

State Telemedicine Policies

Board by Board Overview

| | State License Required | Other Rules/Regulations (citation only) |
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| AL | √* ¹ | Ala. Admin. Code § 540-x-16 |
| AK | √ | “Telehealth Statutes, Regulations & Policy” Alaska Dept. of Health and Social Services SB 74 of 2016, Chapter 25 SLA 16 “Board Issued Guidelines: Telemedicine” Alaska State Medical Board, Nov. 2014 |
| AZ-M | √ | Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 32-1421 “Issue Brief: Telemedicine” Arizona State Senate, Nov. 10, 2014 |
| AZ-O | √ | Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 32-1821 Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 32-1854 “Issue Brief: Telemedicine” Arizona State Senate, Nov. 10, 2014 |
| AR | √ | AR Code § 17-95-206 AR Stat. 10-3-1702(10) “When Does Telemedicine or Internet- Based Patient Healthcare Violate Regulation 2.8?” AR State Med. Board Newsletter Fall 2012 |
| CA-M | √ | Ca. Business & Prof. Code § 2290.5 Medical Board of California |
| CA-O | √ | Same as CA-M |

¹ √* denotes that a state may issue a special purpose license, telemedicine license or certificate, or license to practice medicine across state lines to allow for the practice of telemedicine.

² √^ denotes that a state has a private payer parity law.

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| CO | √ | Colo. Rev. Stat. § 12-36-106(1)(g) “40-27: Guidelines for the Appropriate Use of Telehealth Technologies in the Practice of Medicine” Colorado Medical Board, Aug. 2015 |
| CT | √ | Public Act 15-88, Effective 10/1/15 CT Gen. Stat. § 17b-245c |
| DE | √ | 18 Del. C § 3370 24 Del. C § 1702 24 Del. C § 1769D |
| DC | √ | DC Municipal Regulations § 4618 |
| FL-M | √+ ³ | Fla. Stat. § 456.023 Fla. Admin. Code § 64B8-9.0141 |
| FL-O | √+ | Fla. Admin. Code § 64B15-14.0081 |
| GA | √ | Ga. Code § 360-3.07 O.C.G.A. § 43-34-31 Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. 360-3-.07 |
| GU | # ⁴ | 10 GCA § 12202(b) |
| HI | √ | Haw. Rev. Stat. § 453-1.3 |
| ID | √ | Idaho Code Ann. § 54-5601 |
| IL | √ | 225 ILCS 60/49.5 |
| IN | √ | Ind. Code 25-1-9.5 Ind. Code 25-22.5-14 Ind. Code 12-15-5-11 844 IAC 5-8 |
| IA | √ | IAC 653 – 13.11 |
| KS | √ | No unique laws regulating practice of telemedicine. |

³ √+ denotes that a state requires physicians to register if they choose to practice medicine across state lines.

⁴ Guam Code, 10 GCA § 12202(b), requires only that physicians are licensed somewhere within the United States.

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| KY | √ | Ky. Rev. Stat. § 311.550(17) Ky. Rev. Stat. § 311.5975 “Policy: Telemedicine Statement” Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure, Sept. 1997 “Board Opinion regarding the use of Telemedicine Technologies in the Practice of Medicine” Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure, June 2014 |
| LA | √* | La. Rev. Stat. § 37.1276.1 La. Rev. Stat. § 37:1271 La. Rev. Stat. § 40:1223.3 La. Admin. Code 46:XLV.408 “Advisory opinion: The use of telemedicine technologies with established patient” LA State Board of Medical Examiners, March 24, 2014 |
| ME-M | √+ | 32 MRSA § 3300-D “Guidelines: Telemedicine” Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine, Sept. 2014 “Policy: Medical Practice Across State Lines” Northeast Region State Medical Boards, Sept. 1999 “Advisory Ruling: Telemedicine – Radiology” Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine, May 1994 “Advisory Ruling: Telemedicine – Psychotherapy” Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine, August 1993 |
| ME-O | √ | “Policy: Medical Practice Across State Lines” Northeast Region State Medical Boards, Sept. 1999 |
| MD | √ | Code of Maryland and Rules (COMAR) 10.32.05 “Telemedicine” MD Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene |
| MA | √ | 243 CMR 2.01(4) |

