

## SURVEY OF STATE COSMETOLOGY BOARD'S POSITION ON THE AESTHETICIAN LICENSE IN THE MEDICAL PRACTICE

If your practice employs or contracts with an aesthetician, it's important to know whether or not your state cosmetology board recognizes aesthetician licenses in a medical practice. Use the responses to the following PCI Journal and Paramedical Consultants survey to find out if yours does. Contact information is provided, should you wish to contact the society yourself. This information was last updated on February 1, 2001.

<b>Contact Information</b> (If an email or Web site address is missing, that means it was not available during the survey.)	<b>Response</b>
<b>ALABAMA</b> Alabama Board of Cosmetology RSA Union Building, Suite 320 P.O. Box 301750 Montgomery, AL 36130 Tel: 334.242-1918 800.815.7453 Fax: 334.242-1926 E-mail: cosmetology@aboc.state.al.us Web: www.aboc.state.al.us/	This issue has not been addressed at this time.
<b>ALASKA</b> Community & Economic Development Board of Barbers & Hairdressers P.O. Box 110806 Juneau, AK 99811-0806 Tel: 907.465-2534 Fax: 907.465-2974 E-mail: license@dced.state.ak.us Web: www.dced.state.ak.us/occ/home.htm	The question does not provide enough specific information about the activities of the aesthetician in the medical profession for the Division of Occupational Licensing to respond.
<b>ARIZONA</b> Arizona Board of Cosmetology 1721 East Broadway Tempe, AZ 85282-1611 Tel: 602.784-4539 Ext. 227 Fax: 602.255-3680 Fax E-mail: N/A Web: www.azleg.state.az.us/	No. A doctor's office must license the facility with the Arizona Board of Cosmetology.
<b>ARKANSAS</b> Arkansas State Board of Cosmetology 101 East Capital Avenue, Suite 108 Little Rock, AR 72201 Tel: 501.682-2168 Fax: 501.682-5640 E-mail: cosmo@mail.state.ar.us Web: N/A	Yes.
<b>CALIFORNIA</b> California Board of Cosmetology P.O. Box 944226 400 R Street, Suite 4080 Sacramento, CA 94244 Tel: 916.445-0916	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.

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<b>CONNECTICUT</b> Connecticut Department of Public Health 410 Capitol Avenue MS#12APP Hartford, CT 06134-0308 Tel: 860.509-7569 Fax: 860.509-8457 Fax E-mail: N/A Web: www.state.ct.us	No.
<b>DELAWARE</b> Delaware Board of Cosmetology Cannon Building 861 Silver Lake Blvd., #203 Dover, DE 19904 Tel: 302.739-4522 Extension 218 Fax: 302.739-2711 E-mail: gaylemelvin@state.de.us	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</b> Consumer & Regulatory Affairs Occupational & Professional Licensing 614 H Street NW, Room 910 Washington, DC 20013-7200 Tel: 202.442-4320 Fax: 202.442-4528 Web: www.dkra.org	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>FLORIDA</b> Florida Board of Cosmetology Department of Business and Professional Regulation Northwood Centre, 1940 N Monroe Tallahassee, FL 32399-0790 Tel: 850.488-5702 Fax: 850.922-6959 Fax E-mail: julie.baker@dbpr.state.fl.us Fax: www.myflorida.com	No.
<b>GEORGIA</b> Georgia Board of Cosmetology 237 Coliseum Drive Macon, GA 31217 Tel: 912.207-1430 Fax: 478.207.1442 Fax Web: www.sos.state.ga.us	No.
<b>HAWAII</b> Professional Vocational Licensing Commerce & Consumer	The issue has not been addressed at this time.

