LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS REQUEST

for Fiscal Years 2026 and 2027

Submitted to the Governor's Office of Budget, Planning and Policy and the Legislative Budget Board

by

Texas State Board of Pharmacy

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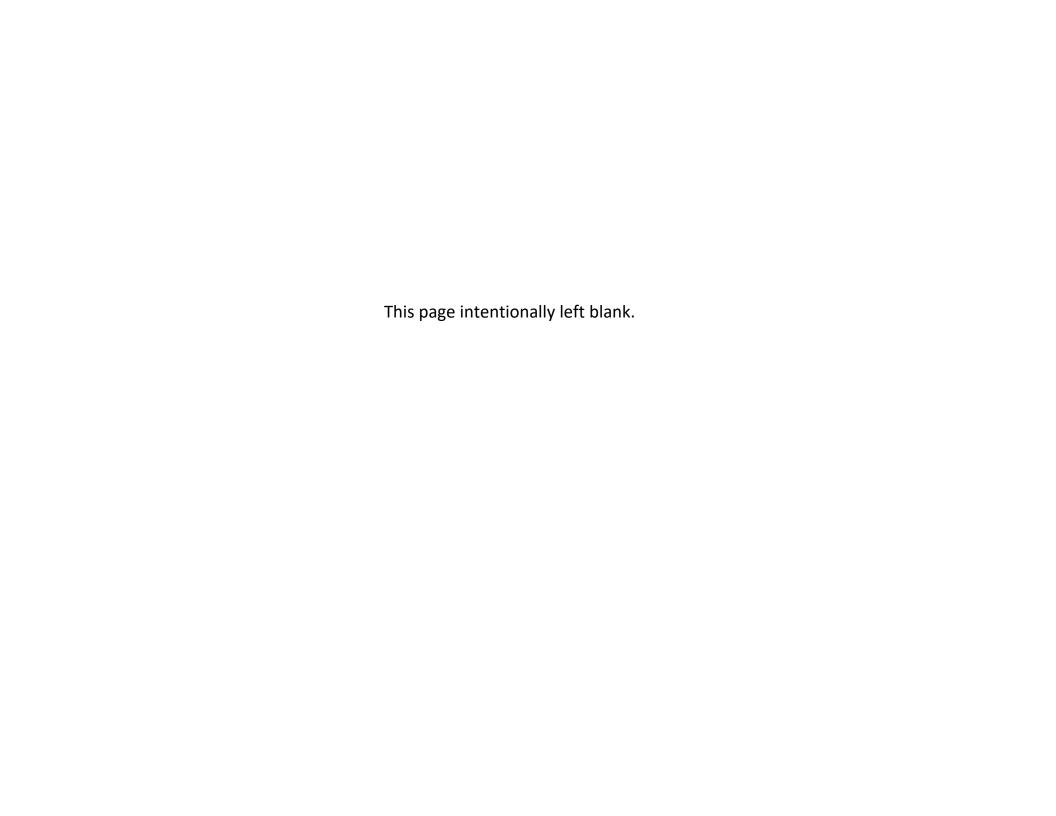
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The Texas State Board of Pharmacy (Board or TSBP) is responsible for licensing and regulating approximately 41,471 pharmacists, 3,462 student-pharmacist interns, 81,737 total registered pharmacy technicians (25,661 technician trainees and 56,076 pharmacy technicians), and 8,369 licensed pharmacies. TSBP submits this Legislative Appropriations Request (LAR) to secure the necessary funding for the upcoming biennium. This request outlines the critical needs and priorities of TSBP to effectively regulate and monitor pharmacy practice in Texas to ensure public health and safety.

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The members of the Board have reviewed and approved this request and understand additional revenue may need to be generated if these items are appropriated. As outlined in the General Appropriations Act, the agency generates revenue through fees and has the authority and mechanisms necessary to generate the revenue needed to support this request.

Agency Mission and Objectives

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy, as a leader in protecting the public health of the citizens of Texas, shall uphold quality standards for licensing and facilitate regulation that promotes innovative, multidisciplinary, and collaborative practices and education which produce quality care and positive patient outcomes.

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy approaches its mission with integrity and prioritizes the health and safety of the citizens of Texas in all aspects of facilitating pharmacy regulation. Our processes and services are built on our core values of protecting public health and acting in accordance with the highest standards of ethics. We carry out our mission through the following functions:

- License/Registration issuance and regulation
- Rulemaking in accordance with applicable Texas and federal laws
- Complaint processing and adjudication when appropriate

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- Conducting compliance inspections
- Educating our constituency
- Providing practice and information resources
- Hosting our state Prescription Monitoring Program
- Offering excellent customer service

TSBP has the authority to conduct criminal background checks under the following statutes: Sec. 411.0765, 411.122 and 411.12517, Gov't Code authorize TSBP to obtain criminal history record information of an applicant or holder of a license or registration under Ch. 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, and 568, Occ. Code, a requestor for determination of eligibility for a license or registration, or an applicant for employment or current employee. TSBP utilizes this to confirm eligibility at initial licensing and renewal or initial employment.

Current Challenges and Needs

- 1. Workforce and Staffing Needs
- TSBP has experienced increased regulatory responsibilities due to evolving high-risk healthcare practices including the growth of the sterile compounding industry and opioid usage for pain management.
- To manage this workload effectively, additional staffing is necessary in key areas of Information Technology, Prescription Monitoring Program, Operations, and Licensing.
- TSBP has seen above-average agency turnover at 20.8% for FY 2023 where pay was the primary reason to leave TSBP for other state agencies or public sector jobs.
- Additional funds are necessary to hire new staff and enhance compensation packages to attract and retain skilled professionals in a highly competitive market.
- 2. Technology and Infrastructure Upgrades
- Expanding IT staff to include two programmers, a network specialist, a database administrator, and a web administrator is necessary for the development and maintenance of secure, reliable systems.
- The ability to internally update and modernize our information systems is crucial for efficient operations and improved service delivery.
- Investing in cybersecurity measures is essential to protect sensitive data and maintain public trust.
- 3. Training and Development
- Allocation of resources for ongoing staff training and development programs will promote retention and
 professional growth of agency staff. Funding for training programs will ensure personnel are well-prepared to
 perform their duties effectively.
- Training and staff development are key components in succession planning.

Exceptional Item Requests

The Board is asking for the following:

New FTEs

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1. Programmer V (\$125,000 annual) and Programmer IV (\$110,000 annual) – The programmer positions are needed to meet agency needs for programming and maintenance of agency programs, databases, etc. The agency has experienced numerous instances where the Health Professions Council could not assist the agency with programming needs and the agency was forced to contract out for those needs on an urgent basis. Having programmers on staff would ultimately save the agency money and provide stability for these important programs.

If not granted, the impact to the agency, licensees, and public includes that the use of funds intended for other purposes are required to pay a contractor. There would be an ongoing risk of programs, some critical, breaking and the agency having to delay programming repairs until funds can be found and contracting can take place. There is a real risk that the agency may not having the necessary funds to pay a contractor to repair the programs, in which case licensees, practitioners, and other stakeholders would not receive necessary services.

2. Network Specialist IV (\$90,000 annual) - The agency has experienced ongoing network issues that often impact employee ability to perform their duties to the best of their ability. This position would monitor the local area networks, wide area networks, Internet or intranet systems, and network segments and take corrective measures to ensure efficient performance.

If not granted, continued network issues will impact staff ability to respond to the public and meet agency goals and objectives in a timely manner. It would also impact licensees and the general public's ability to utilize agency on-line services.

3. Accountant VII (\$102,980 annual) - The agency needs a supervisor position to assist in the management of the finance program. The demands on the finance program continue to grow as the agency grows. The director currently over the finance program oversees two other large agency programs that are not related to finance and is not an accountant. This position would allow for specialized supervision of finance matters, increased support for finance team members, and potential succession planning with the opportunity for building institutional knowledge.

If not granted, the finance team will continue to lack specialized supervision and management and the director will continue to lack specialized support. Additionally, without this position, the agency would be in a precarious position if the current director, who is a long-term employee with a vast amount of institutional knowledge, were to leave as there would be no manager for the finance program, that institutional knowledge would be lost, and there likely would be difficulty in hiring another director willing to oversee multiple, unrelated programs without support.

- 4. Licensing Program Supervisor VII (\$91,836 annual) The agency needs a supervisor position to assist in the management of the licensing program. The director oversees 11 employees issuing approximately 23,500 new licenses and registrations and renewing approximately 42,000 licenses and registrations. This position would allow for additional support for the licensing program and director and potential succession planning with the opportunity for building institutional knowledge. If not granted, the licensing program will continue to lack sufficient support for the workload. Additionally, the agency would be in a precarious position if the current director, who is a long term employee with a vast amount of institutional knowledge, were to leave as there would be no supervisor for the licensing program and that institutional knowledge would be lost
- 5. Epidemiologist IV (\$95,000 annual) This position will allow for more collaboration, help to accelerate research using Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) and other data sources, develop public facing dashboards with diverse information, and progress towards development of advanced tools and models to identify patterns of drug misuse in Texas. Having an extra hand would ease these steps, speed up work, increase productivity and the ability to utilize the PMP data.

 If not granted, in the midst of the ongoing opioid epidemic, the agency will be hindered in the amount of research and data sharing it is able to provide and produce which impacts the mission of the agency to be a leader in protecting the public health of the citizens of the Texas.
- 6. Web Administrator III (\$90,000 annual) The agency website has experienced issues and is need of updating to provide the best service to our licensees and the

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public. Having a web administrator III on staff would ultimately save the agency money, provide stability, and ensure our website is efficient for the citizens of Texas. If not granted, issues would continue and the agency's ability to disseminate necessary information to licensees and the public in an effective manner would be impacted. The agency website is often the first point of contact with the public. Many of the agency's services are accessed through portals on the agency website. Website downtime or malfunctions could impact access to those services as well.

- 7. Program Specialist III (\$62,136 annual) This position would allow for increased availability for assistance to Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) users needing assistance with PMP accounts. In the interest of account security, PMP users needing assistance with their accounts must call to speak with agency staff so that the PMP user's identity can be verified. The PMP program currently has limited hours to offer PMP users assistance via phone queue. Adding a Program Specialist III that would have primary responsibility to assist callers on phone queue would allow PMP to provide more hours of phone queue availability while allowing current PMP staff to assist in manning the expanded queue service hours with a time commitment that is similar to that under the current schedule.

 If not granted, the agency would need to continue to operate the PMP queue line under reduced hours so that current staff is able to continue to fulfill primary duties thereby lessening the agency's ability to assist PMP users experiencing account disruption or issues.
- 8. Information Specialist V (\$92,000 annual) The agency seeks to implement stronger communication strategies and enhance outreach. The agency is currently experiencing growth in requests from both outlet media and government offices. This position would oversee designing and implementing a coordinated communication strategy moving forward as well as conduct increased outreach to licensees to promote interest in agency activities, including the planning and implementation of informational programs.

If not granted, the agency's communication and outreach strategies would be impacted. As such, the result would be felt by all agency staff that engages in communication with outside stakeholders. Besides the day to day the loss of the position's work, the lack of strategy would affect the agency in the future as well. The agency's licensees and stakeholders would receive less effective communication and messaging from the agency, as well as diminished outreach and educational opportunities for pharmacy and health related information.

- 9. Program Specialist III (\$62,136 annual) This position would provide quicker responses to licensing database user requests for assistance. The agency relies on the Health Professions Council (HPC) for database online help, linking, un-linking accounts, resetting passwords and assisting with database troubleshooting system errors. As internal responses occur quicker, HPC enabled access for TSBP staff to assist with the online help and agency staff have an increasing number of calls and emails requesting assistance. which take significate time away from their normal day to day duties.
- If not granted, either user assistance requests will receive less efficient responses or other licensing processes will take longer because of the time spent on user assistance requests. Additionally, the agency may incur overtime for employees needed to complete deadlines for license and registration renewals.
- 10. Database Administrator III (\$95,000 annual) The agency currently has databases that are under supported and data inside a nonfunctional database that requires retrieval and migration to a new solution. This position would develop, maintain, and monitor agency databases, implement database procedures, and maintain data integrity.

If not granted, data migration from the nonfunctional database may not be possible or data reliability and functionality may be impacted in attempting to do so without adequate support. As the amount of agency data continues to grow, specialized support is required to ensure procedures necessary to save, retrieve, and recover databases from failures are implemented, data standards are maintained, and appropriate data structures are in place.

The Board is requesting a total of \$2,104,659 for the biennium. This total includes \$30,483 in retirement and insurance contributions for the biennium and \$42,000 in one-time new FTE agency expenditures in fiscal year 2025.

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Fleet Vehicle Replacement

The Board is asking for funding to replace eight (8) vehicles (\$320,000 one-time cost).

Funding is needed to replace aging vehicles with new energy efficient vehicles per state policy. The eight vehicles being replaced are combustion engine vehicles and are averaging 10 years or older and currently close to or over 100,000 miles. According to the Texas State Vehicle Fleet Management Plan, passenger vehicles should be evaluated for replacement when they reach 9 years of service and accrue 100,000 miles.

If not granted, it is possible due to age and wear, agency staff will not have safe vehicles to drive which increases the risk of injury to staff and the general public. Additionally, the fleet will not meet the new vehicle requirements.

The Board is requesting a total of \$320,000 for fiscal year 2026.

Additional Licenses and Upgraded Software Subscriptions

- 1. Upgrade agency Adobe software licenses (\$53,340 one-time cost) A modernization upgrade is needed for agency Adobe 2017 licenses which are expired. By purchasing the licenses and not opting to choose subscription service licenses, the agency will save approximately \$8,000 per year over a six-year span. If the agency were not to receive funding, there could be a critical impact as current workflow requires Adobe to allow the agency to submit forms and records securely and apply permanent reductions which reduce the possibility of confidential information being released.
- 2. Add 15 Tableau licenses to existing agency subscription (\$12,495 annual) Tableau provides visual data analytics that helps people see and understand data. This would be useful to our government relations and outreach teams to convey information in an easily understandable way to the public, other agencies, and the legislature, including the data to verify it. It would allow our litigation legal assistants to create visuals to assist in explaining large datasets of information to administrative law judges in State Office of Administrative Hearings cases, such as pill mill cases. For our data and records management teams, this would help in utilizing our information and data internally to enable our employees to understand what we have and assist leadership in making data driven decisions.

If the agency were not to receive funding, there would be a missed opportunity to meaningfully use our data and convey information to the public, licensees, other agencies, the legislature, judges, and our own employees. This could result in a lack of full understanding and potentially negatively impact decision making.

The Board is requesting a total of \$65,835 in fiscal year 2026 and a total of \$24,990 in fiscal year 2027.

Staff Compensation

1. Equity Increases (\$291,665 annual) - The Board would like to provide equity increases to select positions so as to increase retention of staff and make positions competitive.

The inability to have competitive salaries will continue to cost the agency FTEs who move on to other agencies or private sector positions where they can be compensated or rewarded. This also has a direct impact on the agency's ability to hire FTEs to replace staff who have left as the applicant pools are small and often lack the basic requirements of the positions.

2. Staff Merit Increase (\$162,500 annual) - The Board would like to provide merit increases based on performance to provide incentive for high performing staff. The inability to reward exceptional work will continue to cost the agency FTEs who move on to other agencies or private sector positions where they can be compensated or rewarded.

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The Board is requesting a total of \$921,954.95 for the biennium. This total includes \$13,624.95 in retirement and insurance contributions for the biennium.

Exempt Salary

The Board has one exempt employee, the Executive Director. The Board requests that the Executive Director's salary be increased by (\$25,000 annually) to assist in retention and to make the position competitive compared to other comparable regulatory agency heads. The Board Executive Director is legally mandated to be a Texas licensed pharmacist, which could be a Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.). The current salary for this position makes it difficult to compete with open market positions of specialty licensed executive officers. It also makes it difficult to set a course for succession planning due to a potential limited applicant pool.

The Board is requesting a total of \$50,750 for the biennium. This total includes \$750 in retirement and insurance contributions for the biennium.

Staff Training and Conference Attendance

- 1. Funding for staff attendance at conferences (\$50,000 annual)
- 2. Funding for staff trainings (\$29,250 annual)

Staff attendance at job related conferences and trainings provide opportunities to expedite the learning process and development of FTEs as well as providing opportunities for networking and collaboration. Without it, the only substitute is time and experience. This limits knowledge and expertise of staff in completing their duties and limits job growth, and therefore retention, of employees.

The Board is requesting a total of \$158,500 for the biennium.

Increases to DIR and TX. Gov

The final exceptional item requests are related to fund increases in both DIR and TX. Gov fees.