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| MI-M | √ | MCL 333.16283 et. seq. |
| MI-O | √ | See MI-M |
| MN | √+ | Minn. Stat. § 147.032 “Telemedicine Registration” Minnesota Board of Medical Practice “Telemedicine Laws in Minnesota” Minnesota House Research, July 2020 |
| MS | √ | MS Code Ann. § 73-25-34 MS Admin Code title 30, part 2635, ch. 5 |
| MO | √ | Mo. Rev. Stat. § 191.1145(6) Mo. Rev. Stat. § 191.1146 Mo. Rev. Stat. § 334.010 Mo. Rev. Stat. § 334.108 |
| MT | √ | MT Code Ann. § 37-3-102 MT Code Ann. § 37-3-343 Montana Admin. Code 24:156:8 |
| NE | √ | Neb. Rev. Stat. § 71-8501 et seq. |
| NV-M | √* | NRS 630.261(e) |
| NV-O | √ | NRS 633.165 |
| NH | √ | NH Rev. Stat. § 329:1-d NH Rev. Stat. § 415-J “Guidelines for Physician Internet and Prescribing” New Hampshire Board of Medicine Policy, April 2004 “Policy: Medical Practice Across State Lines” Northeast Region State Medical Boards, Sept. 1999 |
| NJ | √* | NJ Rev. Stat §§ 45:9-21(b-c) |
| NM | √* | NM Admin. Code 16.10.2 et seq. |
| NY | √ | Telemedicine Statutes of New York “Statements on Telemedicine” NY State Office of Prof. Medical Conduct “Policy: Medical Practice Across State Lines” Northeast Region State Medical Boards, Sept. 1999 |

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| NC | √ | <p>“Position Statement: Telemedicine” North Carolina Medical Board, November 2014</p> |
| ND | √ | <p>N.D. Cent. Code § 54-52.1-04.13 “Statement on Telemedicine Policy” ND Board of Medical Examiners, March 21, 2014</p> |
| OH | √* | <p>OAC § 4731-10-11 OAC § 4731-11-01 OAC § 4731-11-09 ORC § 4731.296 “Position Statement on Telemedicine” State Medical Board of Ohio, May 2012</p> |
| OK-M | √ | <p>Okla. Stat. § 36-6801 et seq. Oklahoma Admin. Code § 435 Amendments to OAC § 435, May 2016 “Adopted Telemedicine Policy (Mental Health)” Oklahoma Medical Board, Sept. 18, 2008 “Definition of Face to Face Encounter by Telemedicine in Oklahoma” Oklahoma Medical Board, Sept. 25, 2013</p> |
| OK-O | √* | <p>“Licensure” Okla. Stat. §59-633 “Guidelines on Telemedicine” Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners</p> |
| OR | √* | <p>Or. Rev. Stat. § 677.139 Or. Rev. Stat. § 743A.058 Or. Admin. Code 410-130-0610 “Statement of Philosophy” Oregon Medical Board, January 2012</p> |
| PA-M | √* | Pa. Code § 17.4 |
| PA-O | √* | Pa. Code § 25.243 |
| PR | √ | 20 LPRA § 6001 et seq. |

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| RI | √ | RI Gen Laws § 5-37-12 “Guidelines for Appropriate Use of Telemedicine and Internet in Medical Practice” Rhode Island Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline |
| SC | √ | S.C. Code Ann. 40-47-37 “Telemedicine Advisory Opinion” South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners, August 2015 “Establishment of Physician-Patient Relationship as Prerequisite to Prescribing Drugs” South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners, August 2015 |
| SD | √ | SD Codified Laws § 36-4-41 SD Codified Laws § 36-2-9 |
| TN-M | √ | Tenn. Code Ann. § 63-1-155 Tenn. Code Ann. § 63-6-201 Tenn Comp. R. & Regs. 0880-02.16 “Policy Statement: Practicing Medicine on patients within Boundaries of Tennessee by Physicians in other states” Tennessee State Board of Medical Examiners, Oct. 1994 |
| TN-O | √* | Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1050-02.17 |
| TX | √* | 22 Tex Admin. Code § 174 “Out-of-State Telemedicine License” Texas Medical Board |
| UT-M | √ | Utah Code § 58-1-307 |
| UT-O | √ | Same as UT-M |
| VT-M | √ | “Policy: Medical Practice Across State Lines” Northeast Region State Medical Boards, Sept. 1999 |
| VT-O | √ | Same as VT-M |

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| VI | √ | VI St. T. 27 § 16 |
| VA | √ | Va. Code § 38.2-3418.16 “Guidance Document 85-21” Virginia Board of Medicine, Feb. 2015 |
| WA-M | √ | RCW 18.71.030 WAC 182-531-1730 “Guideline: Appropriate Use of Telemedicine” Medical Quality Assurance Commission, Oct. 2014 |
| WA-O | √ | RCW 18.57.040 |
| WV-M | √ | W Va. Code § 30-3-13 “Position Statement on Telemedicine” West Virginia Board of Medicine, Nov. 2014 |
| WV-O | √ | W. Va. Code §30-14-12d “Telemedicine Policy” West Virginia Board of Osteopathic Medicine, Sept. 2015 |
| WI | √ | Wisconsin Admin. Code Med. §24 |
| WY | √ | WY Board Rules § 1.4(e) |

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