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Affairs 1010 Richards Street P.O. Box 3469 Honolulu, HI 96801 Tel: 808.586-3000 Fax: 808.586-3031 Web: www.state.hi.us/dcca	
<b>IDAHO</b> Department of Self-Governing Affairs Bureau of Occupational Licenses Owyhee Plaza 1109 Main Street, #220 Boise, ID 83702 Tel: 208.334-3233 Fax: 208.334-3945 Fax Web: www.state.id.us/bol	No.
<b>IOWA</b> Iowa Department of Public Health Cosmetology Board of Iowa Lucas State Office Building Des Moines, IA 50319-0075 Tel: 515.281-4416 Fax: 515.281-3121 E-mail: dsuchy@idph.state.ia.us Web: www.idph.state.ia.us/licensure	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>ILLINOIS</b> Department of Professional Regulation 320 W. Washington Street, 3rd Floor Springfield, IL 62786 Tel: 217.782-8556 Fax: 217.557-8073 E-mail: tsanders@dpr084r1.state.il.us Web: www.dpr.state.il.us	Aestheticians can work only to the extent their license allows. Illinois laws governing aestheticians may be found on the department Web site.
<b>INDIANA</b> Government Center South 302 W. Washington Street Room E 034 Indianapolis, IN 46204-2700 Tel: 317.232-2980 Fax: 317.233-5559 Web: www.ai.org/pla/index.html	No.
<b>KANSAS</b> Board of Cosmetology 714 S W Jackson, Suite 100 Topeka, KS 66603-3714 Tel: 785.296-3155 Fax: 785.296-3002 E-mail: kboc@ink.org Web: www.ink.org/public/kboc	No. The Kansas Board of Cosmetology has no regulatory authority over the Kansas Board of Healing Arts.
<b>KENTUCKY</b> Board of Cosmetology 111 St. James Court, Suite A	No.

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Frankfort, KY 40601 Tel: 502.564-4262 Fax: 502.564-0481 E-mail: dena.moore@mail.state.ky.us	
<b>LOUISIANA</b> Board of Cosmetology 11622 Sunbelt Court Baton Rouge, LA 70809 Tel: 225.756-3404 Fax: 225-756-3410 E-mail: lsbc@lsbc.state.la.us	This issue has not been addressed at this time.
<b>MAINE</b> State Board of Cosmetology 35 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0035 Tel: 207.624-8579 Fax: 207.624-8637 E-mail: linda.s.harris@state.me.us Web: www.mainprofessionalreg.org	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>MARYLAND</b> Board of Cosmetologists 500 N. Calvert Street, 3rd Floor Baltimore, MD 21202 Tel: 410.230-6320 Fax: 410. 333-6314 E-mail: mbrown@dllr.state.md.us Web: www.dllr.state.md.us	No.
<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b> Board of Cosmetology 239 Causeway Street Boston, MA 02114 Tel: 617.727-3067 Fax: 617.727-2197 Web: www.state.ma.us/reg	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>MICHIGAN</b> Bureau of Commercial Services Board of Cosmetology P.O. Box 30018 Lansing, MI 48909-7518 Tel: 517.241-9201 Fax: 517.241-9280 E-mail: judy.dennis@cis.state.mi.us Web: www.cis.state.mi.us	No.
<b>MINNESOTA</b> Department of Commerce Cosmetology Enforcement 85 E 7th Place, Suite 600 St. Paul, MN 55101 Tel: 651.297-3839 (800) 657-3602 Fax: 651.296-4328	No.

