

**Chemical Dependency Professionals Board**

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**General Services Fund Group**

**4K9 930-609 Operating Expenses**

2002 Actual	2003 Actual	2004 Actual	2005 Actual	2006 Appropriation	2007 Appropriation
\$0	\$0	\$181,390	\$385,435	<b>\$452,976</b>	<b>\$0</b>
			112.5%	<b>17.5%</b>	<b>-100.0%</b>

**Source:** General Services Fund Group: License fees and other assessments collected by the state's professional and occupational licensing boards

**Legal Basis:** ORC 4758.10 and 4743.05; Section 203.66 of Am. Sub. H.B. 66 of the 126th G.A. (originally established by Sub. H.B. 496 of the 124th G.A.)

**Purpose:** Funds are used for general operating expenses, including payroll and supplies for the Chemical Dependency Professionals Board. The Board licenses and regulates chemical dependency professionals who practice in Ohio.  
The budget appropriations act for FYs 2006 and 2007 merges the board into the Department of Health. As such, the enacted budget contains no funding in FY 2007 for the board. The specifics of the consolidation will be addressed during FY 2006 by a task force consisting of the Board, the Department of Health, as well as the Department of Administrative Services, the Office of Budget and Management (OBM), and the Governor's Office.