According to DIR, agency costs will require an increase of \$5,616 in FY26 and an approximate increase of \$7,520 in FY27 for cloud services. The Board is requesting a total of \$13,136 for the biennium.

TSBP is requesting an increase in the appropriation for TX. Gov fees (\$35,000 annual). The increases to the appropriation limit is necessary to reflect current revenue collection and expenditure totals for TX.Gov.

The Board is requesting a total of \$70,000 for the biennium.

Conclusion

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy is committed to ensuring the highest standards of pharmaceutical care and public safety. Adequate funding through this Legislative Appropriations Request is essential to address our current challenges and support the continued growth and effectiveness of our regulatory activities.

Director of Operations 13 total FTEs

Administer agency operations, including finance, human resources, and risk management, and assist in accomplishing the stated mission, goals, and performance objectives of the agency.

Director of Information Technology 4 total FTEs

Implementation of information technology (IT) while maintaining a secure agency information technology environment and ensuring the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of critical data and systems.

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Executive Director

Director of Licensing 12 total FTEs

Conduct a pharmacy and pharmacist licensure system, intern registration program, pharmacy technician registration system, and the ongoing renewal of licenses and registrations.

Director of Compliance 19 total FTEs

Monitor and promote voluntary compliance with pharmacy laws and rules and provide education.

Director of Enforcement 31 total FTEs

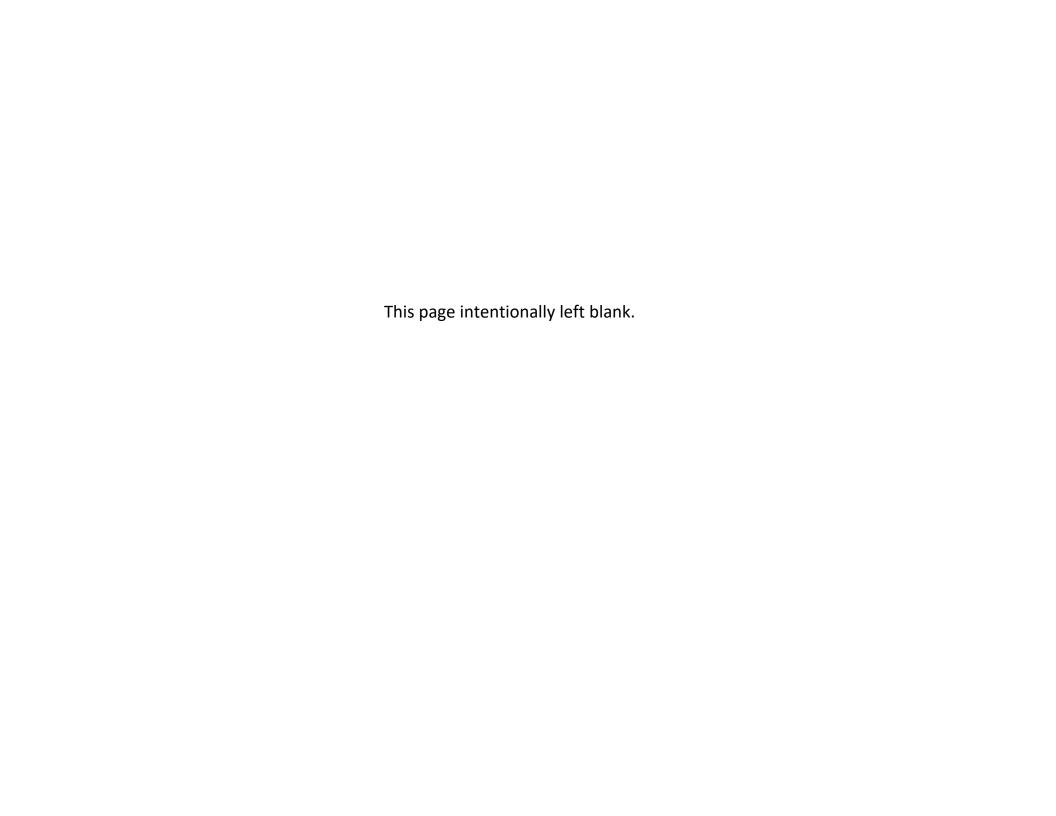
Enforces laws and rules through investigations of licensees and registrants. Monitors the complaint process and transfer complaints involving substantive allegations to the Legal team for review and potential prosecution and monitor compliance with Disciplinary Orders. Provides information regarding pharmacy laws and rules to agency customers.

General Counsel - Legal 27 total FTEs

Prosecutes violations of the laws and rules related to the practice of pharmacy. Provides legal services and guidance to the Board and the agency staff relating to the regulation of the practice of pharmacy and the administration and human resources for the agency. Oversees rule development and the provision of information services for the agency, including responses to requests for information, educational and outreach opportunities, and liaison to local, state, and federal agencies.

Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) Manager 9 total FTEs

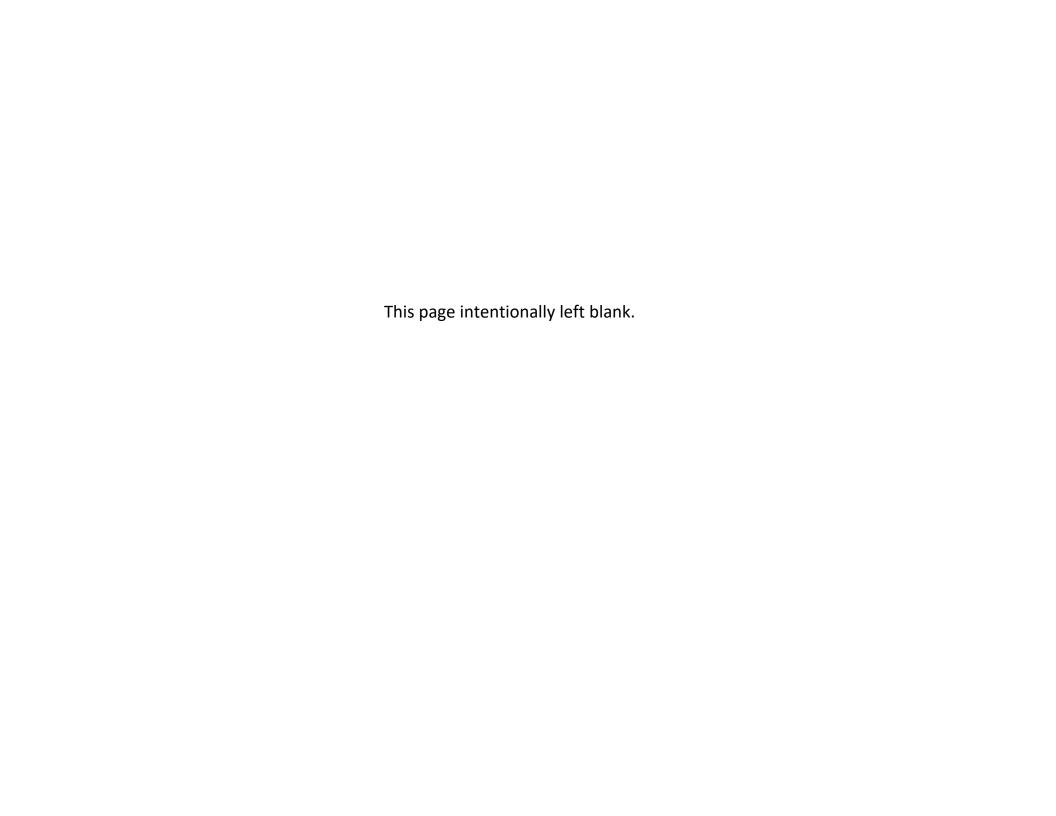
Collects and monitors prescription data for all Schedule II - V controlled substances dispensed by a pharmacy in Texas or to a Texas resident from a pharmacy located in another state. Provides a platform for monitoring patient controlled substance prescription histories for prescribers and pharmacists and also for wholesalers to report the distribution of controlled substances to entities in Texas. Processes orders for Schedule II Texas Official Prescription Forms. Provides information regarding the Texas PMP and controlled substance laws and rules to agency customers.





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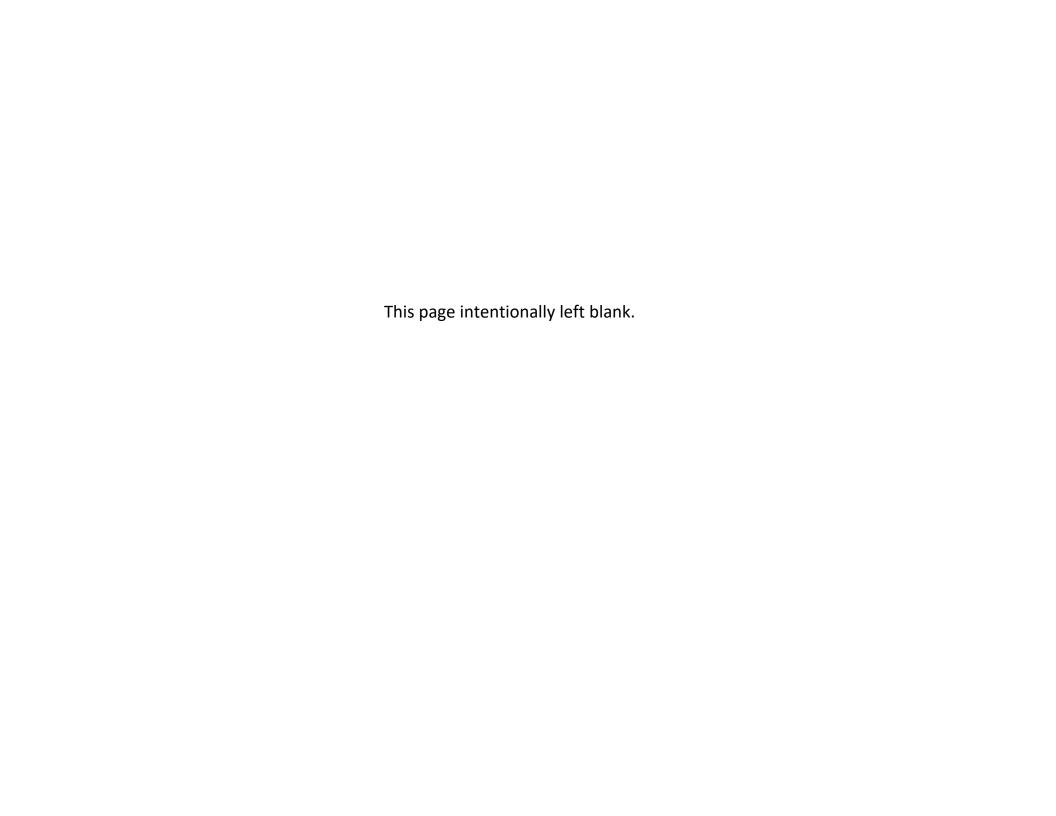
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Budget Overview - Biennial Amounts

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			A	Appropriation Ye	ars: 2026-27					E	EXCEPTIONAL
	GENERAL REVE	NERAL REVENUE FUNDS GR DEDICATED FEDERAL FUNDS		OTHER FUNDS		ALL FUNDS		ITEM FUNDS			
	2024-25	2026-27	2024-25	2026-27	2024-25	2026-27	2024-25	2026-27	2024-25	2026-27	2026-27
Goal: 1. Establish and Maintain											
Standards for Pharmacy Education and											
Practice											
1.1.1. Licensing	2,276,564	2,339,664							2,276,564	2,339,664	412,396
1.1.2. Texas.Gov	502,212	502,212							502,212	502,212	70,000
Total, Goal	2,778,776	2,841,876							2,778,776	2,841,876	482,396
Goal: 2. Protect Public Health by											
Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice											
2.1.1. Enforcement	12,162,858	12,328,402					121,633	28,030	12,284,491	12,356,432	1,168,224
2.1.2. Peer Assistance	718,362	718,362							718,362	718,362	
2.1.3. Prescription Monitoring Program	12,136,809	11,096,786					400,000	400,000	12,536,809	11,496,786	222,150
Total, Goal	25,018,029	24,143,550					521,633	428,030	25,539,662	24,571,580	1,390,374
Goal: 3. Indirect Administration											
3.1.1. Indirect Administration	2,022,970	2,081,406							2,022,970	2,081,406	1,844,561
Total, Goal	2,022,970	2,081,406							2,022,970	2,081,406	1,844,561
Total, Agency	29,819,775	29,066,832					521,633	428,030	30,341,408	29,494,862	3,717,331
Total FTEs									117.0	117.0	11.0



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Goal / Objective / STRATEGY	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice					
1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met					
1 LICENSING	931,100	1,098,243	1,178,321	1,169,832	1,169,832
2 TEXAS.GOV	270,092	251,106	251,106	251,106	251,106
TOTAL, GOAL 1	\$1,201,192	\$1,349,349	\$1,429,427	\$1,420,938	\$1,420,938
2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice					
1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints	,				
1 ENFORCEMENT	5,128,796	6,063,829	6,220,662	6,178,216	6,178,216
2 PEER ASSISTANCE	246,800	359,181	359,181	359,181	359,181
3 PRESCRIPTION MONITORING PROGRAM	1,520,109	6,778,714	5,758,095	5,748,393	5,748,393
TOTAL, GOAL 2	\$6,895,705	\$13,201,724	\$12,337,938	\$12,285,790	\$12,285,790

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Goal / Objective / STRATEGY	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
1 INDIRECT ADMINISTRATION	823,248	987,267	1,035,703	1,040,703	1,040,703
TOTAL, GOAL 3	\$823,248	\$987,267	\$1,035,703	\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703
TOTAL, AGENCY STRATEGY REQUEST	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
TOTAL, AGENCY RIDER APPROPRIATIONS REQUEST*				\$0	\$0
GRAND TOTAL, AGENCY REQUEST	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
METHOD OF FINANCING:					
General Revenue Funds:					
1 General Revenue Fund	8,736,675	15,230,722	14,589,053	14,533,416	14,533,416
SUBTOTAL	\$8,736,675	\$15,230,722	\$14,589,053	\$14,533,416	\$14,533,416
Other Funds:					
666 Appropriated Receipts	183,470	307,618	214,015	214,015	214,015
SUBTOTAL	\$183,470	\$307,618	\$214,015	\$214,015	\$214,015
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431

^{*}Rider appropriations for the historical years are included in the strategy amounts.

