

ence in audiology for at least five years, hold the certificate of clinical competence in audiology of the American Speech and Hearing Association or the equivalent, and be approved by the Maryland Speech and Hearing Association. One member must have had paid work experience in speech pathology for at least five years, hold the certificate of clinical competence in Speech Pathology of the American Speech and Hearing Association or the equivalent, and be approved by the Maryland Speech and Hearing Association. One member must be a person licensed to practice medicine in Maryland and hold a certificate of qualification from the American Board of Otolaryngology. One member must be a consumer, who is appointed with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The Board evaluates the qualifications of audiologists in the State and issues licenses to those who fulfill the requirements. The licenses are renewed annually (Code 1957, Art. 43, secs. 791-808).

STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

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The State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, created by Chapter 666, Acts of 1920, consists of four members. Three must be practicing chiropractors, residents of the State, graduates of a resident course in chiropractic, and have practiced chiropractic in the State for a period of at least five consecutive years. The Governor, upon the recommendation of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, appoints one member each year from a list of five names submitted to him by the Maryland Chiropractic Association. The fourth member is a consumer appointed by the Governor upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene with the advice and consent of the Senate. Members serve three-year terms (Code 1957, Art. 43, secs. 499-512, Art. 48A, sec. 489). The Board examines applicants for licenses, investigates all complaints, and reports them to the State's Attorney if necessary.

The Board holds two examinations each year in March and September. It has power to investigate and ascertain whether the several schools of chi-

ropractic meet the requirements of the law. Each person holding a chiropractic license in Maryland must renew it annually with the secretary of the Board (Code 1957, Art. 48A, sec. 489).

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The General Assembly established this Board by Chapter 150, Acts of 1884. The Governor appoints its ten members for six-year terms with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene. He appoints two members biennially from a list of four practicing dentists furnished by the Maryland State Dental Association and the Maryland Dental Society. Until 1970 the Board consisted of six members. Chapter 503, Acts of 1970, enlarged the membership of the Board by providing for the appointment of additional members in 1971, 1973, and 1975 until the full membership was reached. Chapter 702, Acts of 1980, provided for two consumer members, who must not have had training or financial interests in dentistry. The Dental Practice Act of the State provides that this Board regulate the practice of dentistry by testing the qualifications of candidates for licenses in dentistry and in dental hygiene.

All applicants for licenses to practice dentistry must be graduates of dental colleges duly incorporated to grant degrees in Dental Surgery by the laws of one of the United States or Canada. All applicants for a license to practice dental hygiene must be graduates of a school for dental hygienists requiring at least two years of study and approved by the State Board of Dental Examiners. Examinations, held twice every year, are both written and practical. Every dentist and every dental hygienist must register annually (Code 1957, Art. 32, secs. 2-34).