	64	--
Tour Promoters	--	42	--
Roller Rink Renewals	--	101	--
Ski Lift Renewals	--	8	--
Underground Storage Tank Renewals	--	39,716	--
Underground Storage Tank Permits	--	3,272	--
State Medical Board	44,540	45,488	2.1%
Doctor of Medicine (MD)	31,940	33,913	5.8%
Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO)	3,909	4,201	7.0%
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)	993	1,041	4.6%
Limited Practicioners	3,976	4,476	11.2%
Physician's Assistants	803	982	18.2%
Visiting Medical Faculty	1	1	0.0%
Visiting Podiatric Faculty	0	0	0.0%
Special Activity License	6	6	0.0%
Training Certificates	2,912	868	-235.5%
Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Registration Board	--	324	--
Regular	--	238	--
Temporary	--	86	--

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

	FY 1998	FY 1999	CHANGE
Motor Vehicle Dealer Licensing Board	27,621	33,771	18.2%
Motor Vehicle Dealers License	7,771	7,740	-0.4%
Motor Vehicle Leasing Dealers License	2,460	2,398	-2.6%
Motor Vehicle Salesperson's License	17,309	23,538	26.5%
Motor Vehicle Wholesaler's License ^e	12	--	--
Motor Vehicle Distributor's License	35	65	46.2%
Auction Owner's License	34	30	-13.3%
Motor Vehicle Salvage Dealer Licensing Board	1,792	2,170	17.4%
Salvage Motor Vehicle Dealers License	845	1,178	28.3%
Buyer's Identification Card	947	992	4.5%
Nursing, State Board of	184,155	187,804	1.9%
Registered Nurse	135,143	142,081	4.9%
Certified Nurse Approvers	11	11	0.0%
Certified Nurse	4,529	5,139	11.9%
Licensed Practical Nurse	44,411	40,468	-9.7%
Advanced Practice Nurse in University Pilot	61	105	41.9%
Nursing Home Administrators, Board of Examiners of	1,989	1,978	-0.6%
Nursing Home Administrator	1,989	1,978	-0.6%
Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy & Athletic Trainers	13,764	14,860	16.1%
Occupational Therapists	3,202	3,381	5.3%
Occupational Therapy Assistants	1,694	1,798	5.8%
Physical Therapists	4,834	5,210	7.2%
Physical Therapy Assistants	2,896	3,230	10.3%
Athletic Trainers	1,138	1,241	8.3%
Optical Dispensers Board	4,535	4,612	1.7%
Optician	3,137	3,216	2.5%
Ocularist	15	14	-7.1%
Registered Apprentice	1,383	1,382	-0.1%
Optometry, Ohio State Board of	3,824	3,959	3.4%
Optometric (all optometrists)	1,984	2,076	4.4%
Optometric (military - fees waived)	35	33	-6.1%
Therapeutic (secondary license)	1,655	1,721	3.8%
Diagnostic (secondary license)	150	129	-16.3%
Pharmacy Board, Ohio	25,678	26,381	0.0%
Pharmacists	13,296	13,786	3.6%
Pharmacy Interns	1,430	1,643	13.0%
Wholesale Distributors of Dangerous Drugs	1,048	1,048	0.0%
Terminal Distributors of Dangerous Drugs	9,423	9,423	0.0%
Controlled Substance	481	481	0.0%