2.B. Summary of Base Request by Method of Finance

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Agency code: 515 **Board of Pharmacy** Agency name: METHOD OF FINANCING Exp 2023 Est 2024 **Bud 2025** Req 2026 Req 2027 **GENERAL REVENUE** 1 General Revenue Fund REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA) \$9,121,099 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2024-25 GAA) \$0 \$15,213,067 \$14,589,053 \$0 \$0 Regular Appropriations from MOF Table \$0 \$0 \$0 \$14,533,416 \$14,533,416 Comments: GR Limit Policy Letter **TRANSFERS** 88th Leg RS, SB-30, Sec 9.01, Par 1-2, pg 118 \$52,149 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 **Comments:** Two Mths of Salary Splmtnl 88th Leg RS, (2024-25 GAA), Art VIII-37, TSBP Bill Pattern \$0 \$17,655 \$0 \$0 \$0 Comments: SAO Reclassification & Targeted Salary Allocation Additional Draw

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Agency code:	515	Agency 1	name: Board of Phan	rmacy			
METHOD OF FI	INANCING		Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
GENERAL F	<u>REVENUE</u>						
LA	PSED APPROI	PRIATIONS					
1	Regular Approp	oriations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(70,820)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Comments	s: Licensing (1-1-1)					
1	Regular Approp	priations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(60,012)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Comments	s: Enforcement (2-1-1)					
]	Regular Approp	priations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(158,150)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Comments	s: Prescription Monitoring Program (2-1-3)					
.1	Regular Approp	priations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(17,099)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Comments	:: Licensing Indirect (3-1-1)					
1	Regular Approp	priations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(83,089)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

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Agency code: 515	Agency name	Board of Ph	armacy			
METHOD OF FINANCING		Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
GENERAL REVENUE						
Comments: Enforcement Ind	irect (3-1-2)					
Regular Appropriations from MOI	F Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$(47,403)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Comments: Peer Assistance (2-1-2)	` , ,				
TOTAL, General Revenue Fund		\$8,736,675	\$15,230,722	\$14,589,053	\$14,533,416	\$14,533,416
TOTAL, ALL GENERAL REVENUE		\$8,736,675	\$15,230,722	\$14,589,053	\$14,533,416	\$14,533,416
OTHER FUNDS						
Appropriated Receipts REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS						
Regular Appropriations from MOI	F Table (2022-23 GAA)	\$1,014,015	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Regular Appropriations from MOI	F Table (2024-25 GAA)	\$0	\$214,015	\$214,015	\$0	\$0
Regular Appropriations from MOI	F Table					

2.B. Summary of Base Request by Method of Finance

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 $\,$

Agency code: 515	Agency name: Board of Pharm	nacy			
METHOD OF FINANCING	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
OTHER FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$214,015	\$214,015
Comments: Holding flat on Appropriated Receip	pts				
RIDER APPROPRIATION					
Art IX-48, Sec 9.05, Texas.Gov Project: Occupationa	al Licenses (2022-23 GAA) \$18,869	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Comments: TEXAS.GOV (1-1-2)					
LAPSED APPROPRIATIONS					
Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2022-23 G	GAA) \$(5,861)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Comments: Enforcement (2-1-1) - Collected Bu	dget Lapse				
Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2022-23 G	GAA) \$(846,734)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Comments: Prescription Monitoring Pgm (2-1-3	3)-Collected Budget Lapse				
UNEXPENDED BALANCES AUTHORITY					
Art VIII-39, Rider 2, UB Authority btwn Biennium (2022-23 GAA) \$96,784	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Comments: Controlled Subst. Forf. Pgm (2-1-1)	,				

2.B. Summary of Base Request by Method of Finance

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 $\,$

Agency code:	515	Agency name:	Board of Ph	armacy			
METHOD OF FIN	JANCING		Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
OTHER FUNI	<u>DS</u>						
A	rt VIII-39, Rider 2, UB Authority	btwn Biennium (2022-23 GAA)					
			\$(93,603)	\$93,603	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Comments: Controlled Subst.	Forf. Pgm (2-1-1)					
TOTAL,	Appropriated Receipts						
			\$183,470	\$307,618	\$214,015	\$214,015	\$214,015
TOTAL, ALL	OTHER FUNDS		\$183,470	\$307,618	\$214,015	\$214,015	\$214,015
GRAND TOTAL			\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431

2.B. Summary of Base Request by Method of Finance

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST)

Agency code: 515	Agency name: Board of Phar	macy			
METHOD OF FINANCING	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	Req 2026	Req 2027
FULL-TIME-EQUIVALENT POSITIONS					
REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS					
Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2022-23 GAA)	110.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Regular Appropriations from MOF Table (2024-25 GAA)	0.0	117.0	117.0	0.0	0.0
Regular Appropriations from MOF Table	0.0	0.0	0.0	117.0	117.0
UNAUTHORIZED NUMBER OVER (BELOW) CAP					
Attrition	(10.5)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Unfunded Positions	(6.0)	(4.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL, ADJUSTED FTES	93.5	113.0	117.0	117.0	117.0

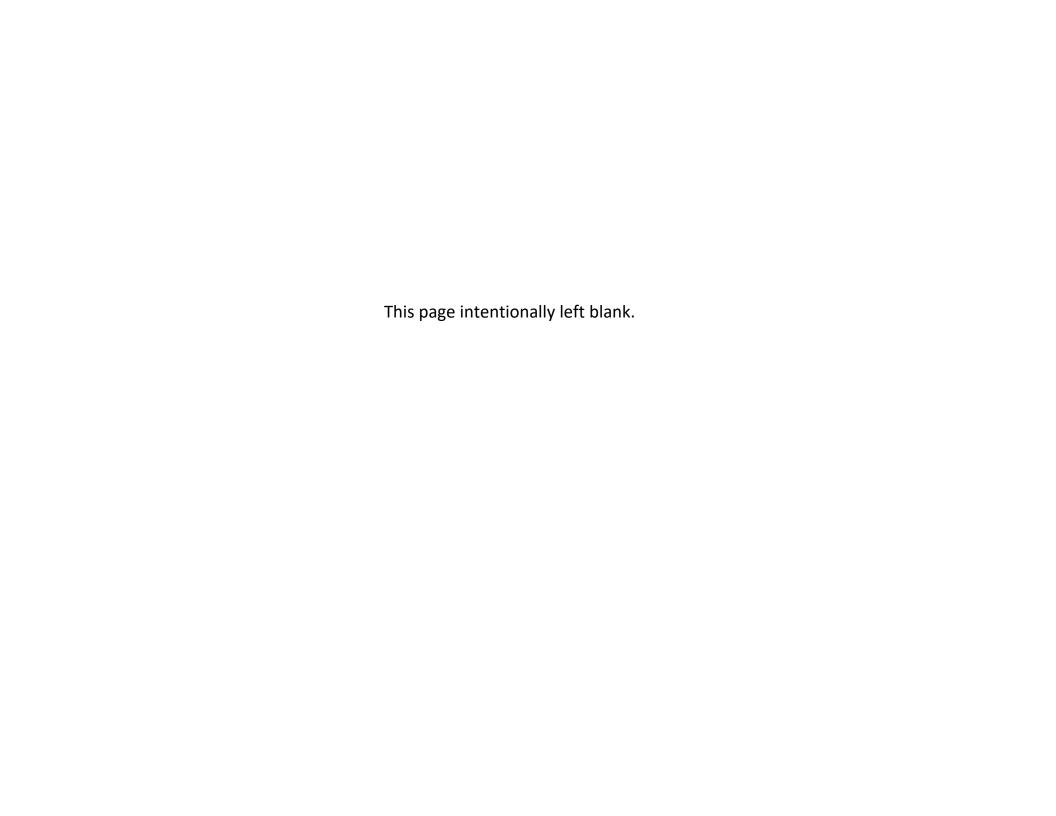
NUMBER OF 100% FEDERALLY FUNDED FTEs

2.C. Summary of Base Request by Object of Expense

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515 Board of Pharmacy

OBJECT OF EXPENSE	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	\$5,589,490	\$7,350,971	\$7,828,698	\$7,828,698	\$7,828,698
1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	\$622,200	\$128,106	\$160,722	\$174,472	\$188,222
2001 PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$1,038,499	\$5,688,905	\$5,327,838	\$5,327,838	\$5,327,838
2002 FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	\$25,815	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000
2003 CONSUMABLE SUPPLIES	\$17,686	\$27,700	\$26,362	\$26,362	\$26,362
2004 UTILITIES	\$31,905	\$25,300	\$27,385	\$27,385	\$27,385
2005 TRAVEL	\$75,277	\$73,000	\$118,000	\$118,000	\$118,000
2006 RENT - BUILDING	\$5,196	\$4,100	\$4,900	\$4,900	\$4,900
2007 RENT - MACHINE AND OTHER	\$12,027	\$13,000	\$12,700	\$12,700	\$12,700
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$1,425,541	\$2,202,258	\$1,271,463	\$1,202,076	\$1,188,326
5000 CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$76,509	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
OOE Total (Excluding Riders)	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
OOE Total (Riders) Grand Total	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431

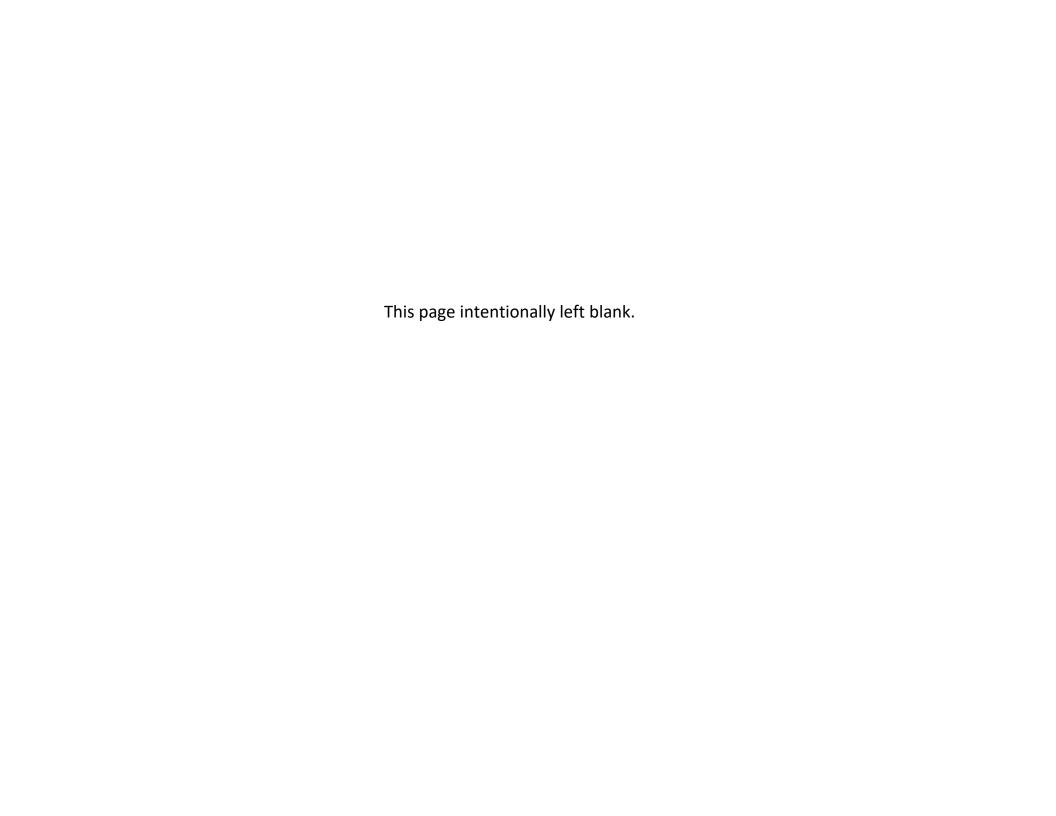


2.D. Summary of Base Request Objective Outcomes

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Goal/ Objective / Outcome	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Pra 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards					
KEY 1 Percent of Licensees with No Recent Violations					
 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Co KEY 1 Percent of Complaints Resulting in Disciplinary 	1	98.00%	98.00%	98.00%	98.00%
2 Percent of Documented Complaints Resolved w	6.00% ithin Six Months	10.00%	10.00%	10.00%	10.00%
	87.00%	68.00%	68.00%	70.00%	70.00%



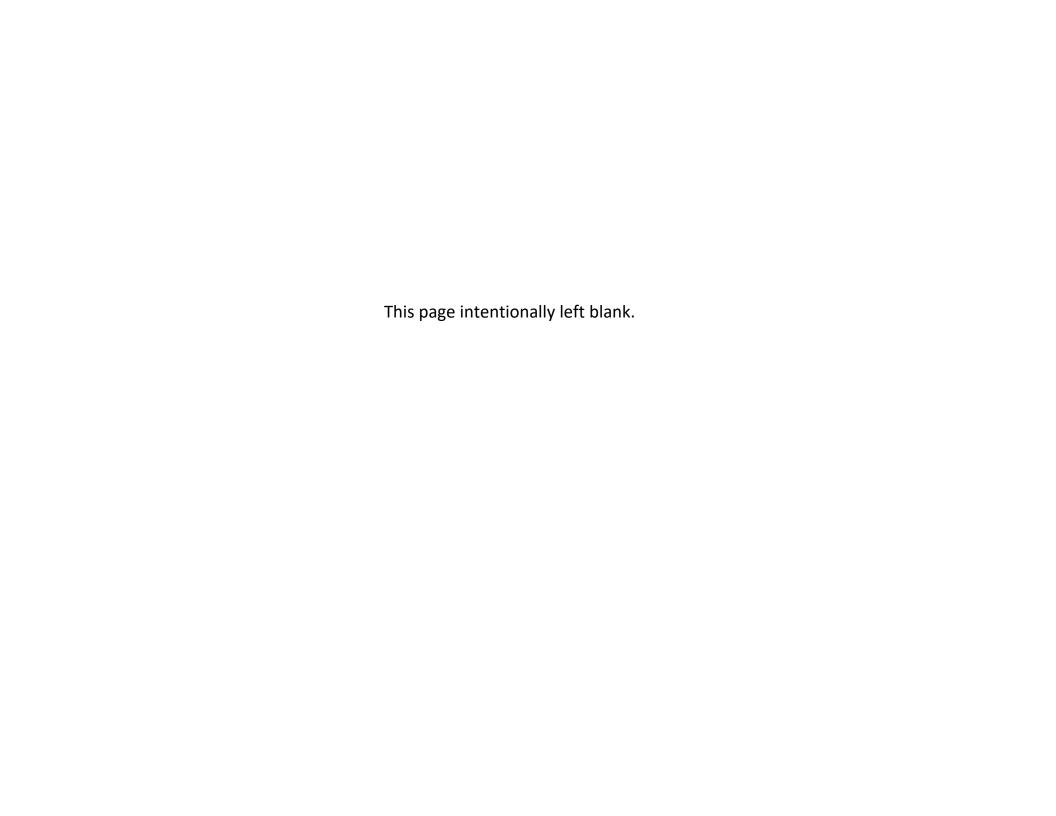
2.E. Summary of Exceptional Items Request

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST) DATE: **8/16/2024** TIME: **1:49:57PM**

Agency code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy

			2026			2027		Bien	nium
Priority Item	GR and GR/GR Dedicated	All Funds	FTEs	GR and GR Dedicated	All Funds	FTEs	GR and GR Dedicated	All Funds	
1 FTEs		\$1,073,329	\$1,073,329	11.0	\$1,031,330	\$1,031,330	11.0	\$2,104,659	\$2,104,659
2 Fleet		\$160,000	\$160,000		\$160,000	\$160,000		\$320,000	\$320,000
3 Subscrip	ption and Software Updates	\$65,835	\$65,835		\$12,495	\$12,495		\$78,330	\$78,330
4 Compen	nsation	\$460,974	\$460,974		\$460,982	\$460,982		\$921,956	\$921,956
5 Exempt	Position Increase	\$25,375	\$25,375		\$25,375	\$25,375		\$50,750	\$50,750
6 Training	g and Conferences	\$79,250	\$79,250		\$79,250	\$79,250		\$158,500	\$158,500
7 DIR and	d Texas.Gov	\$40,616	\$40,616		\$42,520	\$42,520		\$83,136	\$83,136
Total, Excepti	ional Items Request	\$1,905,379	\$1,905,379	11.0	\$1,811,952	\$1,811,952	11.0	\$3,717,331	\$3,717,331
Method of Fin	_	41.007.070	0.007.270		01.011.070	44.044.072		40 717 001	фо. Т.1.Т. оод
General R	evenue evenue - Dedicated	\$1,905,379	\$1,905,379		\$1,811,952	\$1,811,952		\$3,717,331	\$3,717,331
Federal Fu	unds								
Other Fun	ds								
		\$1,905,379	\$1,905,379		\$1,811,952	\$1,811,952		\$3,717,331	\$3,717,331
Full Time Equ	uivalent Positions			11.0			11.0		

Number of 100% Federally Funded FTEs



2.F. Summary of Total Request by Strategy

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST) DATE:

8/16/2024

TIME: 1:51:06PM

Agency code: 515 Agency name: Board	d of Pharmacy					
Goal/Objective/STRATEGY	Base 2026	Base 2027	Exceptional 2026	Exceptional 2027	Total Request 2026	Total Request 2027
1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Prac	tic					
1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are	Ме					
1 LICENSING	\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832	\$210,015	\$202,381	\$1,379,847	\$1,372,213
2 TEXAS.GOV	251,106	251,106	35,000	35,000	286,106	286,106
TOTAL, GOAL 1	\$1,420,938	\$1,420,938	\$245,015	\$237,381	\$1,665,953	\$1,658,319
2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice						
1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Comple	ain					
1 ENFORCEMENT	6,178,216	6,178,216	587,929	580,295	6,766,145	6,758,511
2 PEER ASSISTANCE	359,181	359,181	0	0	359,181	359,181
3 PRESCRIPTION MONITORING PROGRAM	5,748,393	5,748,393	112,983	109,167	5,861,376	5,857,560
TOTAL, GOAL 2	\$12,285,790	\$12,285,790	\$700,912	\$689,462	\$12,986,702	\$12,975,252

2.F. Summary of Total Request by Strategy

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST) DATE : TIME :

8/16/2024 1:51:06PM

Agency code: 515	Agency name:	Board of Pharmacy					
Goal/Objective/STRATEGY		Base 2026	Base 2027	Exceptional 2026	Exceptional 2027	Total Request 2026	Total Request 2027
3 Indirect Administration							
1 Indirect Administration							
1 INDIRECT ADMINISTRATION		\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703	\$959,452	\$885,109	\$2,000,155	\$1,925,812
TOTAL, GOAL 3		\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703	\$959,452	\$885,109	\$2,000,155	\$1,925,812
TOTAL, AGENCY STRATEGY REQUEST		\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431	\$1,905,379	\$1,811,952	\$16,652,810	\$16,559,383
TOTAL, AGENCY RIDER APPROPRIATIONS REQUEST							
GRAND TOTAL, AGENCY REQUEST	7	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431	\$1,905,379	\$1,811,952	\$16,652,810	\$16,559,383

