



Maintenance of Licensure (MOL) Guiding Principles



- Maintenance of licensure should support physicians' commitment to lifelong learning and facilitate improvement in physician practice.
- Maintenance of licensure systems should be administratively feasible and should be developed in collaboration with other stakeholders. The authority for establishing MOL requirements should remain within the purview of state medical boards.
- Maintenance of licensure should not compromise patient care or create barriers to physician practice.
- The infrastructure to support physician compliance with MOL requirements must be flexible and offer a choice of options for meeting requirements.
- Maintenance of licensure processes should balance transparency with privacy protections.