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

	FY 1998	FY 1999	CHANGE
Professional Engineers and Surveyors, Board of Registration for	34,734	34,778	0.1%
Professional Surveyor	1,861	1,884	1.2%
Professional Engineer and Professional Surveyor Certificate of Authorization for	1,250	1,219	-2.5%
Engineers/Surveying Firms	770	827	6.9%
Professional Engineer	30,853	30,848	0.0%
Psychology, State Board of	4,190	3,971	-5.5%
Psychologist	3,774	3,589	-5.2%
School Psychologist	416	382	-8.9%
Real Estate and Licensing, Division of^d	--	39,725	--
Foreign Partnership	--	0	--
Foreign Corporation	--	86	--
Partnership	--	769	--
Limited Corporation	--	68	--
Association	--	164	--
Limited Liability	--	1,171	--
Corporation	--	27,419	--
Foreign Dealers	--	19	--
Individual Brokers	--	10,029	--
Auctioneers	2,954	3,634	18.7%
Apprentice Auctioneers	301	310	2.9%
Private Investigators (Corp)	419	415	-1.0%
Private Investigators (Main)	245	251	2.4%
Private Investigators (Corp Branch)	90	86	-4.7%
Private Investigators (Main Branch)	5	2	-150.0%
Respiratory Care Board, Ohio	6,870	6,697	-2.6%
Licensed Respiratory Care Professional	6,265	6,200	-1.0%
Limited Respiratory Care Permits	605	497	-21.7%
Sanitarian Registration, State Board of	1,531	1,528	-0.2%
Registered Sanitarians	1,296	1,312	1.2%
Sanitarians-in-Training	235	216	-8.8%
Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, State Board of	4,863	4,791	-1.5%
Speech-Language Pathologist	3,803	3,746	-1.5%
Speech-Language Pathology - Conditional	240	185	-29.7%
Speech-Language Pathology Aides	21	21	0.0%
Audiologist	680	746	8.8%
Audiology - Conditional	58	35	-65.7%
Audiology Aides	61	58	-5.2%
Veterinary Medical Board, Ohio	4,421	4,537	2.6%
Veterinarian	3,162	3,339	5.3%
Registered Veterinary Technician	1,222	1,159	-5.4%
Veterinary Specialist	37	39	5.1%

Active Licenses Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999

^a In Sub. S.B. 200 of the 122nd G.A. the "unlimited permit was retitled the "Ohio permit," and the limited permit and "non-practicing registration were combined and retitled the "Ohio registration". The "transitional permit" was no longer issued, effective January 1, 1999.

^b The information for this Board was not included in last year's report.

^c The Board did not supply the information required by ORC 103.13 and 4743.01.

^d Different classifications of licenses for the boards within the Department of Commerce were included in this year's report.

^e Motor Vehicle wholesaler's licenses were last issued in FY 1998, due to S.B. 186 of the 121st G.A.

Revenues and Expenditures

Information in this section is divided based on each agency's renewal cycle. The boards included in this report renew licenses on a triennial, biennial or annual basis.

Agencies with a Triennial Renewal Cycle

Accountancy Board of Ohio operates from two state funds, the 4K9 and the 4J8 Funds. The board's license revenues and the board's operational expenditures are included the 4K9 fund. Monies from the 4J8 Fund come from fees paid by licensees and are used for the board's scholarship program. The 4J8 Fund was created as a result of FY1993 legislation that increased the basic education requirements an individual must meet to become licensed as a Certified Public Accountant. The first disbursement from the 4J8 Fund was in FY1998.

The Accountancy Board has been running large surpluses in the 4K9 Fund for the past several years. Beginning in FY1999, the Accountancy Board reduced its fees so that fee revenues will more closely match Board expenditures.

4K9 Fund – Operating

	FY1997	FY1998	FY 1999	3-YEAR NET
REVENUES	\$1,147,299	\$1,399,793	\$1,442,725	\$3,989,817
EXPENDITURES	\$684,706	\$708,410	\$590,213	\$1,983,329
NET TOTAL	\$462,593	\$691,383	\$852,512	\$2,006,488

4J8 Fund – Scholarship Fund

	FY1997	FY1998	FY 1999	3-YEAR NET
REVENUES	\$134,002	\$161,295	\$0	\$295,297
EXPENDITURES	\$0	\$276,000	\$160,700	\$436,700
NET TOTAL	\$134,002	(\$114,705)	(\$160,700)	\$(141,403)

The Board of Building Standards uses the 4K9 Fund to collect license fees for Electrical Safety Inspectors. In FY1999, the Board received \$10,335 in revenues and used \$10,335 in expenses.

Agencies with a Biennial Renewal Cycle

Many of the boards renew their licenses on a biennial cycle. Because of this, each board receives the bulk of its licensing revenue every other year. A board may run a deficit in its "off" year that will be eliminated during its renewal year. The two-year renewal cycle must be analyzed to determine if a board is financially self-sufficient. Data on the following page contains information on the boards with a biennial renewal cycle.