2.F. Summary of Total Request by Strategy

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST) DATE : TIME :

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Agency code: 515	Agency name:	Board of Pharmacy					
Goal/Objective/STRATEGY		Base 2026	Base 2027	Exceptional 2026	Exceptional 2027	Total Request 2026	Total Request 2027
General Revenue Funds:							
1 General Revenue Fund		\$14,533,416	\$14,533,416	\$1,905,379	\$1,811,952	\$16,438,795	\$16,345,368
		\$14,533,416	\$14,533,416	\$1,905,379	\$1,811,952	\$16,438,795	\$16,345,368
Other Funds:							
666 Appropriated Receipts		214,015	214,015	0	0	214,015	214,015
		\$214,015	\$214,015	\$0	\$0	\$214,015	\$214,015
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING		\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431	\$1,905,379	\$1,811,952	\$16,652,810	\$16,559,383

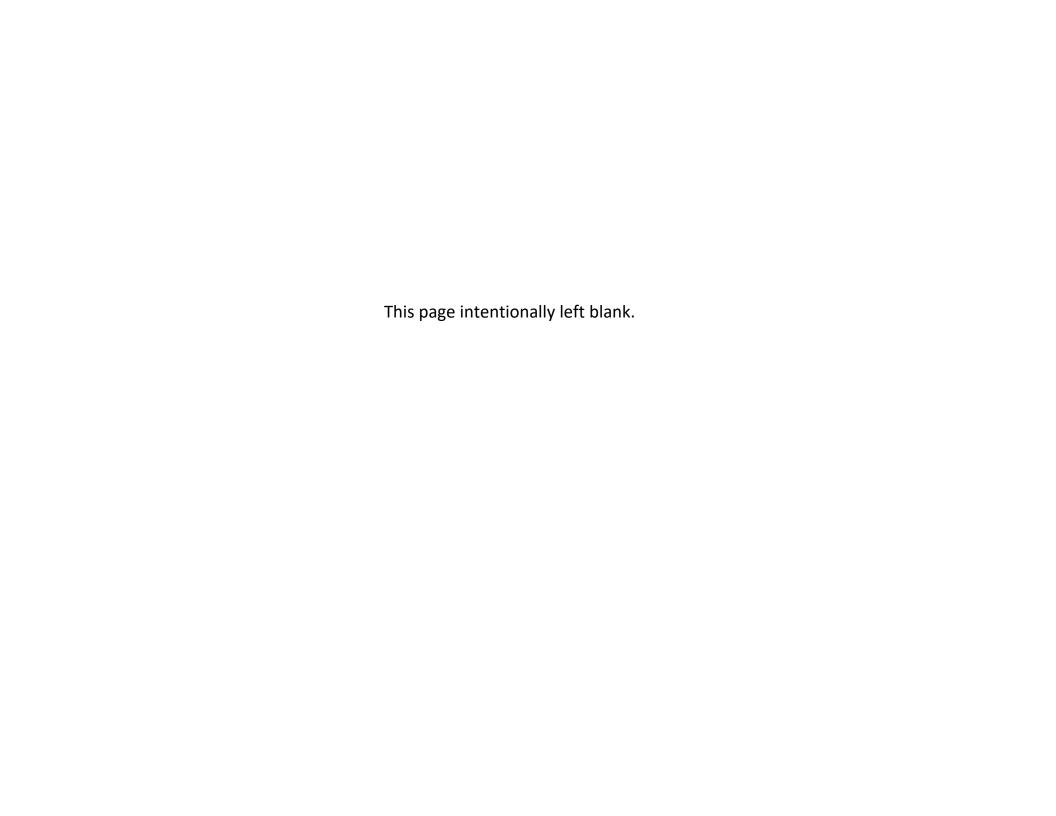
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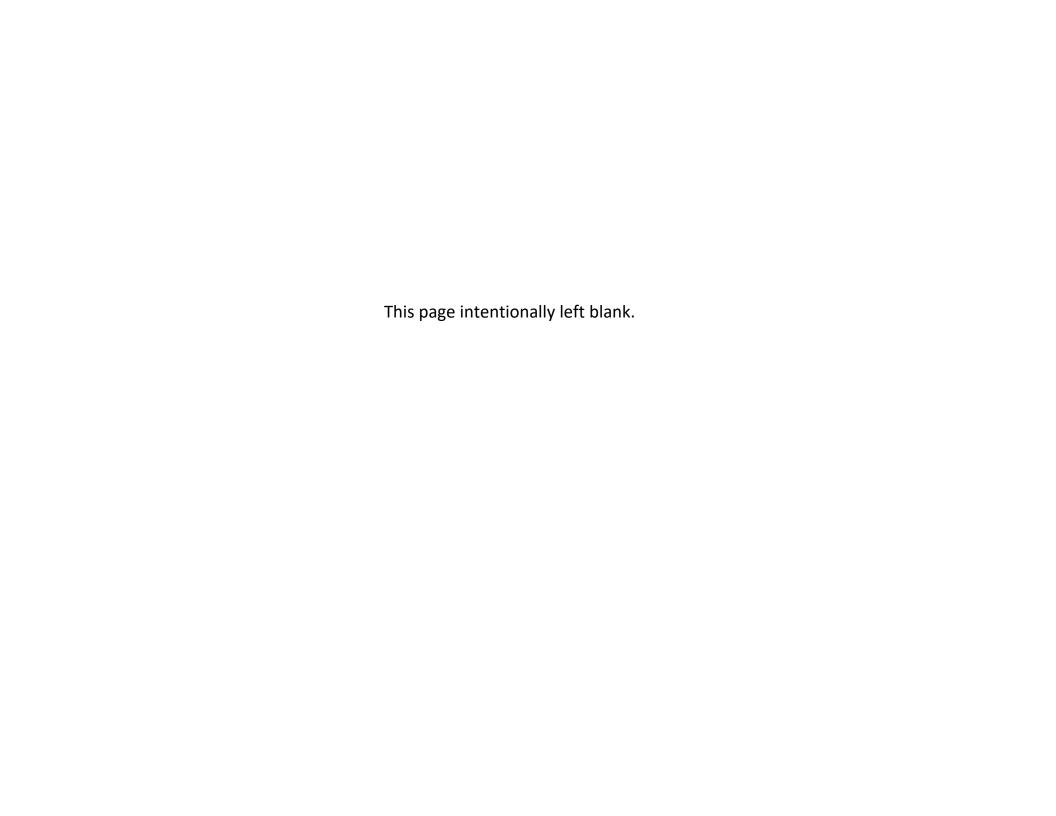


2.G. Summary of Total Request Objective Outcomes

Date: 8/16/2024
Time: 1:52:31PM

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Agency co	ode: 515 Agend	cy name: Board of Pharmacy				
Goal/ Obje	ective / Outcome BL 2026	BL 2027	Excp 2026	Excp 2027	Total Request 2026	Total Request 2027
1 1	Establish and Maintain Standards for Operate Licensure System to Ensure	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
KEY	1 Percent of Licensees with No F	Recent Violations				
	98.00%	98.00%			98.00%	98.00%
2	Protect Public Health by Enforcing A	Il Laws Relating to Practice				
1	Decrease Violations by Inspections, I	Education, Resolving Complaint	S			
KEY	1 Percent of Complaints Resulti	ng in Disciplinary Action				
	10.00%	10.00%			10.00%	10.00%
	2 Percent of Documented Comp	laints Resolved within Six Mon	aths			
	70.00%	70.00%			70.00%	70.00%



Age: B.3

Service: 16

Income: A.2

3.A. Strategy Request

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System

CODE DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
Output Measures:					
KEY 1 Number of New Licenses Issued to Individuals	1,904.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
KEY 2 Number of Licenses Renewed (Individuals)	19,839.00	19,500.00	19,500.00	19,500.00	19,500.00
KEY 3 Number of New Registrations Issued to Individuals	20,976.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00
KEY 4 Number of Registrations Renewed (Individuals)	18,300.00	17,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00
Explanatory/Input Measures:					
KEY 1 Total Number of Individuals Licensed	39,914.00	40,526.00	40,526.00	40,500.00	40,500.00
KEY 2 Total Number of Business Facilities Licensed	8,370.00	8,350.00	8,350.00	8,350.00	8,350.00
3 Total Number of Individuals Registered	75,314.00	66,375.00	66,375.00	68,000.00	68,000.00
Objects of Expense:					
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	\$539,586	\$656,839	\$683,816	\$683,816	\$683,816
1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	\$59,628	\$28,096	\$35,715	\$38,215	\$40,715
2001 PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$7,595	\$15,900	\$15,900	\$15,900	\$15,900
2003 CONSUMABLE SUPPLIES	\$5,326	\$7,479	\$7,650	\$7,650	\$7,650
2004 UTILITIES	\$979	\$253	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000
2006 RENT - BUILDING	\$1,134	\$900	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,200
2007 RENT - MACHINE AND OTHER	\$1,143	\$1,200	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,500
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$315,709	\$387,576	\$430,540	\$419,551	\$417,051

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL:	1	Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met

Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System

Service: 16

Income: A.2 Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
TOTAL, OBJ	ECT OF EXPENSE	\$931,100	\$1,098,243	\$1,178,321	\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832
Method of Fin	ancing:					
1 Gen	neral Revenue Fund	\$931,100	\$1,098,243	\$1,178,321	\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832
SUBTOTAL,	MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$931,100	\$1,098,243	\$1,178,321	\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832
TOTAL, MET	HOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832
TOTAL, MET	HOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$931,100	\$1,098,243	\$1,178,321	\$1,169,832	\$1,169,832
FULL TIME E	EQUIVALENT POSITIONS:	11.2	12.3	12.3	11.8	11.8

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Age: B.3

3.A. Strategy Request

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System Service: 16 Income: A.2

CODE DESCRIPTION Exp 2023 Est 2024 Bud 2025 BL 2026 BL 2027

TSBP is solely responsible for the regulation of the practice of pharmacy under the Texas Pharmacy Act (Occ Code, Sec 551-569) & Texas Dangerous Drug Act (Health & Safety Code, Chap 483).

Strategy 01 contributes directly to the statewide goal to ensure that communities are served by high quality professionals & businesses, & in fact, licensure of pharmacists & pharmacies by TSBP is a prerequisite to other agencies' jurisdiction & regulation. This strategy, as well as strategies 2.1.1. & 2.1.2., are critical to TSBPs mission as a leader in protecting the public health of the citizens of Texas, upholding quality standards for licensing and facilitate regulation that promotes innovative, multidisciplinary, and collaborative practices and education which produce quality care and positive patient outcomes.

Key services include:

Issuing:

- licenses to qualified applicants for initial pharmacist licensure;
- registrations to qualified applicants for pharmacy technician & technician trainee registration;
- -licenses to qualified applicants for initial licensure of pharmacies;
- -registrations to qualified applicants to provide remote pharmacy services;
- -registrations to qualified pharmacist-interns;
- -certifications to qualified pharmacist-preceptors;

Renewing:

- -licenses of pharmacists & pharmacies;
- -registrations of pharmacy technicians;
- -certifications of qualified pharmacist-preceptors;
- -monitoring compliance with continuing education requirements; &
- -providing information to the public relating to the licensure & registration systems.

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GOAL: 1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met

STRATEGY: 1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System

Service Categories:

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION

Exp 2023

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Bud 2025

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EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

As of the date of this report, TSBP licenses and monitors approximately 9,827 pharmacies, 40,209 pharmacists, 3,328 student-pharmacist interns, and 76,623 pharmacy technicians and pharmacy technician trainees.

Pharmacist Licenses: The licensee population continues to grow, resulting in increased workload in licensing functions including telephone calls & correspondence.

Pharmacy Licenses: At present, the agency licenses a total of 11 classes of Pharmacy, both in & out-of-state. As ways of providing pharmacy services continue to evolve, the number of & classes of pharmacies will also increase.

Pharmacy Technician Registration: The registration of pharmacy technicians & trainees continues to grow, resulting in increased workload in licensing functions including telephone calls & correspondence.

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GOAL: 1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met

STRATEGY: 1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System

Service Categories: Service: 16

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

 CODE
 DESCRIPTION
 Exp 2023
 Est 2024
 Bud 2025
 BL 2026
 BL 2027

EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE (includes Rider amounts):

STRATEGY BIENNIA Base Spending (Est 2024 + Bud 2025)	L TOTAL - ALL FUNDS Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	BIENNIAL CHANGE	EXPLAN \$ Amount	NATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE Explanation(s) of Amount (must specify MOFs and FTEs)
\$2,276,564	\$2,339,664	\$63,100	\$63,100	Appropriation transfer to accommodate salary equity adjustment and appropriations for 5% salary increase for state employees per Art. IX, Sec. 17.16 & additional funding per Article VIII, Spcl Prvsns.
		_	\$63,100	Total of Explanation of Biennial Change

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 1 Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met

Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 2 Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable

Service: 16

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
Objects of Expense:					
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$270,092	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$270,092	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106
Method of Financing:					
1 General Revenue Fund	\$251,223	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106
SUBTOTAL, MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$251,223	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106
Method of Financing:					
666 Appropriated Receipts	\$18,869	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SUBTOTAL, MOF (OTHER FUNDS)	\$18,869	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$251,106	\$251,106
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$270,092	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106	\$251,106

FULL TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS:

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Age: B.3

Income: A.2

Service: 16

3.A. Strategy Request

89th Regular Session, Agency Submission, Version 1 Automated Budget and Evaluation System of Texas (ABEST)

515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice

2 Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable

OBJECTIVE: Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met

Service Categories:

CODE DESCRIPTION Est 2024 Bud 2025 Exp 2023 BL 2026 **BL 2027**

Article VIII, Sec 4a. Texas.gov Appropriation., of the GAA states that "Each Article VIII licensing agency participating in the Texas.gov is authorized in accordance with Section 2054.252 of the Government Code to increase the occupational license, permit, and registration fees imposed on the licensees by an amount sufficient to cover the cost of the subscription fee charged by the Texas.gov." The estimated amounts to fund this subscription fee for the agency's license holders (applicants for licensure, pharmacists, pharmacy and pharmacy technician) are based on projections of the number of licenses or registrations that will be issued and renew. The actual amount may be more or less than this estimated amount.

Sec 4d also states, "For new licensing applications, the Article VIII licensing agencies participating in Texas gov are hereby appropriated the additional revenue generated from occupational license, permit, or registration fees in excess of the Comptroller's biennial revenue estimate for 2024-25 for the sole purpose of payment to the Texas.gov contractor of subscription fees for implementing and maintaining electronic services for the licensing agencies"

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

STRATEGY:

The process for collection and payment of the subscription fees to the Texas. Gov requires agencies to establish a budget for payment of the subscription fees, and at the end of each fiscal year, collections will be compared with the budget established. At that time, agencies will need to increase or decrease their budget authority.

The subscription fee is required to be collected on all licensees, regardless of whether the licensee mails in their payment or submits their payment through the Texas.Gov system. Therefore, the estimated appropriations is based on the agency's projection of the number of pharmacies, pharmacists and pharmacy technicians that intend to renew their license within each 12 month period.

It is important to note that this appropriation is contingent upon the number of licenses that pay a revenue fee. Therefore, since this appropriation is estimated and contingent upon additional revenue collections, such additional fees must be appropriated to the agency in order to expend the funds to the Texas Gov.

