

Agency Summary

Naturopathic Physicians Board of Medical Examiners

Gail Anthony, Executive Director

Phone: 6025428242

A.R.S. § 32-1501

Mission:

To protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public by regulating the practice of naturopathic medicine.

Description:

The State of Arizona Naturopathic Physicians Medical Board regulates physicians who engage in the practice of naturopathic medicine, including certification of those in specialty practice; certifies graduates to engage in preceptorship, and postdoctoral training programs; certifies medical assistants who work under naturopathic physicians; certifies naturopathic physicians to dispense natural substances, drugs, and devices from their offices; and conducts investigations and hearings on complaints relating to medical incompetence and unprofessional conduct.

Agency Summary: (\$ Thousands)

Program	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Estimate	FY 2026 Estimate
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Funding:

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5 Year Plan

Issue 1 Completion of Thentia Project

Description: Although the Board signed off on the proposed Thentia Cloud solution on 1/17/2024, the final product has yet to completed.

Solutions:

Completion of the Thentia Project.

Resource Assumptions

	FY 2027 Estimate	FY 2028 Estimate	FY 2029 Estimate
Full-Time Equivalent Positions	1.0	1.0	1.0
General Fund	-	-	-
Other Appropriated Funds	225.0	225.0	225.0
Non-Appropriated Funds	-	-	-
Federal Funds	-	-	-

Program Summary

Naturopathic Physicians Board of Medical Examiners (NBA-1-0)

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A.R.S. §32-1501, et. seq.

Mission:

It is our duty and mission to protect the Public through Regulation of the Practice of Naturopathic Medicine.

Description:

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Performance Measures	FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Estimate	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Estimate	FY 2026 Estimate
Total Applications Received for Licensure and Certificates during the fiscal period.	1,186	1,150	2,221	1,150	2,321
Total Licenses and Certificates issued during the fiscal period.	197	200	2,213	200	2,333
Average number of days to process applications.	4	4	3	4	3
Active physician licenses	1,199	1,275	1,253	1,295	1,295
Active certificates.	1,072	1,125	955	1,135	1,135

◆ **Goal 2** To fully investigate and adjudicate complaints in a timely manner.

Performance Measures	FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Estimate	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Estimate	FY 2026 Estimate
Complaints received against licensed or certified persons	11	39	27	27	27
Complaints resolved in same fiscal year	9	39	23	23	23
Complaints received against unlicensed individuals in the fiscal year	1	2	3	2	3

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Performance Measures:

ML	Budget	Type		FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Estimate	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Estimate	FY 2026 Estimate
		EF	Average number of days to resolve complaints - same fiscal year 2024 Average Investigation Days =28 Average number of Days to Resolve complaints = 62	54	54	76	76	76

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Budget Related Performance Measures
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Not in Master List

Goals without any Performance Measures Marked for inclusion in the Master List

The display of the footnote: * = Agency, Program, or Sub Program has no goals with publishable performance measures.

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Program: * NBA-1-0 Naturopathic Physicians Board of Medical Examiners

Goal Name: To fully investigate and adjudicate complaints in a timely manner.

Performance Measure Name:

Average number of days to resolve complaints - same fiscal year

2024 Average Investigation Days =28

Average number of Days to Resolve complaints = 62

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G 1 NBA-G001 To process all completed license and certificate applications within the required time frame.

P 1 NBA-PM0001 Total Applications Received for Licensure and Certificates during the fiscal period.

P 2 NBA-PM0002 Total Licenses and Certificates issued during the fiscal period.

P 3 NBA-PM0003 Average number of days to process applications.

P 4 NBA-PM0004 Active physician licenses

P 5 NBA-PM0005 Active certificates.

G 2 NBA-G002 To fully investigate and adjudicate complaints in a timely manner.

P 1 NBA-PM0006 Complaints received against licensed or certified persons

P 2 NBA-PM0007 Complaints resolved in same fiscal year

P 3 NBA-PM0009 Complaints received against unlicensed individuals in the fiscal year

S 1 NBA-1-1 Naturopathic Licensing and Regulation

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