

## Delaware Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline



The Delaware Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline can trace its roots to the Medical Council of Delaware and two Boards of Medical Examiners created by the state legislature in 1915. The two Boards of Medical Examiners represented the Medical Society of Delaware and the Homeopathic Medical Society of Delaware. The Medical Council consisted of the presidents of the two Boards of Medical Examiners and the state Chief Justice.

The board has a long history of active participation with the Federation of State Medical Boards. In 1964–65, the board's [Andrew M. Gehret, M.D.](#), served as the president of the FSMB. More recently, Delaware board member, [Galicano Inquito, M.D.](#), has served on the board of directors for the Federation of State Medical Boards.

In 1975, a comprehensive revision of the Medical Practice Act replaced the Medical Council with the Delaware Board of Licensure and Discipline. Ignatius Tikellis, M.D., Lee Butler, M.D., and [Vincent Lobo, D.O.](#) were each instrumental in establishing guidelines for the board at its inception. Dr. Butler brought many programs adopted by the Delaware board to the FSMB, which were subsequently adopted.