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	515 Board of Pharmacy							
1	Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education	on and Practice						
1	1 Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met			Service Categori	Service Categories:			
2	Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable			Service: 16	Income: A.2	Age: B.3		
ESC:	RIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027		

Total of Explanation of Biennial Change

EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE (includes Rider amounts):

DESCRIPTION

GOAL:

CODE

OBJECTIVE: STRATEGY:

STRATEGY BIENNIA	<u>L TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</u>	BIENNIAL	EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE
Base Spending (Est 2024 + Bud 2025)	Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	CHANGE	\$ Amount Explanation(s) of Amount (must specify MOFs and FTEs)
\$502,212	\$502,212	\$0	

Age: B.3

3.A. Strategy Request

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints

STRATEGY: 1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education

Service Categories:

Income: A.2

Service: 16

CODE DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
Output Measures:					
1 Number of Inspections	3,519.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,300.00	3,600.00
KEY 2 Number of Jurisdictional Complaints Resolved	6,713.00	5,420.00	5,420.00	5,500.00	5,500.00
Efficiency Measures:					
KEY 1 Average Resolution Time for Resolving Jurisdictional	103.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
Complaints					
Explanatory/Input Measures:					
KEY 1 Number of Jurisdictional Complaints Received	6,798.00	5,500.00	5,500.00	5,500.00	5,500.00
2 Number of Queries Received by Prescription Monitoring	257,728,428.00	7,000,000.00	7,000,000.00	245,000,000.00	245,000,000.00
Program					
3 Number of Controlled Substances Prescriptions Submitted	34,758,482.00	30,000,000.00	30,000,000.00	30,000,000.00	30,000,000.00
to PMP System					
Objects of Expense:					
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	\$3,886,200	\$5,062,090	\$5,280,479	\$5,280,479	\$5,280,479
1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	\$427,556	\$61,549	\$73,138	\$78,138	\$83,138
2001 PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$50,123	\$391,846	\$326,527	\$326,527	\$326,527
2002 FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	\$25,815	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000
2003 CONSUMABLE SUPPLIES	\$10,384	\$16,620	\$16,620	\$16,620	\$16,620

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories: OBJECTIVE:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education			Service: 16	Income: A.2	Age: B.3
CODE DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
2004 UTILITIES	\$27,170	\$22,011	\$22,011	\$22,011	\$22,011
2005 TRAVEL	\$57,205	\$55,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000
2006 RENT - BUILDING	\$2,707	\$1,600	\$2,100	\$2,100	\$2,100
2007 RENT - MACHINE AND OTHER	\$9,021	\$9,000	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$8,500
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$570,443	\$419,113	\$366,287	\$318,841	\$313,841
5000 CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$62,172	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$5,128,796	\$6,063,829	\$6,220,662	\$6,178,216	\$6,178,216
Method of Financing:					
1 General Revenue Fund	\$5,117,461	\$5,956,211	\$6,206,647	\$6,164,201	\$6,164,201
SUBTOTAL, MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$5,117,461	\$5,956,211	\$6,206,647	\$6,164,201	\$6,164,201
Method of Financing:					
666 Appropriated Receipts	\$11,335	\$107,618	\$14,015	\$14,015	\$14,015
SUBTOTAL, MOF (OTHER FUNDS)	\$11,335	\$107,618	\$14,015	\$14,015	\$14,015

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education

Service: 16 Income: A.2 Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
TOTAL, ME	THOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$6,178,216	\$6,178,216
TOTAL, ME	THOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$5,128,796	\$6,063,829	\$6,220,662	\$6,178,216	\$6,178,216
FULL TIME	EOUIVALENT POSITIONS:	63.5	72.9	76.9	77.3	77.3

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints

Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education

Service: 16

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION

Exp 2023

Est 2024

Bud 2025

BL 2026

BL 2027

TSBP is an independent state health reg agency, operating under the authority of enabling legislation, the TX Pharmacy Act (Occ.Code, Sec. 551 569) & the TX Dangerous Drug Act (Health & Safety Code, Chapter 483). There are other state & federal laws & rules governing the practice of pharmacy also enforced by TBSP.

Activities include: inspection of pharmacies; investigation of complaints; discipline of licensees that violate the law; monitoring compliance with disciplinary orders; & operating the TX Prescription Monitoring Program.

2.1.1. contributes to the statewide goal to ensure that communities are served by quality professionals & businesses by setting clear standards, maintaining compliance & disciplining violators. This Strategy also contributes to goals/objectives by fostering the provision of quality pharmaceutical care to all Texans, & regulating the practice of pharmacy, operation of pharmacies & distribution of prescription drugs to consumers.

Without enforcement of pharmacy laws/rules, the health of Texans would be at risk because their prescription drugs & drug information would be provided by potentially incompetent, unlicensed persons working in potentially unsanitary, unlicensed pharmacies. The safety of Texans would be at risk due to the unregulated distribution of prescription drugs.

The successful accomplishment of TSBPs mission is dependent on funding. Without proper funding in this critical area, the laws/rules governing the practice of pharmacy will be severely compromised.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

Age: B.3

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education

 CODE
 DESCRIPTION
 Exp 2023
 Est 2024
 Bud 2025
 BL 2026
 BL 2027

Service: 16

Income: A.2

TSBP is continuously faced with regulating "pill mill" pharmacies that dispense controlled substances outside the course of professional practice (e.g., no valid doctor-patient relationship &/or prescriptions not issued for a valid medical purpose). These controlled substances generally end up in the hands of either individuals who are addicted to the drugs or drug dealers who sell the drugs "on the street" for a large profit. These cases can require a large amount of resources as they are extremely labor-intensive to investigate and prosecute.

TSBP continues to receive a large number of reports involving the theft/loss of controlled substances, generally involving employee pilferage. In addition, TSBP continues to receive a large number of applications for licenses & registrations which require a criminal background investigation to be conducted. Complaints are opened on the applicants who have a criminal history record, which contributes to the large number of complaints the agency handles each year.

EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE (includes Rider amounts):

STRATEGY BIENNIA Base Spending (Est 2024 + Bud 2025)	L TOTAL - ALL FUNDS Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	BIENNIAL CHANGE		NATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE Explanation(s) of Amount (must specify MOFs and FTEs)
\$12,284,491	\$12,356,432	\$71,941	\$71,941	Appropriations for 5% salary increase for general state employees and additional funding per Article VIII, Special Provisions regarding SAO Reclassification and Targeted Salary Increases.
			\$71.941	Total of Explanation of Biennial Change

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints

2 Provide a Peer Assistance Program for Licensed Individuals

Service Categories:

Service: 16

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
Explanatory	/Input Measures:					
KEY 1 Nu	mber of Individuals Participating in A Peer Assistance	98.00	160.00	160.00	160.00	160.00
Progra	am					
Objects of Ex	xpense:					
2001 PH	ROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$246,800	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181
TOTAL, OB	JECT OF EXPENSE	\$246,800	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181
Method of Fi	inancing:					
1 Ge	eneral Revenue Fund	\$246,800	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181
SUBTOTAL	, MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$246,800	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181
TOTAL, ME	THOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$359,181	\$359,181
TOTAL, ME	THOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$246,800	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181	\$359,181

FULL TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS:

STRATEGY:

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 2 Provide a Peer Assistance Program for Licensed Individuals

Service: 16 Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION

Exp 2023

Est 2024

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BL 2026

BL 2027

The TSBP is an independent state health regulatory agency, operating under the authority of its enabling legislation, the Texas Pharmacy Act (Occupations Code, Sec. 551-569) and the Texas Dangerous Drug Act (Health & Safety Code, Chapter 483). However, there are many other state and federal laws and rules governing the practice of pharmacy, which are enforced by TSBP. Specific statutory provisions that relate to this strategy includes Chapter 564 of the Texas Pharmacy Act.

Strategy 2.1.2. contributes directly to the statewide functional goal to ensure that communities are served by high quality professionals and businesses by setting clear standards, maintaining compliance, and seeking market-based solutions. Without these regulations, the health of Texans would be at risk because their prescription drugs and drug information would be dispensed or provided by incompetent, unlicensed individuals, and the safety of Texans would be at risk due to the unregulated distribution of prescription drugs. Therefore, all strategies are interwoven with one another and are critical to the mission of the State and the agency.

The Peer Assistance Program is a self funded program - that is, the program is funded by a statutory fee that is levied on each individual license holder. By statute, the Board has the authority to finance this program, including the costs of administering the program.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 2 Provide a Peer Assistance Program for Licensed Individuals Service: 16 Income: A.2 Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION Exp 2023 Est 2024 Bud 2025 BL 2026 BL 2027

External factors are the number of individuals licensed & complaints filed. TSBP must contend with the growing problem of alcoholism & chemical dependence.

As the number of pharmacists increase & incidences of alcoholism/drug dependence increase, there will be more pressure on TSBP to identify, intervene & monitor impaired/recovering individuals. Some of this pressure is relieved through the interventions & efforts of the Pharmacy Recovery Network, a self-funded peer assistance program for pharmacists and eligible pharmacy students.

When TSBP intervenes, the impaired/recovering pharmacist is generally subject to an extremely lengthy and complex Disciplinary Order. If the licensee does not comply with the requirements of the Disciplinary Order, the Board initiates further disciplinary action, which in turn, increases the Legal Division's workload.

Monitoring licensees who are subject to these types of Orders is labor intensive due to the numerous restrictions and conditions that are imposed upon the licensee, which could include a period of probation, random drug screens, quarterly reports from the recovering pharmacist, and if applicable, the supervising pharmacist & mental health professional.

One Disciplinary Order could result in as many as 12 different reports being submitted to TSBP by each licensee each year of the probation period. Each report must be reviewed and evaluated by agency staff.

Finally, the peer assistance program is also subject to the same internal factors as outlined under the Enforcement Strategy.

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		515	5 Board of Pharmacy				
GOAL:	2 Protect Public I	Iealth by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Prac	etice				
OBJECTIVE:	1 Decrease Violat	1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:					
STRATEGY:	STRATEGY: 2 Provide a Peer Assistance Program for Licensed Individuals				Service: 16	Income: A.2	Age: B.3
CODE	DESCRIPTION		Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
EXPLANATION	N OF BIENNIAL CHAN	GE (includes Rider amounts):					
	STRATEGY BIENN	IIAL TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	BIENNIAL	EXPLA	NATION OF BIENN	IAL CHANGE	
Base Spend	<u>ding (Est 2024 + Bud 202</u>	5) Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	CHANGE	\$ Amount	Explanation(s) of A	mount (must specify M	(OFs and FTEs)
	\$718,362	\$718,362	\$0				
				\$0	Total of Explanat	tion of Biennial Chang	e

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GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints Service Categories:

STRATEGY: 3 Prescription Monitoring Program Service: 16 Income: A.2 Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
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Objects (of Expense:					
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES	\$513,064	\$747,282	\$944,536	\$944,536	\$944,536
1002	OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	\$56,444	\$16,768	\$31,666	\$34,166	\$36,666
2001	PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$724,188	\$4,911,694	\$4,608,750	\$4,608,750	\$4,608,750
2003	CONSUMABLE SUPPLIES	\$551	\$1,108	\$1,108	\$1,108	\$1,108
2005	TRAVEL	\$771	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
2006	RENT - BUILDING	\$58	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2007	RENT - MACHINE AND OTHER	\$385	\$800	\$800	\$800	\$800
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$224,648	\$1,100,062	\$170,235	\$158,033	\$155,533
TOTAL,	OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$1,520,109	\$6,778,714	\$5,758,095	\$5,748,393	\$5,748,393
Method	of Financing:					
1	General Revenue Fund	\$1,366,843	\$6,578,714	\$5,558,095	\$5,548,393	\$5,548,393
SUBTO	TAL, MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$1,366,843	\$6,578,714	\$5,558,095	\$5,548,393	\$5,548,393
Method	of Financing:					
666	Appropriated Receipts	\$153,266	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$200,000
SUBTO	TAL, MOF (OTHER FUNDS)	\$153,266	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$200,000

Age: B.3

3.A. Strategy Request

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints

Service Categories:

Income: A.2

STRATEGY: 3 Prescription Monitoring Program Service: 16

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
TOTAL, ME	ETHOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$5,748,393	\$5,748,393
TOTAL, ME	ETHOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$1,520,109	\$6,778,714	\$5,758,095	\$5,748,393	\$5,748,393
FULL TIME	E EQUIVALENT POSITIONS:	6.3	13.3	13.3	13.7	13.7

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

The Texas Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) collects and monitors prescription data for all Schedule II, III, IV, and V Controlled Substances (CS) dispensed by a pharmacy in Texas or to a Texas resident from a pharmacy located in another state. The PMP also provides a database for monitoring patient prescription history for practitioners and the ordering of Texas Schedule II Official Prescription Forms.

Access to the prescription data is statutorily restricted. The information is available to practitioners and pharmacies who are inquiring about their own prescribing or dispensing history on their patients. State regulatory boards have access as well. A person who knowingly gives, permits or obtains unauthorized access to this information, is subject to criminal penalty. Regulations regarding Controlled Substances are found in the Texas Health and Safety Code, Chapter 481; Texas Administrative Code, Title 22, Part 15, Chapter 315; and the Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 21, Part 1300.

Strategy 2.1.3. contributes directly to the statewide functional goal. Without these regulations, the safety of Texans would be at risk due to the unregulated distribution of controlled substances. All agency strategies are interwoven with one another and are critical to the mission of the State and the agency.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice

3 Prescription Monitoring Program

OBJECTIVE: 1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints

Service Categories:

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Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION

STRATEGY:

Exp 2023

Est 2024

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Service: 16

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All Texas-licensed pharmacies are required to report all dispensed controlled substances records to the Texas Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) no later than the next business day after the prescription is filled. The reporting requirement applies to all Schedule II, III, IV, and V controlled substances.

Beginning March 1, 2020, pharmacists and prescribers (other than a veterinarian) are required to check the patient's PMP history before dispensing or prescribing opioids, benzodiazepines, barbiturates, or carisoprodol.

Pharmacists and prescribers are encouraged to check the PMP to help eliminate duplicate and overprescribing of controlled substances, as well as to obtain critical controlled substance history information.

EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE (includes Rider amounts):

STRATEGY BIENNIA Base Spending (Est 2024 + Bud 2025)	L TOTAL - ALL FUNDS Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	BIENNIAL CHANGE		ATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE Explanation(s) of Amount (must specify MOFs and FTEs)
\$12,536,809	\$11,496,786	\$(1,040,023)	\$(1,040,023)	Adjustments to 2024-25 spending authority due to funding received for one-time costs associated with Texas Wholesale Distributor Database (TWDD) and the RxPad System during the FY 24-25 biennium.
		_	\$(1.040.023)	Total of Explanation of Riennial Change

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515 Board of Pharmacy

GOAL: 3 Indirect Administration

OBJECTIVE: 1 Indirect Administration

STRATEGY: 1 Indirect Administration

Service Categories:

Service: 09

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
Objects of	of Expense:					
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES	\$650,640	\$884,760	\$919,867	\$919,867	\$919,867
1002	OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	\$78,572	\$21,693	\$20,203	\$23,953	\$27,703
2001	PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	\$9,793	\$10,284	\$17,480	\$17,480	\$17,480
2003	CONSUMABLE SUPPLIES	\$1,425	\$2,493	\$984	\$984	\$984
2004	UTILITIES	\$3,756	\$3,036	\$3,374	\$3,374	\$3,374
2005	TRAVEL	\$17,301	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$17,000
2006	RENT - BUILDING	\$1,297	\$1,600	\$1,600	\$1,600	\$1,600
2007	RENT - MACHINE AND OTHER	\$1,478	\$2,000	\$1,900	\$1,900	\$1,900
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$44,649	\$44,401	\$53,295	\$54,545	\$50,795
5000	CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$14,337	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL,	OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$823,248	\$987,267	\$1,035,703	\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703
Method	of Financing:					
1	General Revenue Fund	\$823,248	\$987,267	\$1,035,703	\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703
SUBTO	TAL, MOF (GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS)	\$823,248	\$987,267	\$1,035,703	\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703

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GOAL: 3 Indirect Administration

OBJECTIVE: 1 Indirect Administration

STRATEGY: 1 Indirect Administration

Service Categories:

Service: 09

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Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE	DESCRIPTION	Exp 2023	Est 2024	Bud 2025	BL 2026	BL 2027
TOTAL, MI	ETHOD OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS)				\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703
TOTAL, MI	ETHOD OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS)	\$823,248	\$987,267	\$1,035,703	\$1,040,703	\$1,040,703
FULL TIME	E EOUIVALENT POSITIONS:	12.5	14.5	14.5	14.2	14.2

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

TSBP is solely responsible for the regulation of the practice of pharmacy under the Texas Pharmacy Act (Occ Code, Sec 551-569) & Texas Dangerous Drug Act (Health & Safety Code, Chap 483). Specific statutory provisions that relate to this strategy include Chapter 553 of the Texas Pharmacy Act.

Strategy 3 contributes directly to the statewide goal to ensure that communities are served by high quality professionals & businesses. This Strategy, along with the Strategies of Licensing, Enforcement and Peer Assistance, are interwoven with one another and are critical to the mission of the State and the agency.

The administrative functions are an essential part of the Texas State Board of Pharmacy. This function serves all of the TSBP employees and Board Members. Functions are: daily operations of the agency, human resources, purchasing, budgeting, accounting, cash receipts, payroll, record management, property management, risk management, and information technologies.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS IMPACTING STRATEGY:

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GOAL: 3 Indirect Administration

OBJECTIVE: 1 Indirect Administration

STRATEGY: 1 Indirect Administration

Service Categories:

Income: A.2

Age: B.3

CODE DESCRIPTION

Exp 2023

Est 2024

Bud 2025

Service: 09

BL 2026

BL 2027

In order for the Board to continue to protect the citizens of Texas, it must be adequately funded & staffed. One key factor that continues to affect the ability of the agency to serve and protect the public interest is the increased demand for agency services in every area of its operation. Dramatic increases in the demand for licensing, enforcement, and information services are well-documented throughout the Strategic Plan and in the agency's budget requests. This continued increase in demand for services, together with the increase in the complex nature of modern health and pharmaceutical care, continues to tax the agency's ability to respond to future challenges.

