

MEMORANDUM

DATE	November 13, 2025
TO	Board Members
FROM	Machiko Chong Licensing Program Manager
SUBJECT	Agenda Item #10 – Licensing Program Summary Attachments 10a & 10b

<u>Licensing Statistics & Program Review</u>

Attachments 10a & **10b** reflect the licensing population and application stats for the first quarter of the 2025/26 Fiscal Year. Currently, there are 17,012 licensed osteopathic physicians and surgeons; 1,695 postgraduate training licensees (PTL); 1,369 fictitious name permits; and no Temporary Osteopathic physician and surgeon license. With the application process converting from paper to exclusive electronic submission in the 2022/23 Fiscal Year and the Board experiencing a parallel backlog as a result of the manual keying of applicant data. Nonetheless, there are 312 pending initial applications with 48 of those requesting expedite services. The application breakdown is as follows:

Application Stats

- Postgraduate Training License (65 applications)
- Osteopathic physician and surgeon (247 applications)

Expedite Service Requests

- Medically Underserved Area (37 applications)
- Military Veteran (11 applications)
- Abortion Services (1 application)

Director Calderon noted in her report that the Board went through a reorg in February, resulting in the Licensing Unit graciously receiving the redirect of three (3) board staff (Sanjay Naresh, Jaime Nichols, and David Moran). Over the past 2 months I've worked with staff to update CME Compliance and Fictitious Name Permit (FNP) documents as well as revise certain aspects of our BreEZe VO transactions to ensure that the Board is following legislative and regulatory mandates. Staff will soon begin

completing UAT testing, to verify that all requested revisions have been completed within the VO Transactions for initial and renewal applications for the following:

- PTL applications (online)–
 - o Licensee pocket license self-query via BreEZe Portal
- Physician and surgeon application (online)
 - Removal of Postgraduate Training modifier placement*
 - o Update to Information Privacy Act and Attestation language
- Physician and surgeon Renewal Application (online)
 - Removal of hold placed on licensee profiles for 36-month compliance*

Ideally, if time permits I would also like to go through the review and revision of the Fictious Name Permit application (initial) so that we are able to go live by Q2 of FY 25/26.

Osteopathic Medical Boad of California Current Licensee Population Agenda Item 10 (A) -Application Services Stats Stats FY 25-2026 Q1

Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon				
License Status	Total Licensees			
Active	14,580			
Delinquent/Expired	2011			
Inactive	421			
Total:	17,012			

Postgraduate Training License (PTL)			
License Status	Total Licensees		
Active	1,691		
Delinquent/Expired	4		
Inactive	0		
Total:	1,695		

Temporary License				
License Status	Total Licensees			
Temp Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon	0			
Temp Postgraduate Training License (PTL)	0			
Total:	0			

Fictitious Name Permit				
License Status	Total Licensees			
Active	1,102			
Delinquent/Expired	267			
Inactive	0			
Total:	1,369			
Total Number of Licensees/Permit Holders	20,076			

Application Services Statistics Report

Total Applications Received			
	FY 2024/25	FY 25/26	Year → Year
	YTD YTD		Change
Physician and Surgeon	438	462	1 5%
Postgraduate Traning License	253	291	15%
Fictitious Name Permits	82	150	45 %
Total	773	903	17 %

Applications Approved			
	FY 2024/25	FY 25/26	Year → Year
	YTD	YTD	Change
Physician and Surgeon	528	437	↓ -17%
Postgraduate Traning License	562	617	10%
Fictitious Name Permits	29	86	197%
Total	1,119	1,140	1 2%

Renewals			
	FY 2024/25	FY 25/26	Year → Year
	YTD	YTD	Change
Physician and Surgeon	1,850	2,776	1 50%
Ficticious Name Permits	132	274	108%