

New Mexico Medical Board



The state legislature established the [New Mexico Medical Board](#) “in the interest of public health, safety and welfare, and to protect the public from the improper, unprofessional, incompetent and unlawful practice of medicine.” The board regulates the licensing of physicians and physician assistants. The board consists of nine members: six physician members, one physician assistant member and two public members. New Mexico Medical Board members who served as FSMB past presidents or chairs

include [Robert C. Derbyshire, M.D.](#) (1965-6).