

STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS (265)
FISCAL YEARS 2018 & 2019
PER EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

The State Board of Chiropractic Examiners was created by Act 126 of 1915, as a regulatory board to authorize and regulate Chiropractic practice in the state. The Board is responsible for examining, licensing and renewing licensure for qualified chiropractors, adopting and revising rules and regulations, making suitable bylaws for carrying out its duties, and generally serving as a regulatory, judicial, and disciplinary body for chiropractic practitioners.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

The total appropriation is \$190,879 for FY2018 and \$187,779 for FY2019.

FUNDING SOURCE

Funding for this agency's single appropriation is cash derived from licensure and examination fees and penalties.

II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS

The agency is requesting an increase of \$3,100 in the Operating Expenses line item in FY2018 only to purchase eight (8) board room chairs.

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total FY2017 Authorized Positions: 2)

Total Positions FY2019: 2

Total Positions FY2018: 2

Total Base Level Positions: 2

Increase/(Decrease): 0

Extra Help Positions FY2018 and FY2019: 0 (Total FY2017 Authorized Extra Help: 0)

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES FOR CONSUMER COMPLAINTS: \$10,000 in the professional fees line item is available to contract with an independent or private investigator for servicing consumer complaints.

LANGUAGE TO BE DELETED **CODE AMENDMENTS:** Adds three sections of Special Language that amend Arkansas Code. These sections delete the current state license examination in favor of the four part national license examination. They also remove the language pertaining to the fees that the Board collects to administer the examination or re-administer any failed portions of the examination.