



ALASKA BOARD OF PHARMACY

2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

The Alaska Board of Pharmacy endeavors to promote, preserve, and protect the public health, safety, and welfare by and through the effective control and regulation of the practice of pharmacy.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

GOALS

STRATEGIES



COMMUNICATION

1. Engage in effective communication and promote transparency of public information.

- 1.1 Improve customer service by providing timely and informative updates to applicants and licensees.
- 1.2 Maximize communication channels through the Board of Pharmacy website and List Service.
- 1.3 Maintain accuracy of website content and ensure accessibility of up-to-date resources.
- 1.4 Improve collaboration with other healthcare boards.
- 1.5 Improve education and relationship building with key legislators.



ADMINISTRATION

2. Adhere to and strive for improved organizational efficiencies without compromising quality of record keeping.

- 2.1 Continue efficient and timely application processing by maintaining adequate staffing.
- 2.2 Maintain a proactive approach to licensing by researching national trends and encouraging innovation to support core administration functions.
- 2.3 Continue to automate licensure through online applications.
- 2.4 Exercise fiscal discipline through effective budget management.



LICENSURE

3. Ensure competency and qualifications prior to licensure and renewal.

- 3.1 Adhere to established licensing standards by reviewing education, experience, and examination requirements.
- 3.2 Take a proactive approach to application and form revision subsequent to regulation changes.
- 3.3 Ensure a 14 day or less processing time for licensee applications, and a 30 day or less licensing time for facility applications.



REGULATION & ENFORCEMENT

4. Grow the economy while promoting community health and safety.

- 4.1 Reduce barriers to licensure without compromising patient health and safety.
- 4.2 Combat the opioid crisis by effective administration of the state's Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP).
- 4.3 Advocate for policy addressing access to pharmacies as the pharmacy profession evolves and new opportunities for improved patient safety arise.
- 4.4 Anticipate and respond to changes on the healthcare horizon (e.g. telehealth, compounding, and the Drug Supply Chain Security Act).

For more information, please visit the following resources:

Board of Pharmacy Homepage: pharmacy.alaska.gov
Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP): pdmp.alaska.gov

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