**653—16.1(261) Definitions.** For the purpose of this chapter the following definitions shall apply: *"Act"* means Iowa Code sections 261.121 to 261.127.

"Applicant" means an individual who is seeking the issuance of a license.

"Board" means the board of medicine.

"*Certificate*" means a document known as a certificate of noncompliance from the college student aid commission certifying that the named licensee is not in compliance with the terms of an agreement for payment of a student loan obligation.

"Commission" means the college student aid commission.

"Denial notice" means a board notification denying an application for the issuance or renewal of a license as required by the Act.

"*License*" means a license to practice medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, or acupuncture under Iowa Code chapters 148 and 148E.

"Licensee" means an individual to whom a license has been issued.

*"Revocation or suspension notice"* means a board notification suspending a license for an indefinite or specified period of time or a notification revoking a license as required by the Act.

*"Withdrawal certificate"* means a document known as a withdrawal of a certificate of noncompliance provided by the commission certifying that the certificate is withdrawn and that the board may proceed with issuance, reinstatement, or renewal of a license.