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Agencies with a Biennial Renewal Cycle

BOARD	Fund Group	FY 1998			FY 1999			Revenues FY98 - FY99 % Change	Expenditures FY98 - FY99 % Change	Two Year Net
		Revenues	Expenditures	Net	Revenues	Expenditures	Net			
Ambulance Licensing Board	4N1	\$225,873	\$188,991	\$36,882	\$80,901	\$191,300	(\$110,399)	-64%	1%	(\$73,517)
Architects and Landscape Architects, State Board of Examiners of	4K9	\$859,624	\$401,543	\$458,081	\$154,277	\$374,802	(\$220,525)	-82%	-7%	\$237,556
Barber Examiners, State Board of	4K9	\$87,835	\$448,868	(\$361,033)	\$202,215	\$427,618	(\$225,403)	130%	-5%	(\$586,436)
Cosmetology, State Board of	4K9	\$696,350	\$1,880,468	(\$1,184,118)	\$3,182,083	\$2,050,828	\$1,131,255	357%	9%	(\$52,863)
	4D3	\$1,415	\$0	\$1,415	\$0	\$0	\$0	-100%	--	\$1,415
Counselor and Social Worker Board	4K9	\$814,600	\$655,028	\$159,572	\$1,072,605	\$722,395	\$350,210	32%	10%	\$509,782
Dental Board, Ohio State	4K9	\$1,852,829	\$974,268	\$878,561	\$285,204	\$979,066	(\$693,862)	-85%	0%	\$184,699
Emergency Medical Services, Board of ^a	4K9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nursing, State Board of	4K9	\$4,364,208	\$3,263,195	\$1,101,013	\$2,535,541	\$5,107,045	(\$2,571,504)	-42%	57%	(\$1,470,491)
	203	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,783,009	\$5,783,009	\$0	--	--	\$0
Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board	4K9	\$797,173	\$499,418	\$297,755	\$744,054	\$535,319	\$208,735	-7%	7%	\$506,490
Psychology, State Board of	4K9	\$21,824	\$394,674	(\$372,850)	\$773,838	\$406,407	\$367,431	3446%	3%	(\$5,419)
Respiratory Care Board, Ohio	4K9	\$512,899	\$236,638	\$276,261	\$69,257	\$217,405	(\$148,148)	-86%	-8%	\$128,113
State Medical Board	4K9	\$8,384,860	\$5,133,816	\$3,251,044	\$2,535,541	\$5,107,045	(\$2,571,504)	-70%	-1%	\$679,540
Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, State Board of	4K9	\$113,180	\$307,086	(\$193,906)	\$707,126	\$315,647	\$391,479	525%	3%	\$197,573
Veterinary Medical Board, Ohio	4K9	\$537,886	\$327,464	\$210,422	\$324,794	\$172,627	\$152,167	-40%	-47%	\$362,589