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E-mail: <a href="mailto:pamela.eftikides@state.mn.us">pamela.eftikides@state.mn.us</a> Web: <a href="http://www.commerce.state.mn.us">www.commerce.state.mn.us</a>	
<b>MISSISSIPPI</b> Board of Cosmetology 3000 Old Canton Road, #112 Jackson, MS 39216 Tel: 601.987-6837 Fax: 601.987-6840	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>MISSOURI</b> State Board of Cosmetology 3605 Missouri Boulevard P.O. Box 1062 Jefferson City, MO 65102 Tel: 573.751-1052 Fax: 573.751-8167 E-mail: <a href="mailto:cosmo@mail.state.mo.us">cosmo@mail.state.mo.us</a> Web: <a href="http://www.ecodev.state.mo.us/pr">www.ecodev.state.mo.us/pr</a>	This issue has not been addressed at this time.
<b>MONTANA</b> Board of Cosmetologists P.O. Box 200513 Helena, MT 59620-0513 Tel: 406.841-2333 Fax: 406.841-2305 E-mail: <a href="mailto:compolcos@state.mt.us">compolcos@state.mt.us</a> Web: <a href="http://www.state.mt.us">www.state.mt.us</a>	No. Aestheticians are licensed by the Board of Cosmetologists. If Doctor's wish to employ employee aestheticians in their practices, they may do so. But not as an aesthetician—only as the Doctor's assistant.
<b>NEBRASKA</b> Department of Health & Human Services Regulation and Licensure, Credentialing Division 301 Centennial Mall South, 3rd Floor P.O. Box 94986 Lincoln, NE 68509 Tel: 402.471-2117 Fax: 402.471-3577 E-mail: <a href="mailto:kris.chiles@hhs.state.ne.us">kris.chiles@hhs.state.ne.us</a> Web: <a href="http://www.hhs.state.ne.us">www.hhs.state.ne.us</a>	No. Practice must occur in a licensed establishment.
<b>NEVADA</b> Board of Cosmetology 1785 East Sahara Avenue Suite 255 Las Vegas, NV 89104 Tel: 702.486-6542 Fax: 702.369-8064	No. If aestheticians are working under a doctor, if they are performing as a physicians' assistant under his direction on his patient. If they are practicing as an aesthetician, they must have the appropriate salon license. These issues are currently under review.
<b>NEW HAMPSHIRE</b> Board of Cosmetology and Esthetic Board 2 Industrial Park Drive Concord, NH 03301 Tel: 603.271-3608 Fax: 603.271-8889 E-mail: <a href="mailto:lelliott@nhsa.state.nh.us">lelliott@nhsa.state.nh.us</a> Web: <a href="http://www.state.nh.us/cosmet">www.state.nh.us/cosmet</a>	No.
<b>NEW JERSEY</b>	No.

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Board of Cosmetology 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor Newark, NJ 07101 Tel: 973.504-6400 Fax: 973.648-3536 Web: www.state.nj.us	
<b>NEW MEXICO</b> Barber and Cosmetologist P.O. Box 25101 Sante Fe, NM 87504 Tel: 505.476-7110 Fax: 505.476-7118 Fax: www.rld.state.nm.us/b&c/	No. Medical practice must have an Establishment License for a licensed Aesthetician to work there.
<b>NEW YORK</b> Department of State Division of Licensing Services 84 Holland Avenue Albany, NY 12208 Tel: 518.474-4429 Fax: 518.473-6648 E-mail: licensing@dos.state.ny.us Web: www.dos.state.ny.us	Yes.
<b>NORTH CAROLINA</b> State Board of Cosmetology 1201 Front Street, Suite 110 Raleigh, NC 27609-7533 Tel: 919.733-4117 Fax: 919.733-4127 E-mail: ncs0963@mindspring.com Web: www.cosmetology.state.nc.us	Medical practices are exempt, but aestheticians are licensed in our state.
<b>NORTH DAKOTA</b> Board of Cosmetology 1102 South Washington, #200 P.O. Box 2177 Bismarck, ND 58502 Tel: 701.224-9800 Fax: 701.222-8756 E-mail: cosmo@gcentral.com	No.
<b>OHIO</b> Board of Cosmetology 101 Southland Mall Columbus, OH 43207-4041 Tel: 614.644-6099 Fax: 614.644-6880 E-mail: lavaughn.gearhart@das.state.oh.us Web: www.state.oh.us/cos	No. Aesthetician must work under supervision of Doctor. Doctor becomes responsible.
<b>OKLAHOMA</b> Board of Cosmetology 2200 Classen Boulevard, Suite 1530 Oklahoma City, OK 73106 Tel: 405.521-2441 Fax: 405.528-8310	Yes - for beautification only –not for medical practices.