The successful accomplishment of TSBP's mission is dependent on funding. Without proper funding, the laws/rules governing the practice of pharmacy will be severely compromised.

EXPLANATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE (includes Rider amounts):

STRATEGY BIENNIA Base Spending (Est 2024 + Bud 2025)	L TOTAL - ALL FUNDS Baseline Request (BL 2026 + BL 2027)	BIENNIAL CHANGE		IATION OF BIENNIAL CHANGE Explanation(s) of Amount (must specify MOFs and FTEs)
\$2,022,970	\$2,081,406	\$58,436	\$58,436	Appropriations for 5% salary increase for general state employees and additional funding per Article VIII, Special Provisions regarding SAO Reclassification and Targeted Salary Increases.
		_	\$58,436	Total of Explanation of Biennial Change

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SUMMARY TOTALS:					
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
METHODS OF FINANCE (INCLUDING RIDERS):				\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
METHODS OF FINANCE (EXCLUDING RIDERS):	\$8,920,145	\$15,538,340	\$14,803,068	\$14,747,431	\$14,747,431
FULL TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS:	93.5	113.0	117.0	117.0	117.0

3.B. Rider Revisions and Additions Request

Agency Code: 515			Prepared By: Sean Leeper	Date: 8/16/2024	Request Level: Base
Current Rider Number	Page Number in 2024-25 GAA		Proposed Rider Lang	guage	
2	VIII-39	sale of forfeited pr seizure of controlle Board of Pharmace 2024 2026 are ap close of fiscal yea forfeited property	tance Forfeiture Program. In addition to a coperty or similar monetary awards related ed substances or other contraband (Object to be used for enforcement purposes. Ar propriated for fiscal year 2025 2027. Any ur 2023 2025 collected under federal or state or similar monetary awards related to the Etances or other contraband are appropriate	to the Board of Pharmacy to the Board of Pharmacy to Code 3582), are hereby any funds unexpended at the Inexpended funds (estimate forfeiture programs, programs of Pharmacy's partic	's participation in the appropriated to the e close of fiscal year ted to be \$0) at the ceeds from the sale of sipation in the seizure
3	VIII-39	Notwithstanding a expenditure of Ge B.1.2, Peer Assist 2026 or fiscal year and Coordinated Public Accounts the 2025 2027 does not see the public Accounts the 2025 2027 does not see the public Accounts the 2025 2027 does not see the public Accounts the public Account	Behavioral Health Funds. ppropriation authority granted above, the Coneral Revenue Related behavioral health from the Program, and Strategy B.1.3, Prescript 2025 2027, as identified in Art. IX, Sec. 10 Expenditures, if the Legislative Budget Boath at the agency's planned expenditure of the lot satisfy the requirements of Art. IX, Sec. ated Expenditures.	unds for the Board of Phaliption Monitoring Program, 0.04, Statewide Behavioral provides notification to ose funds in fiscal year 20:	rmacy in Strategy , in fiscal year 2024 al Health Strategic Plar the Comptroller of <u>24</u> <u>2026</u> or fiscal year
4	VIII-39	Out of the amount B.1.3, Prescription fiscal year 2025 2 and Safety Code samounts appropriation the sale of of are appropriated f	Official Prescription Form Fees. Its appropriated above to the Board of Pharma Monitoring Program, the amounts of \$200 027 are for the production, printing, and sa Section 481.075 from fees collected from the ated above in Strategy B.1.3, Prescription Ifficial prescription forms for the production, for the same purpose. Any unobligated or up 2024 2026, are appropriated in the fiscal years.	0,000 in fiscal year 2024 2000 le of official prescription fon he sale of official prescription Monitoring Program, any a printing, and sale of official nexpended balances of the	026 and \$200,000 in orms pursuant to Healt ion forms. In addition to additional fees collecteral prescription forms nese funds remaining

4 VIII-58 Texas.gov Authority Appropriation

a. Each Article VIII licensing agency participating in the Texas.gov Authority is authorized in accordance with § 2054.252 of the Government Code to increase the occupational license, permit, and registration fees imposed on the licensees by an amount sufficient to cover the cost of the subscription fee charged by the Texas.gov Authority.

b. The following is an informational listing for each Article VIII licensing agency participating in Texas.gov of appropriated fee revenue for the purpose of paying Texas.gov Authority subscription fees.

Fiscal Year	Fiscal Year
2024	2025
<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>
\$251.106	\$251.106

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c. In the event that actual and/or projected revenue collections for fee increases to cover the cost of Texas.gov subscription fees are insufficient to offset the costs identified above, the Comptroller is hereby directed to reduce the appropriation authority provided by this Act to agencies participating in Texas.gov to be within the amount of fee revenue expected to be available.

d. For new licensing applications, the Article VIII licensing agencies participating in Texas.gov are hereby appropriated the additional revenue generated from occupational license, permit, or registration fees in excess of the Comptroller's biennial revenue estimate 2024-25-2026-27 for the sole purpose of payment to the Texas.gov Authority contractor of subscription fees for implementing and maintaining electronic services for the licensing agencies. Each agency, upon completion of necessary actions to access or increase fees, shall furnish copies of board meeting minutes, an annual schedule of the number of license issuances or renewals and associated annual fee total, and any other supporting documentation to the Comptroller. If the Comptroller finds the information sufficient to support the projection of the increased revenues, a notification letter will be issued and the contingent appropriation made available for the intended purposes.

5 VIII-59

Peer Assistance Program Funding Requirements.

Funds collected during the biennium beginning September 1, 2023 2025, by the Board of Pharmacy pursuant to Chapter 564, Occupations Code, and by the Texas Board of Nursing, the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners, the Optometry Board, and the Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners pursuant to Chapter 467 of the Health and Safety Code, in order to administer or finance peer assistance programs for professionals impaired by chemical dependency or mental illness, are appropriated elsewhere in this Act as identified in each Board's peer assistance strategy. The expenditure of the appropriations identified by this section is hereby made contingent upon sufficient revenue collections from peer assistance surcharges or other receipts collected pursuant to Chapter 467 of the Health and Safety Code or Chapter 564, Occupations Code as appropriate. None of the appropriations identified by this section may be expended unless each agency with a peer assistance program has on file the following current documents:

3.B. Rider Revisions and Additions Request (continued)

- a. a request for proposal documentation and contracts documenting that the respective agency governing board has a competitively bid contract with the peer assistance program;
- b. documentation for programs authorized under Chapter 467 of the Health and Safety Code that the agency's peer assistance program has been certified by the Department of State Health Services (DSHS) as meeting all DSHS criteria for peer assistance programs;
- c. documentation for programs authorized under Chapter 467 showing compliance with statutory requirements regarding eligible participants and conditions for which services may be offered; and
- d. documentation that the program has been approved by the agency governing board.

Updated year references for above riders.

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Funding for the Prescription Monitoring Program

- a. Each Article VIII licensing agency participating in the Prescription Monitoring Program is authorized in accordance with Sec. 554.006 of the Government Code to assess a fee on licensees by an amount sufficient to cover the cost of the Prescription Monitoring Program administered by the Board of Pharmacy.
- b. The following is an informational listing of fee revenue for each Article VIII licensing agency participating in Prescription Monitoring Program for the purpose of paying for the Prescription Monitoring Program.

	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Yea
	-2024	2025
	<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>
d of Pharmacy	343,483	343,483

c. The fee revenue collected by each participating agency shall be transferred to the Board of Pharmacy <u>quarterly</u>, responsible for administering the appropriate provisions of Chapter 481 of the Health and Safety Code. In the event that the actual and/or projected revenue collections from monitoring fees to cover the cost of the program are insufficient to offset the costs identified above, the Comptroller is hereby directed to reduce the appropriation authority provided by this Act to the Board of Pharmacy to be within the amount of fee revenue expected to be available.

As it stands there is not a payment schedule, and it would be helpful to receive payments in a uniform schedule from member agencies.

3.B. Rider Revisions and Additions Request (continued)

5	VIII-39	Prescription Monitoring Program. Amounts appropriated above in Strategy B.1.3, Prescription Monitoring Program, include \$3,700,750 in fiscal year 2024 2026 and \$3,700,750 in fiscal year 2025 2027 in General Revenue Funds to implement maintain Narxcare and Statewide Integration. These amounts are exempt from Article VIII, Special Provisions Relating to all Regulatory Agencies, Sec. 2, Appropriations Limited to Revenue Collections. Narxcare and Statewide Integration have been implemented and the rider needs to reflect that they are being maintained.
6	VIII-39	Unexpended Balances: Prescription Monitoring Program. Any unexpended and unobligated balances of appropriations for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2025, for Strategy B.1.3, Prescription Monitoring Program, are appropriated to the Board of Pharmacy for the same purposes for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 2025. In addition, any unexpended and unobligated balances of appropriations for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2026, are appropriated to the Board of Pharmacy for the same purposes for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 2026.
7	VIII-39	 Cybersecurity Response. In addition to amounts appropriated above, the Texas State Board of Pharmacy is appropriated \$300,000 in General Revenue each year in Strategy C.1.1., and 3.0 Full-Time Equivalents (FTE) positions each fiscal year included above in the "Number of Full-Time Equivalents (FTE)" are contingent upon a finding of fact by the Texas State Board of Pharmacy that additional resources are needed by the department due to: (1) a cybersecurity attack
		None of the funds appropriated above in Strategy C.1.1., may be expended and none of the 3.0 Full-Time-Equivalents (FTE) positions each fiscal year included above in the "Number of Full-Time-Equivalents (FTE)" may be used unless the Board of Pharmacy files a finding of fact with the Governor and the Legislative Budget Board (LBB) and neither the Governor nor the LBB issues a written disapproval not later than:
		 (1) the 2nd business day after the (submission of the finding of fact) date the staff of the LBB concludes its review of the findings of fact and forwards those findings of fact along with the conclusions or comments of the LBB staff to the Chair of the House Appropriations Committee, Chair of the Senate Finance Committee, Speaker of the House, and Lieutenant Governor; and (2) the 2nd business day after the receipt of the finding of fact by the Governor.
		 These amounts are exempt from Article VIII, Special Provisions Relating to all Regulatory Agencies, Sec. 2, Appropriations Limited to Revenue Collections.

affecting healthcare in the state of Texas.

This rider is needed so that the agency can efficiently respond to on-going cybersecurity attacks

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CODE DESCRIPTION	Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name: New Positions		
Item Priority: 1		
IT Component: No		
Anticipated Out-year Costs: Yes		
Involve Contracts > \$50,000: No		
Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies: 01-01-01 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System		
02-01-01 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education		
02-01-03 Prescription Monitoring Program		
03-01-01 Indirect Administration		
BJECTS OF EXPENSE:		
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	1,016,088	1,016,088
1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	41,999	0
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	15,242	15,242
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$1,073,329	\$1,031,330
IETHOD OF FINANCING:		
1 General Revenue Fund	1,073,329	1,031,330
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING	\$1,073,329	\$1,031,330
ULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE):	11.00	11.00

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

The Board is asking for the following positions as outlined in the Administrator's Statement:

- Programmer V
- Programmer IV
- Network Specialist IV
- Accountant VII
- Licensing Program Supervisor VII
- Epidemiologist IV
- Web Administrator III
- Program Specialist III x 2
- Information Specialist V
- Database Administrator III

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EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

Internal factors are agency growth and external factors include changes to information technology needs

PCLS TRACKING KEY:

DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

Funding of new FTEs will need to be maintained

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030
\$1,016,088	\$1,016,088	\$1,016,088

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CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 Excp 2027

Item Name: Fleet

Fleet Vehicle Replacement

Item Priority:

IT Component: No d Out-year Costs: No

Anticipated Out-year Costs: No Involve Contracts > \$50,000: No

Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies: 02-01-01 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education

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OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:

Agency code:

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TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$160,000 \$160,000

METHOD OF FINANCING:

1 General Revenue Fund

160,000 160,000

TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$160,000

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

The Board is asking for funding to replace eight (8) vehicles (\$320,000 one-time cost).

Funding is needed to replace aging vehicles with new energy efficient vehicles per state policy. The eight vehicles being replaced are combustion engine vehicles and are averaging 10 years or older and currently close to or over 100,000 miles. According to the Texas State Vehicle Fleet Management Plan, passenger vehicles should be evaluated for replacement when they reach 9 years of service and accrue 100,000 miles.

If not granted, agency staff will not have safe vehicles to drive which increases the risk of injury to staff and the general public. Additionally, the fleet will not meet the new vehicle requirements.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

External factors include Fleet management procedures for vehicle replacement and need to replace combustion engines with new hybrid engines.

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CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 **Excp 2027** Item Name: Subscription and Software Updates **Item Priority:** 3

Yes **IT Component: Anticipated Out-year Costs:** Yes

Involve Contracts > \$50,000: Yes

Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies: 01-01-02 Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable

> 03-01-01 **Indirect Administration**

OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:		
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	65,835	12,495
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$65,835	\$12,495
METHOD OF FINANCING:		
1 General Revenue Fund	65,835	12,495
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING	\$65,835	\$12,495

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

Upgrade agency Adobe software licenses (\$53,340 one-time cost) - A modernization upgrade is needed for agency Adobe 2017 licenses which are expired. By purchasing the licenses and not opting to choose subscription service licenses, the agency will save approximately \$8,000 per year over a six-year span.

If the agency were not to receive funding, there could be a critical impact as current workflow requires Adobe to allow the agency to submit forms and records securely and apply permanent redactions which reduce the possibility of confidential information being released.

Add 15 Tableau licenses to existing agency subscription (\$12,495 annual) - Tableau provides visual data analytics that helps people see and understand data. This would be useful to our government relations and outreach teams to convey information in an easily understandable way to the public, other agencies, and the legislature, including the data to verify it. It would allow our litigation legal assistants to create visuals to assist in explaining large datasets of information to administrative law judges in State Office of Administrative Hearings cases, such as pill mill cases. For our data and records management teams, this would help in utilizing our information and data internally to enable our employees to understand what we have and assist leadership in making data driven decisions.

If the agency were not to receive funding, there would be a missed opportunity to meaningfully use our data and convey information to the public, licensees, other agencies, the legislature, judges, and our own employees. This could result in a lack of full understanding and potentially negatively impact decision making.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

Internal factors include inability to update expired software. External factors include improved document processing and security as well as data management.

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DESCRIPTION OF IT COMPONENT INCLUDED IN EXCEPTIONAL ITEM:

Updating the agency Adobe software licenses will require a new DIR contract as the purchase will exceed \$50-000. This is a one time purchase for FY2026 of \$53,340 and will end once purchase is complete and licenses are distributed to staff.

IS THIS IT COMPONENT RELATED TO A NEW OR CURRENT PROJECT?

CURRENT

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STATUS:

Update pending receipt of funding from exceptional item request.

OUTCOMES:

The agency is currently experiencing issues using the expired Adobe licenses that are no longer eligible for updates. This affects the agency's ability to scan, store, and share information in a secure manner that is current with security standards that may come. Obtaining funding allows the agency to have software that is able to be updated as security features and fixes occur.

OUTPUTS:

The agency will be able to meet document security and confidentiality standards.

TYPE OF PROJECT

Acquisition and Refresh of Hardware and Software

ALTERNATIVE ANALYSIS

There is not an alternative available that would merge with current agency processes and software integrations.

ESTIMATED IT COST

	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	Total Over Life of Project
	\$0	\$0	\$53,340	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$53,340
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_	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	Total Over Life of Project
	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

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CODE	DESCRIPTION						Excp 2026	Excp 2027
FTE								
2	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

Funding of new Tableau licenses will need to be maintained

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030
\$12,495	\$12,495	\$12,495

APPROXIMATE PERCENTAGE OF EXCEPTIONAL ITEM:

0.00%

CONTRACT DESCRIPTION:

Tableau licenses are below \$50,000 threshold

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Agency code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 **Excp 2027 Item Name:** Compensation **Item Priority:** 4 No **IT Component: Anticipated Out-year Costs:** Yes **Involve Contracts > \$50,000:** No **Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies:** 01-01-01 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System 02-01-01 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education 02-01-03 Prescription Monitoring Program 03-01-01 **Indirect Administration OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 1001 SALARIES AND WAGES 454,163 454,167 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE 6,811 6,815 \$460,974 \$460,982 TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE METHOD OF FINANCING: 1 General Revenue Fund 460,974 460,982 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$460,974 \$460,982

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

Equity Increases (\$291,665 annual) - The Board would like to provide equity increases to select positions so as to increase retention of staff and make positions competitive.