^a The Board did not supply the information required by ORC 103.13

Revenues and Expenditures

Agencies with an Annual Renewal Cycle

BOARD	Fund Group	FY 1998			FY 1999			Revenues FY98 - FY99 % Change	Expenditures FY98 - FY99 % Change	Two Year Net
		Revenues	Expenditures	Net	Revenues	Expenditures	Net			
Athletic Commission, Ohio	4K9	\$50,688	\$134,002	(\$83,314)	\$12,120	\$129,378	(\$117,258)	-76%	-3%	(\$200,572)
Chiropractic Examiners, State of Ohio Board of	4K9	\$539,789	\$416,063	\$123,726	\$548,881	\$451,747	\$97,134	2%	9%	\$220,860
Construction Industry Examination Board	556	\$305,565	\$204,106	\$101,459	\$220,410	\$164,638	\$55,772	-28%	-19%	\$157,231
Dietetics, Ohio Board of	4K9	\$264,462	\$228,272	\$36,190	\$40,257	\$227,741	(\$187,484)	-85%	0%	(\$151,294)
Embalmers and Funeral Directors, Board of	4K9	\$469,817	\$382,618	\$87,199	\$353,682	\$372,143	(\$18,461)	-25%	-3%	\$68,738
Financial Institutions, Division of	553	\$2,456,430	\$1,134,248	\$1,322,182	\$2,264,126	\$1,288,219	\$975,907	-8%	14%	\$2,298,089
	544	\$49,000	\$0	\$49,000	\$65,500	\$0	\$65,500	34%	--	\$114,500
Hearing Aid Dealers and Fitters Licensing Board	470	\$107,502	\$124,344	(\$16,842)	\$99,270	\$99,304	(\$34)	-8%	-20%	(\$16,876)
Industrial Compliance, Division of	556	\$573,325	\$339,961	\$233,364	\$1,507,505	\$2,019,905	(\$512,399)	163%	494%	(\$279,035)
Landscape Architects, Board of ^a	4K9	--	--	---	\$52,362	\$46,180	\$6,182	--	--	--
Division of Licensing	5B9	\$960,168	\$796,885	\$163,283	\$886,514	\$815,362	\$71,152	-8%	2%	\$234,435
	5B8	\$225,349	\$239,627	(\$14,278)	\$415,505	\$255,316	\$160,189	84%	7%	\$145,911
	4D2	\$15,188	\$11,466	\$3,722	\$38,458	\$11,447	\$27,011	153%	0%	\$30,733
Motor Vehicle Collision Repair Registration, Board of	5H9	--	--	--	\$32,400	\$106,936	(\$74,536)	--	--	--
Motor Vehicle Dealer Licensing Board	BMV Fund	\$341,534	\$199,870	\$141,664	\$372,111	\$202,705	\$169,406	-80%	-82%	\$311,070
Motor Vehicle Salvage Dealer Licensing Board	BMV Fund	\$51,182	\$34,940	\$16,242	\$68,034	\$35,610	\$32,424	422%	583%	\$48,666
Optical Dispensers Board	4K9	\$260,544	\$229,787	\$30,757	\$267,407	\$238,606	\$28,801	3%	4%	\$59,558
Optometry, Ohio State Board of	4K9	\$283,941	\$231,140	\$52,801	\$286,629	\$243,965	\$42,664	1%	6%	\$95,465

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Agencies with an Annual Renewal Cycle

BOARD	Fund Group	FY 1998			FY 1999			Revenues FY98 - FY99 % Change	Expenditures FY98 - FY99 % Change	Two Year Net
		Revenues	Expenditures	Net	Revenues	Expenditures	Net			
Pharmacy Board, Ohio ^b	4K9	\$4,232,927	\$3,254,336	\$978,591	\$4,038,645	\$3,364,075	\$674,570	-5%	3%	\$1,653,161
	4A5	*	*	--	\$231,633	\$129,925	\$101,708	--	--	--
Professional Engineers and Surveyors, Board of Registration for	4K9	\$918,893	\$796,618	\$122,275	\$941,743	\$741,541	\$200,202	2%	-7%	\$322,477
Real Estate, Division of	4B2	\$71,123	\$0	\$71,123	\$74,714	\$0	\$74,714	5%	--	\$145,837
	4H9	\$244,465	\$172,967	\$71,498	\$236,218	\$189,714	\$46,504	-3%	10%	\$118,002
	547	\$243,204	\$155,225	\$87,979	\$227,336	\$231,364	(\$4,028)	-7%	49%	\$83,951
	548	\$61,237	\$200,124	(\$138,887)	\$58,867	\$94,754	(\$35,887)	-4%	-53%	(\$174,774)
	549	\$2,511,732	\$2,043,525	\$468,207	\$2,392,860	\$2,110,811	\$282,049	-5%	3%	\$750,256
6A4	\$489,177	\$347,986	\$141,191	\$498,531	\$406,203	\$92,328	2%	17%	\$233,519	
Sanitarian Registration, State Board of	4K9	\$83,451	\$83,822	(\$371)	\$83,313	\$89,753	(\$6,440)	0%	7%	(\$6,811)

^a Information given in different format in FY 1998.

^b Information from FY1998 was obtained from OBM

Agencies with a Quarterly Renewal Cycle

BOARD	Fund Group	FY 1998			FY 1999			Revenues FY98 - FY99 % Change	Expenditures FY98 - FY99 % Change	Two Year Net
		Revenues	Expenditures	Net	Revenues	Expenditures	Net			
Nursing Home Administrators, Board of Examiners of	470	\$466,055	\$373,525	\$92,530	\$453,455	\$443,335	\$10,120	-3%	19%	\$102,650

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