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Created in 1972, the State Board of Examiners for Audiologists evaluates the qualifications of audiologists in the State and issues licenses to those who fulfill the requirements (Chapter 547, Acts of 1972). Licenses are renewed every two years.

The Board consists of six members appointed for five-year terms by the Governor on recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene. Three members must be professional audiologists, one must be a professional speech pathologist, and another must be licensed to practice medicine in Maryland and hold an American Board of Otolaryngology certificate of qualification. One member is a consumer, appointed with the advice and consent of the Senate. Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1994 (Code Health Occupations Article, secs. 2-201 through 2-207).

### STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

*President:* James S. Brownfield, D.C., 1988

Audie G. Klingler, D.C., 1987; Dorothy Hunt, 1989; Frank L. Roberts, D.C., 1990; Florence G. Blanck, D.C., 1991.

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Created in 1920, the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners examines applicants for licenses, investigates all complaints, and reports such complaints to the State's Attorney, if necessary (Chapter 666, Acts of 1920). The Board holds two examinations each year in March and September. It has power to investigate and ascertain whether schools of chiropractic meet the requirements of the law. Each person holding a chiropractic license in Maryland must renew it every two years with the secretary of the Board (Code Health Occupations Article, secs. 3-201 through 3-602).

The Board consists of five members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene and the advice and

consent of the Senate. Four must be licensed chiropractors appointed from a list of qualified individuals submitted to the Governor by the Maryland Chiropractic Association. The fifth member is a consumer. Members serve five-year terms. Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1992.

### STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

*President:* Don Neil Brotman, D.D.S., 1987

Stanley E. Block, D.D.S., 1987; J. Laws Nickens, Sr., D.D.S., 1987; Noel E. Slotke, R.D.H., 1988; Richard E. Bolyard, D.D.S., 1989; Luther A. Mathias, D.D.S., 1989; Dennis M. Sullivan, D.D.S., 1989; Jesse Blatt, D.D.S., 1991; William M. Ferris, 1991; J. Roedel Jaeger, D.D.S., 1991; George F. Woodland, D.D.S., 1991; James A. Williamson, 1992.

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Established in 1884, the State Board of Dental Examiners regulates the practice of dentistry by testing the qualifications of candidates for licenses in dentistry and in dental hygiene (Chapter 150, Acts of 1884).

All applicants for license 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 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 every two years.

The Board also certifies dental radiation technologists. After July 1, 1988, an individual may not practice dental radiation technology unless certified by the Board (Code Health Occupations Article, sec. 4-503.1).

The Governor appoints the Board's twelve members for four-year terms with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Board includes nine licensed dentists, one licensed dental hygienist, and two consumer members. The Governor appoints the consumer members with the advice of the Secretary and the advice and consent of the Senate. Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1993 (Code Health Occupations Article, secs. 4-201 through 4-209).