The inability to have competitive salaries will continue to cost the agency FTEs who move on to other agencies or private sector positions where they can be compensated or rewarded. This also has a direct impact on the agency's ability to hire FTEs to replace staff who have left as the applicant pools are small and often lack the basic requirements of the positions.

Staff Merit Increase (\$162,500 annual) - The Board would like to provide merit increases based on performance to provide incentive for high performing staff.

The inability to reward exceptional work will continue to cost the agency FTEs who move on to other agencies or private sector positions where they can be compensated or rewarded.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

Internal factors include reward high performing staff performance and improve equity for key position to improve retention. External factors include staying competitive within the current job market and improve hiring.

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CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 Excp 2027

PCLS TRACKING KEY:

DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

funding of compensation awards would need to be maintained

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030	
\$460,977	\$460.977	\$460.977	

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Agency code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy

CODE DESCRIPTION	Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name: Executive Director Salary Increase		
Item Priority: 5		
IT Component: No		
Anticipated Out-year Costs: Yes		
Involve Contracts > \$50,000: No		
Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies: 03-01-01 Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:		
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	25,000	25,000
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	375	375
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$25,375	\$25,375
METHOD OF FINANCING:		
1 General Revenue Fund	25,375	25,375

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

The Board has one exempt employee, the Executive Director. The Board requests that the Executive Director's salary be increased by (\$25,000 annually) to assist in retention and to make the position competitive compared to other comparable regulatory agency heads. The Board Executive Director is legally mandated to be a Texas licensed pharmacist, which could be a Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.). The current salary for this position makes it difficult to compete with open market positions of specialty licensed executive officers. It also makes it difficult to set a course for succession planning due to a potential limited applicant pool.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

Internal factor is to improve retention. External factors include staying competitive with other similar exempt positions.

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DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING

Funding of increased salary would need to be maintained

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CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 Excp 2027

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030
\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000

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CODE	DESCRIPTION		Excp 2026	Excp 2027
	Item Name:	Staff Training and Conference Attendance		
	Item Priority:	6		
	IT Component:	No		
	Anticipated Out-year Costs:	Yes		
	Involve Contracts > \$50,000:	No		
	Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies:	O3-01-01 Indirect Administration		

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OBJECTS OF EXPENSE: 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	79,250	79,250
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE	\$79,250	\$79,250
METHOD OF FINANCING:		
1 General Revenue Fund	79,250	79,250
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING	\$79,250	\$79,250

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

Funding for staff attendance at conferences (\$50,000 annual)

Funding for staff trainings (\$29,250 annual)

Staff attendance at job related conferences and trainings provide opportunities to expedite the learning process and development of FTEs as well as providing opportunities for networking and collaboration. Without it, the only substitute is time and experience. This limits knowledge and expertise of staff in completing their duties and limits job growth, and therefore retention, of employees.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

Internal factors include providing opportunities for staff growth and education.

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DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

Training and Conference attendance costs will need to be maintained

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030	
\$79,250	\$79.250	\$79.250	

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Agency code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy DESCRIPTION CODE Excp 2026 Excp 2027 **Item Name:** Increases to DIR and Texas.Gov **Item Priority:** 7 **IT Component:** No **Anticipated Out-year Costs:** Yes **Involve Contracts > \$50,000:** No **Includes Funding for the Following Strategy or Strategies:** 01-01-02 Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable 03-01-01 Indirect Administration **OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 2001 5,616 7,520 PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES 2009 35,000 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE 35,000 TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$40,616 \$42,520 METHOD OF FINANCING: General Revenue Fund 40,616 42,520 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$40,616 \$42,520

DESCRIPTION / JUSTIFICATION:

According to DIR, agency costs will require an increase of \$5,616 in FY26 and an approximate increase of \$7,520 in FY27 for cloud services. The Board is requesting a total of \$13,136 for the biennium.

TSBP is requesting an increase in the appropriation for TX. Gov fees (\$35,000 annual). The increases to the appropriation limit is necessary to reflect current revenue collection and expenditure totals for TX.Gov.

The Board is requesting a total of \$70,000 for the biennium.

EXTERNAL/INTERNAL FACTORS:

n/a

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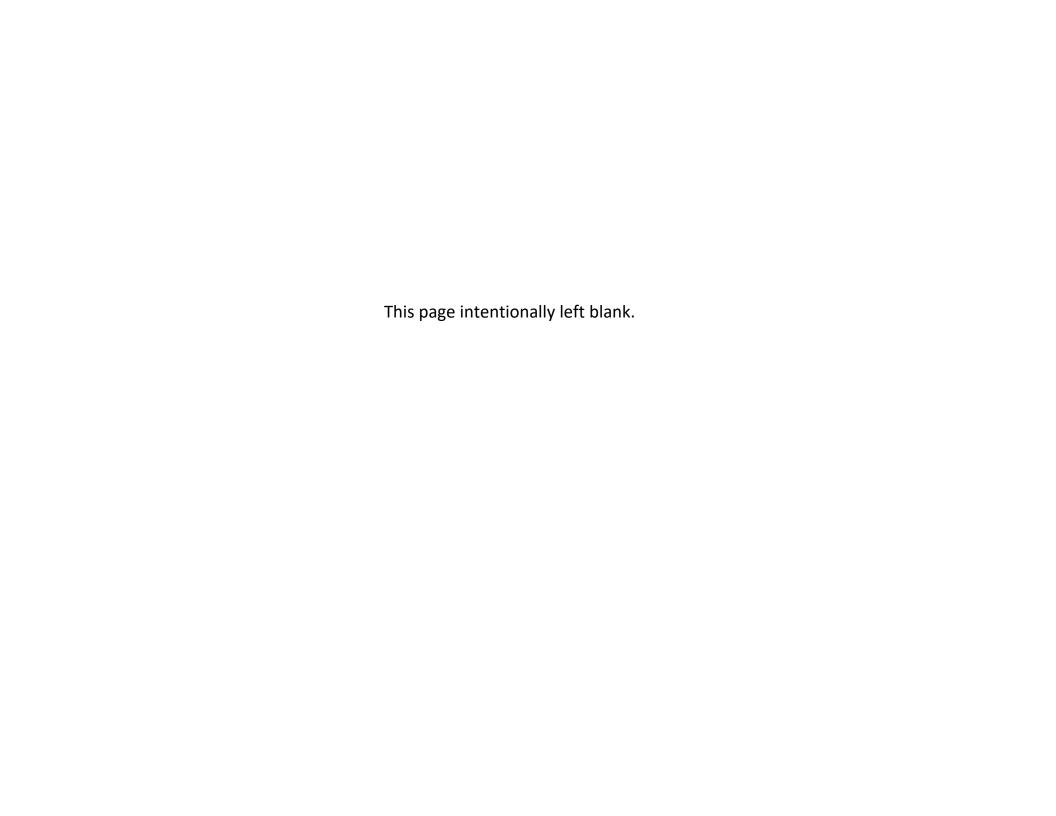
CODE DESCRIPTION Excp 2026 Excp 2027

DESCRIPTION OF ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS:

increases services costs will need to be maintained

ESTIMATED ANTICIPATED OUT-YEAR COSTS FOR ITEM:

2028	2029	2030	
\$42,520	\$42,520	\$42,520	



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Agency code: 515 Agency name: **Board of Pharmacy** Code Description Excp 2026 Excp 2027 Item Name: **New Positions** Allocation to Strategy: 1-1-1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System **OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 153,972 153,972 1001 SALARIES AND WAGES 1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS 7,636 0 2,310 2,310 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$163,918 \$156,282 **METHOD OF FINANCING:** 1 General Revenue Fund 163,918 156,282 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$163,918 \$156,282 **FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE):** 2.0 2.0

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Agency code: 515 Agency name: **Board of Pharmacy** Code Description Excp 2026 Excp 2027 Item Name: **New Positions** Allocation to Strategy: 2-1-1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education **OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 187,000 187,000 1001 SALARIES AND WAGES 1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS 7,636 0 2,805 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE 2,805 TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$197,441 \$189,805 **METHOD OF FINANCING:** 1 General Revenue Fund 189,805 197,441 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$197,441 \$189,805

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE):

2.0

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Item Name:	New Positions			
Allocation to Strategy:	2-1-3	Prescription Monitoring Program		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES		62,136	62,136
1002	OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS		3,818	0
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE		932	932
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXI	PENSE	-	\$66,886	\$63,068
METHOD OF FINANCIN	G:			
1	General Revenue Fund		66,886	63,068
TOTAL, METHOD OF FI	NANCING		\$66,886	\$63,068
FULL-TIME EQUIVALEN	NT POSITIONS (FTE):		1.0	1.0

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Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	New Positions			
Allocation to Strategy:	3-1-1 II	ndirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES		612,980	612,980
1002	OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS		22,909	0
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE		9,195	9,195
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXP	ENSE		\$645,084	\$622,175
METHOD OF FINANCING	G:			
1	General Revenue Fund		645,084	622,175
TOTAL, METHOD OF FIN	NANCING		\$645,084	\$622,175
FULL-TIME EQUIVALEN	T POSITIONS (FTE):		6.0	6.0

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boa	rd of Pharmacy		
Code Description		Exep	p 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Fleet Vehicle Re	placement		
Allocation to Strategy:	2-1-1	Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education	'n	
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
5000	CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	16	60,000	160,000
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXE	PENSE	\$10	60,000	\$160,000
METHOD OF FINANCIN	G:			
1	General Revenue Fund	16	60,000	160,000
TOTAL, METHOD OF FIR	NANCING		60,000	\$160,000

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Board of Pharmacy Agency code: 515 Agency name: Code Description Excp 2026 Excp 2027 Subscription and Software Updates Item Name: Allocation to Strategy: 1-1-2 Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable METHOD OF FINANCING: 1 General Revenue Fund 0 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING **\$0** \$0

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boa	rd of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Subscription and	Software Updates		
Allocation to Strategy:	3-1-1	Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE: 2009 OTH	ER OPERATING EXPENS	E	65,835	12,495
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE			\$65,835	\$12,495
METHOD OF FINANCING:				
1 Genera	l Revenue Fund		65,835	12,495
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCI	NG		\$65,835	\$12,495

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Board of Pharmacy Agency code: 515 Agency name: Code Description Excp 2026 Excp 2027 Item Name: Compensation Allocation to Strategy: 1-1-1 Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System **OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 45,417 1001 SALARIES AND WAGES 45,416 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE 681 682 TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$46,099 \$46,097 **METHOD OF FINANCING:** 1 General Revenue Fund 46,097 46,099 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$46,097 \$46,099

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Agency code: 515 Agency name: **Board of Pharmacy** Code Description Excp 2026 Excp 2027 Item Name: Compensation Allocation to Strategy: 2-1-1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education **OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:** 227,082 227,083 1001 SALARIES AND WAGES 2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE 3,406 3,407 TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE \$230,488 \$230,490 **METHOD OF FINANCING:** 1 General Revenue Fund 230,488 230,490 TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING \$230,488 \$230,490

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Board	of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Compensation			
Allocation to Strategy:	2-1-3	Prescription Monitoring Program		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES		45,416	45,417
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE		681	682
FOTAL, OBJECT OF EX	PENSE	_	\$46,097	\$46,099
METHOD OF FINANCIN	G:			
1	General Revenue Fund		46,097	46,099
TOTAL, METHOD OF FI	NANCING	_	\$46,097	\$46,099

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boa	rd of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Compensation			
Allocation to Strategy	y: 3-1-1	Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE	:			
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES		136,249	136,250
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENS	E	2,043	2,044
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EX	KPENSE		\$138,292	\$138,294
METHOD OF FINANCI	NG:			
1	General Revenue Fund		138,292	138,294
TOTAL, METHOD OF F	INANCING		\$138,292	\$138,294

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boa	rd of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Executive Direct	or Salary Increase		
Allocation to Strategy:	3-1-1	Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
1001	SALARIES AND WAGES		25,000	25,000
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENS	E	375	375
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXP	ENSE		\$25,375	\$25,375
METHOD OF FINANCING	G:			
1	General Revenue Fund		25,375	25,375
TOTAL, METHOD OF FIN	NANCING		\$25,375	\$25,375

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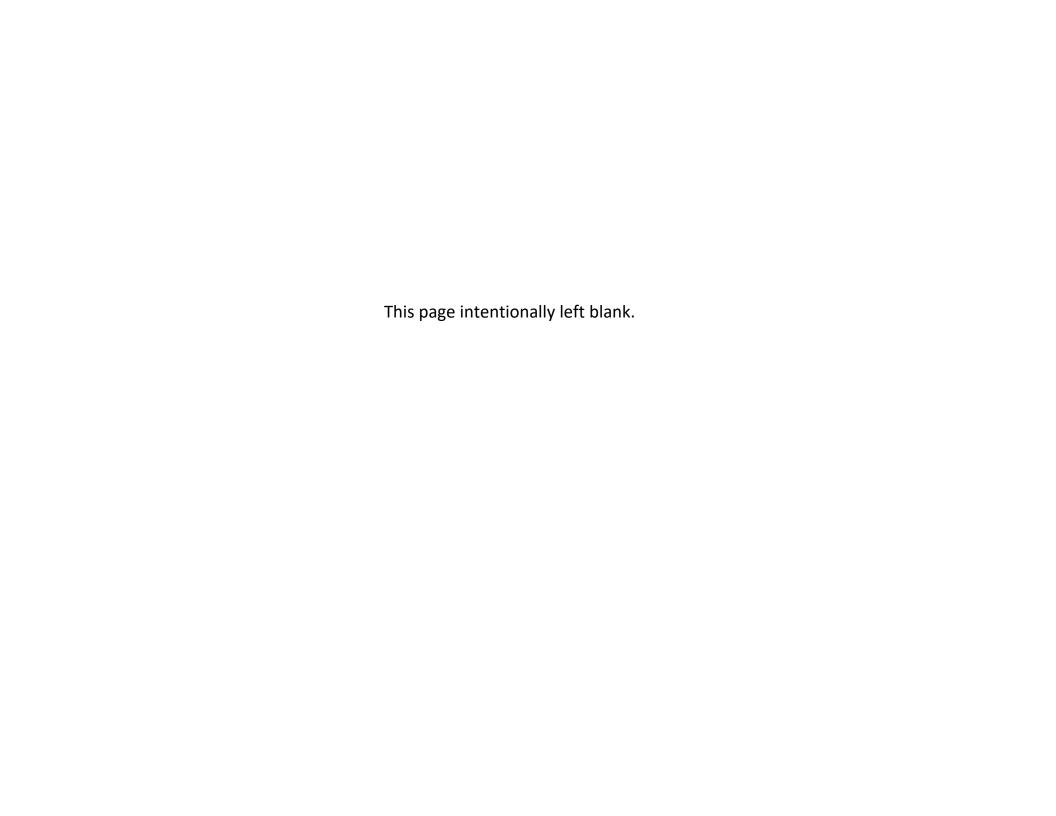
Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boar	d of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Staff Training and	l Conference Attendance		
Allocation to Strategy:	3-1-1	Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
2009	OTHER OPERATING EXPENS	E	79,250	79,250
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE			\$79,250	\$79,250
METHOD OF FINANCING:				
1 Ge	eneral Revenue Fund		79,250	79,250
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING			\$79,250	\$79,250

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boa n	rd of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Increases to DIR	and Texas.Gov		
Allocation to Strategy:	1-1-2	Texas.gov. Estimated and Non	transferable	
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE: 2009 O	THER OPERATING EXPENS	E	35,000	35,000
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE			\$35,000	\$35,000
METHOD OF FINANCING:				
	eral Revenue Fund		35,000	35,000
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINAN	CING		\$35,000	\$35,000

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Agency code: 515	Agency name: Boar	d of Pharmacy		
Code Description			Excp 2026	Excp 2027
Item Name:	Increases to DIR	and Texas.Gov		
Allocation to Strategy:	3-1-1	Indirect Administration		
OBJECTS OF EXPENSE:				
2001 PRO	FESSIONAL FEES AND SE	ERVICES	5,616	7,520
TOTAL, OBJECT OF EXPENSE			\$5,616	\$7,520
METHOD OF FINANCING:				
1 Genera	l Revenue Fund		5,616	7,520
TOTAL, METHOD OF FINANCING		\$5,616	\$7,520	



