The board, responsible for the licensing of optometrists, is composed of five licensed optometrists and two public members. The optometry licensing law was enacted in 1909, and Iowa Code chapters 147, 154, and 272C are the principal laws governing the board.

BOARD OF PHYSICAL AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

§147.13, 147.14

Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines 50319; (515) 281-4401 Judy Manning, Board Administrator

Name	City	Term Ending
Denise Behrends, Chair	West Des Moines	April 30, 2016
Morris Blankespoor	Pella	April 30, 2014
Todd Bradley	Oelwein	April 30, 2016
Bradley Earp	West Des Moines	April 30, 2014
Jaclyn Fleming	Urbandale	April 30, 2015
Jenifer Furness	Davenport	April 30, 2014
Erin Hytrek	Moville	April 30, 2016

The board, responsible for the licensing of physical and occupational therapists and physical and occupational therapy assistants, is composed of three licensed physical therapists, two licensed occupational therapists, and two public members. The physical therapy licensing law was enacted in 1965, and the occupational therapy licensing law was enacted in 1981. Iowa Code chapters 147, 148A, 148B, and 272C are the principal laws governing the board.

BOARD OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

§147.13, 147.14

Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines 50319; (515) 281-4401 Pierce Wilson, Board Administrator

Name	City	Term Ending
Jon Ahrendsen	Clarion	April 30, 2014
Melissa Gentry	Ollie	April 30, 2016
Keith Guess		
Joel Jernstad	Ankeny	April 30, 2015
Jolene Kelly		
Susan Koehler		
Teresa Lee	Clarion	April 30, 2015
Joseph Molnar	Charles City	April 30, 2016
Gary Nystrom		

The board, responsible for the licensing of physician assistants, is composed of five licensed physician assistants, two licensed physicians who supervise physician assistants, and two public members. The physician assistant licensing law was enacted in 1988. Iowa Code chapters 148C, 147, and 272C are the principal laws governing the board.

BOARD OF PODIATRY

§147.13, 147.14

Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines 50319; (515) 281-4287 Tony Alden, Board Administrator

Name	City	Term Ending
John Bennett	West Des Moines	April 30, 2014
Travis Carlson	Hiawatha	April 30, 2015
Tara Decker-Brock	Dubuque	April 30, 2016
Gerald Edgar	Garner	April 30, 2014
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