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<b>OREGON</b> Health Licensing Office 700 Summer Street NE, Suite 320 Salem, OR 97301-1287 Tel: 503.378-8667 Fax: 503.585-9114 E-mail: hlo.info@state.or.us Web: www.hlo.state.or.us	This issue has not been addressed at this time.
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b> State Board of Cosmetology Professional & Occupational Affairs P.O. Box 2649 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2649 Tel: 717.783-7130 Fax: 717.705-5540 E-mail: cosmetol@pados.dos.state.pa.us Web: www.dos.state.pa.us	Yes. The state board of Cosmetology has interpreted it's laws and regulations to allow for a cosmetician to work within a physician's office, without the requirement that the services be conducted within a licensed salon, provided they are working under the direct supervision of a licensed physician.
<b>PUERTO RICO</b> Juntas Examinadoras Tel: 787.722-2122 Fax: 787-722-4818	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>RHODE ISLAND</b> Department of Health Professional Regulation Board of Hairdressing 3 Capitol Hill Providence, RI 02908 Tel: 401.222-2827 Ext. 113 Fax: 401.222-1272 E-mail: lindaa@doh.state.ri.us Web: www.health.state.ri.us	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b> Board of Cosmetology 110 Centerview Drive P.O. Box 11329, Suite 104 Columbia, SC 29211-1329 Tel: 803.896-4830 Fax: 803.896-4484 E-mail: jonese@mail.llr.state.sc.us Web: www.llr.state.sc.us	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>SOUTH DAKOTA</b> Cosmetology Commission 500 East Capitol Pierre, SD 57501 Tel: 605.773-6193 Fax: 605.773-7175 E-mail: cosmetology@state.sd.us Web: www.state.sd.us/dcr/cosmo	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.

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<b>TENNESSEE</b> State Board of Cosmetology 500 James Roberston Parkway Suite 130 Nashville, TN 37243-1147 Tel: 615.741-2515 Fax: 615.741-1310 E-mail: egriffin@mail.state.tn.us Web: www.state.tn.us/commerce/cosmo/index.htm	No.
<b>TEXAS</b> Cosmetology Commission P.O. Box 26700 Austin, TX 78755-0700 Tel: 512.454-4674 Fax: 512.454-0339 E-mail: diane.hill@txcc.state.tx.us Web: www.txcc.state.tx.us	Yes. Editor's Note: In last year's survey, the Texas Cosmetology Commission stated, no.
<b>UTAH</b> Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing 160 East 300 Street South P.O. Box 146741 Salt Lake City, UT 84111-6741 Tel: 801.530-6628 Fax: 801.530-6511 E-mail: cormond@br.state.ut.us Web: www.commerce.state.ut.us.dopl.dop	This issue has not been addressed at this time. Utah does not license aestheticians as of yet.
<b>VERMONT</b> Office of Secretary of State Office of Professional Regulation Board of Barber & Cosmetologists 26 Terrace Street, Drawer 09 Montpelier, VT 05609-1106 Tel: 802.828-2837 Fax: 802.828.2465 E-mail: nmorin@sec.state.vt.us Web: www.vtprofessionals.org	No. The aesthetician is only regulated a licensed salon.
<b>VIRGINIA</b> Board of Barbers & Cosmetology 3600 West Broad Street Richmond, VA 23230 Tel: 804.367-8509 Fax: 804.367-6295 E-mail: cosmetology@dpor.state.va.us Web: www.state.va.us/dpor	Aestheticians can be performed by any unlicensed person in Virginia. A licensed cosmetologist can do this work and so can a barber as a part of their scope of practice.
<b>WASHINGTON</b> State Department of Licensing 405 Black Lake Boulevard P.O. Box 9026 Olympia, WA 98502-9026 Tel: 360.586-4915 Fax: 360.664-2550	No.

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E-mail: mschneider@dol.wa.gov Web: www.wa.gov/dol/bpd/cosfront.htm	
<b>WEST VIRGINIA</b> Board of Barbers & Cosmetologists 1716 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 7 Charleston, WV 25302 Tel: 304.558-2924 Fax: 304.558-3450 E-mail: labsten@state.wv.us	This issue has not been addressed at this time.
<b>WISCONSIN</b> Department of Regulation & Licensing 1400 East Washington Avenue P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53703-3935 Tel: 608.266-5511 Ext. 42 Fax: 608.267-3816 E-mail: dorl@drl.state.wi.us Web: www.drl.state.wi.us/	None given after repeated attempts to contact them.
<b>WYOMING</b> State Board of Cosmetology Hansen Building - East 2515 Warren Avenue Suite 302 Cheyenne, WY 82002 Tel: 307.777-3534 Fax: 307.777-3681 E-mail: babern@state.wy.us Web: www.state.wy.us	Yes.