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Agency Code:	515	Agency name:	Board of Pharmacy				
GOAL:	1	Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education a	and Practice				
OBJECTIVE:	1	Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standard	s Are Met	Service Categori	es:		
STRATEGY:	1	Operate an Application and Renewal Licensure System		Service: 16	Income: A	.2 Age:	B.3
CODE DESCRI	PTION			J	Ехср 2026		Excp 2027
OBJECTS OF EX	XPENSE:						
1001 SALAR	RIES AND	O WAGES			199,388		199,389
1002 OTHER	R PERSOI	NNEL COSTS		7,636			0
2009 OTHER	R OPERA	TING EXPENSE			2,991		2,992
Total, C	Objects of	f Expense			\$210,015		\$202,381
METHOD OF FI	NANCIN	G:					
1 General	l Revenue	Fund			210,015		202,381
Total, N	Method of	f Finance			\$210,015		\$202,381
FULL-TIME EQ	UIVALEN	NT POSITIONS (FTE):			2.0		2.0

EXCEPTIONAL ITEM(S) INCLUDED IN STRATEGY:

New Positions

Compensation

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Agency Code:	515	Agency name: Board of Pharmacy		
GOAL:	1	Establish and Maintain Standards for Pharmacy Education and Practice		
OBJECTIVE:	1	Operate Licensure System to Ensure that Minimal Standards Are Met	Service Categories:	
STRATEGY:	2	Texas.gov. Estimated and Nontransferable	Service: 16 Income: A.2 Age:	B.3
CODE DESCRI	PTION		Excp 2026	Excp 2027
OBJECTS OF EX		E: ATING EXPENSE	35,000	35,000
		of Expense	\$35,000	\$35,000
METHOD OF FI	ŭ	•	<u> </u>	\$33,000
1 Genera	l Reven	ue Fund	35,000	35,000

EXCEPTIONAL ITEM(S) INCLUDED IN STRATEGY:

Total, Method of Finance

Subscription and Software Updates

Increases to DIR and Texas.Gov

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Agency Code:	Agency name: Board of Pharmacy					
GOAL:	2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice					
OBJECTIVE:	1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Complaints	Service Categories:				
STRATEGY:	1 Operate System of Inspection Assistance Education	Service: 16 Income: A.2 Age	B.3			
CODE DESCR	IPTION	Excp 2026	Excp 2027			
OBJECTS OF E	XPENSE:					
1001 SALA	RIES AND WAGES	414,082	414,083			
1002 OTHE	ER PERSONNEL COSTS	7,636	0			
	ER OPERATING EXPENSE	6,211	6,212			
2009 OTHE						
	TAL EXPENDITURES	160,000	160,000			

METHOD OF FINANCING:

 1 General Revenue Fund
 587,929
 580,295

 Total, Method of Finance
 \$587,929
 \$580,295

Total, Method of Finance \$587,929

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE): 2.0

EXCEPTIONAL ITEM(S) INCLUDED IN STRATEGY:

New Positions

Fleet Vehicle Replacement

Compensation

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Agency Code:	515 Agency name: Boar	rd of Pharmacy	
GOAL:	2 Protect Public Health by Enforcing All Laws Relating to Practice		
OBJECTIVE:	1 Decrease Violations by Inspections, Education, Resolving Comple	aints Service Categories:	
STRATEGY:	3 Prescription Monitoring Program	Service: 16 Income: A.2 A	Age: B.3
CODE DESCRI	IPTION	Excp 2026	Excp 2027
OBJECTS OF EX	XPENSE:		
1001 SALAI	RIES AND WAGES	107,552	107,553
1002 OTHE	R PERSONNEL COSTS	3,818	0
2009 OTHE	R OPERATING EXPENSE	1,613	1,614
Total, 0	Objects of Expense	\$112,983	\$109,167
METHOD OF FI	INANCING:		
1 Genera	ıl Revenue Fund	112,983	109,167
Total, I	Method of Finance	\$112,983	\$109,167

EXCEPTIONAL ITEM(S) INCLUDED IN STRATEGY:

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE):

New Positions

Compensation

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Agency Code: 515 Agency name: **Board of Pharmacy**

GOAL: 3 Indirect Administration

Service Categories: OBJECTIVE: 1 Indirect Administration

STRATEGY: 1 Indirect Administration Service: 09 Income: A.2 B.3 Age:

CODE DESCRIPTION	Excp 2026	Excp 2027
BJECTS OF EXPENSE:		
1001 SALARIES AND WAGES	774,229	774,230
1002 OTHER PERSONNEL COSTS	22,909	0
2001 PROFESSIONAL FEES AND SERVICES	5,616	7,520
2009 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	156,698	103,359
Total, Objects of Expense	\$959,452	\$885,109
ETHOD OF FINANCING:		
1 General Revenue Fund	959,452	885,109

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS (FTE):

Total, Method of Finance

EXCEPTIONAL ITEM(S) INCLUDED IN STRATEGY:

New Positions

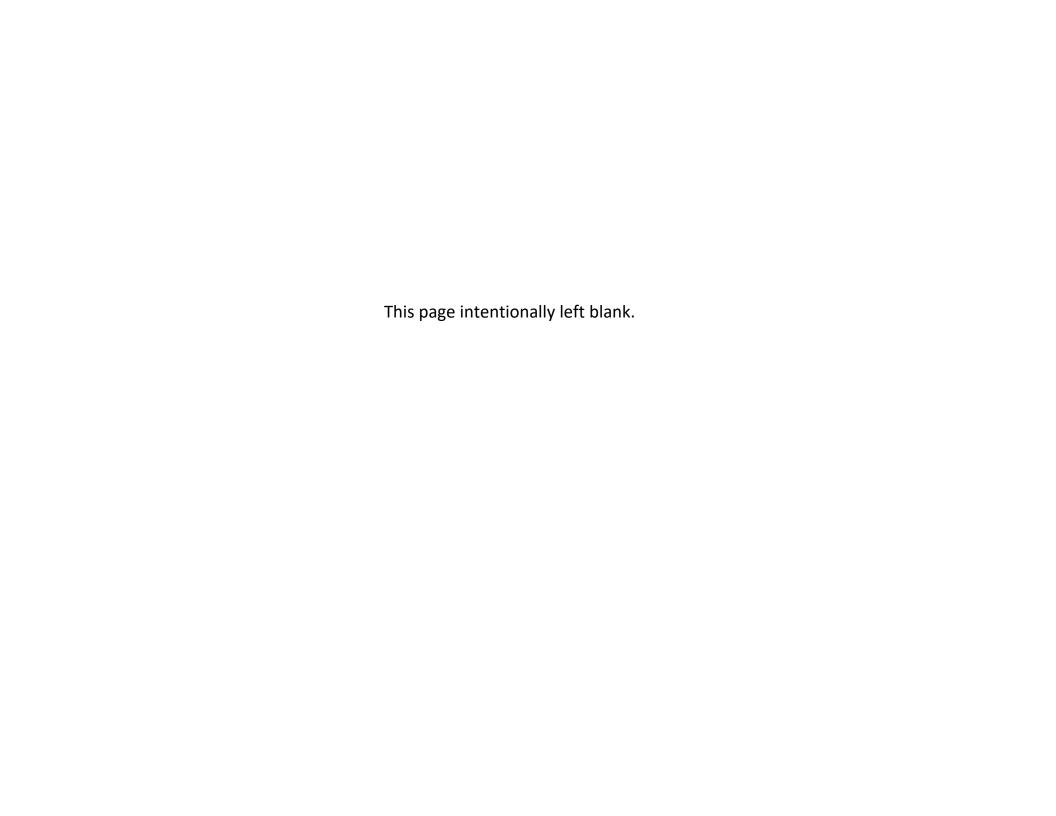
Subscription and Software Updates

Compensation

Executive Director Salary Increase

Staff Training and Conference Attendance

Increases to DIR and Texas.Gov



6.A. Historically Underutilized Business Supporting Schedule

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COMPARISON TO STATEWIDE HUB PROCUREMENT GOALS

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A. Fiscal Year - HUB Expenditure Information

						Total					Total
Statewide	Procurement		HUB E	xpenditures	FY 2022	Expenditures		HUB Ex	penditures FY	<u> 2023</u>	Expenditures
HUB Goals	Category	% Goal	% Actual	Diff	Actual \$	FY 2022	% Goal	% Actual	Diff	Actual \$	FY 2023
11.2%	Heavy Construction	11.2 %	0.0%	-11.2%	\$0	\$0	11.2 %	0.0%	-11.2%	\$0	\$0
21.1%	Building Construction	21.1 %	0.0%	-21.1%	\$0	\$0	21.1 %	0.0%	-21.1%	\$0	\$0
32.9%	Special Trade	32.9 %	0.0%	-32.9%	\$0	\$0	32.9 %	0.0%	-32.9%	\$0	\$0
23.7%	Professional Services	23.7 %	32.3%	8.6%	\$11,480	\$35,499	23.7 %	13.1%	-10.6%	\$3,740	\$28,558
26.0%	Other Services	26.0 %	2.1%	-23.9%	\$28,034	\$1,306,428	26.0 %	6.1%	-19.9%	\$72,141	\$1,183,964
21.1%	Commodities	21.1 %	70.9%	49.8%	\$102,037	\$143,927	21.1 %	72.5%	51.4%	\$205,534	\$283,563
	Total Expenditures		9.5%		\$141,551	\$1,485,854		18.8%		\$281,415	\$1,496,085

B. Assessment of Attainment of HUB Procurement Goals

Attainment:

The Board of Pharmacy met or exceeded two of the three applicable HUB procurement goals for fiscal year 2022 and one of the goals for fiscal year 2023.

Applicability:

The Board of Pharmacy's functions do not include construction therefore, "Heavy Construction", "Building Construction", and "Special Trade Construction" categories are not applicable to the agency.

Factors Affecting Attainment:

Our opportunities for Professional Services are limited to a major contract, not currently awarded to a HUB, and accounting work as needed that varies from year to year.

C. Good-Faith Efforts to Increase HUB Participation

Outreach Efforts and Mentor-Protégé Programs:

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy is committed to providing procurement and contracting opportunities for Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUBs). It is the agency's policy to promote full and equal business opportunities for all HUBs. Our efforts extend to but are not limited to:

- Using only HUBs on non-competitive spot purchases of \$5,000 or less, whenever possible;
- Soliciting a minimum of three (3) HUBs when services and consumables are bid;
- Making a good faith effort to increase the awards to HUBs.

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HUB Program Staffing:

The agency had one FTE (purchaser) who handles all agency contracting.

Current and Future Good-Faith Efforts:

The agency made a dedicated effort to satisfy the requirement for soliciting at least two HUB-certified minorities and one women owned business in the bids solicited for each delegated spot purchase. The above constraints notwithstanding, the agency will increase its good- faith efforts by increasing purchasing staff to allow more time devoted to attending HUB meetings and forums.

6.E. Estimated Revenue Collections Supporting Schedule

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Agency Code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy	-				
FUND/ACCOUNT	Act 2023	Exp 2024	Est 2025	Est 2026	Est 2027
1 General Revenue Fund					
Beginning Balance (Unencumbered):	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Estimated Revenue:					
3554 Food and Drug Fees	2,281,214	2,215,120	2,259,423	2,304,611	2,350,704
3562 Health Related Profession Fees	10,707,124	10,943,781	11,166,226	11,369,869	11,577,970
3570 Peer Assistance Prog Fees	358,785	357,145	364,288	371,574	379,005
3770 Administrative Penalties	259,500	281,055	0	0	0
3852 Interest on Local Deposits-St Agy	14	14	14	14	14
Subtotal: Actual/Estimated Revenue	13,606,637	13,797,115	13,789,951	14,046,068	14,307,693
Total Available	\$13,606,637	\$13,797,115	\$13,789,951	\$14,046,068	\$14,307,693
DEDUCTIONS:					
Expended/Estimated/Budgeted	(8,443,516)	(8,429,523)	(10,888,303)	(10,832,666)	(10,832,666)
Transfer EE Benefits	(1,747,344)	(1,742,568)	(1,846,916)	(1,902,201)	(1,959,144)
Total, Deductions	\$(10,190,860)	\$(10,172,091)	\$(12,735,219)	\$(12,734,867)	\$(12,791,810)
Ending Fund/Account Balance	\$3,415,777	\$3,625,024	\$1,054,732	\$1,311,201	\$1,515,883

REVENUE ASSUMPTIONS:

Revenue codes 3554-Food and Drug Fees, 3562-Health Related Profession Fees and 3570-Peer Assistance Program Fees are expected to raise steadily with a growth of 2% percent for Fiscal Years 25-27.

CONTACT PERSON:

Ruben Leal

6.E. Estimated Revenue Collections Supporting Schedule

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Agency Code: 515 Agency name: Board of Pharmacy						
FUND/ACCOUNT	Act 2023	Exp 2024	Est 2025	Est 2026	Est 202	
666 Appropriated Receipts						
Beginning Balance (Unencumbered):	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Estimated Revenue:						
3582 Controlled Sub Act Forft Prop Sales	96,784	93,602	0	0	0	
3727 Fees - Administrative Services	153,266	153,416	200,000	200,000	200,000	
3802 Reimbursements-Third Party	8,154	17,617	14,015	14,015	14,015	
Subtotal: Actual/Estimated Revenue	258,204	264,635	214,015	214,015	214,015	
Total Available	\$258,204	\$264,635	\$214,015	\$214,015	\$214,015	
DEDUCTIONS:						
Expended/Estimated/Budgeted	(258,204)	(264,635)	(214,015)	(214,015)	(214,015)	
Total, Deductions	\$(258,204)	\$(264,635)	\$(214,015)	\$(214,015)	\$(214,015)	
Ending Fund/Account Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

REVENUE ASSUMPTIONS:

Revenues code 3727-Administrative Service Fee collections originating from the Prescription Monitoring Program which is expected to decline as fewer prescribers use paper prescription pads. The majority are completed online.

CONTACT PERSON:

Ruben Leal

Agency Code: 515

Agency: Texas Board of Pharmacy Prepared by: Ruben Leal

Date:

T					2024-25 Base 2026-27 Ba			6-27 Baseline Request 2026-27 Exceptional Items		Additional Information								
#	Program Name	Service Type (drop down)	Agency Strategies	Summary Description	Target Population(s)	Fund Type	FY 2024 Base	FY 2025 Base	FY 2026 Baseline Request	FY 2027 Baseline Request	FY 2026 Requested	FY 2027 Requested	2026-27 Requested for Mental Health Services	2026-27 Requested for Substance Abuse Services	2026 FTEs	2027 FTEs	Statewide Strategic Plan Strategies	Methodology / Notes
						GR	359,181	359,181	359,181	359,181	-	-	-	718,362				
				Provide services to impaired pharmacists to support recovery and monitor people to allow for continued employment, prevent unsafe professional practice: • Monitor		GR-D											Goals for Substance Use Service Track. 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 3.1, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 5.1, 5.2, 5.3, 5.5, 6.1, 6.4	
						FF												
						IAC												
						Other												
1	PEER Assistance	SUD Svcs - Prevention	B.1.2.	impaired pharmacists to ensure safe practice and allow for rehabilitation for the professional to enter safe, healthy recovery. I dentify pharmacists with a potential impairment and coordinate evaluation to assess impairment for pharmacists. Provide referrals to qualified mental health professionals to evaluate and provide mental health services to pharmacists, including treatment and counseling. Coordinate treatment among mental health professionals to ensure proper and efficient treatment and services. Allow for self-referral of pharmacists to access mental health services in a confidential manner through a support, agreement without professional disciplinary action. Provide crisis intervention through peer assistance program.	Licensed pharmacists and eligible pharmacy students.		359,181	359,181	359,181	359,181	-	-	-	718,362	0.0 0.0	0.0		
				T. 0		Subtotal	0.570.744	5 550 005	5,548,393	5,548,393				44.000.700				
	Prescription			The Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) provides healthcare practitioners who prescribe or dispense controlled substances with additional support to care for patients in the fight against the opioid epidemic or substance abuse. It allows a quicker understanding of the patient's drug usage pattern history.	Healthcare practitioners who prescribe or dispense controlled	GR GR-D	6,578,714	5,558,095	5,548,393	5,548,393		-		11,096,786	0.0 0.0		Goals for Substance Use Services Track. 6.1, 6.2, 6.3	
		SUD Svcs - Prevention	B.1.3.			FF	1											
2	Monitoring					IAC										0.0		
	Program (PMP)					Other	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	-	_		400,000				
	(1 1/11)					Ounor	†											
						Subtota	6,778,714	5,758,095	5,748,393	5,748,393	-	-	-	11,496,786				
						GR												
						GR-D												
3						FF IAC												
						Other	-											
						Subtota	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_				
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t						GR												
						GR-D	†											
						FF	†											
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						Other												
						Subtota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
		Ì				Total	7,137,895	6,117,276	6,107,574	6,107,574		-	-	12,215,148	0.0	0.0		