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## AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2026 REGULAR SESSION

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### **SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION**

*{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}*

**Date Prepared:** 1/14/2026

*Check all that apply:*

**Bill Number:** HB44

Original  Correction   
Amendment  Substitute

**Sponsor:** Gail Armstrong

**Agency Name**

New Mexico Medical Board-  
446

**and Code  
Number:**

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Director

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### **SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT**

#### **APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)**

<b>Appropriation</b>		<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>
<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>		

(Parenthesis ( ) indicate expenditure decreases)

#### **REVENUE (dollars in thousands)**

<b>Estimated Revenue</b>			<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>
<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>	<b>FY28</b>		

(Parenthesis ( ) indicate revenue decreases)

#### **ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)**

	<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>	<b>FY28</b>	<b>3 Year Total Cost</b>	<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>

<b>Total</b>						
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(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:  
 Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

### **SECTION III: NARRATIVE**

#### **BILL SUMMARY**

##### Synopsis:

Enters New Mexico in the Dental and Dental Hygienist Interstate Compact for the purpose of facilitating interstate practice of dentistry and dental hygiene and improving public access to dental services. The Dental and Dental Hygienist Compact Commission would serve as the national administrative body.

#### **FISCAL IMPLICATIONS**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **SIGNIFICANT ISSUES**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **TECHNICAL ISSUES**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **ALTERNATIVES**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board

#### **AMENDMENTS**

None for The New Mexico Medical Board