

Federation of Podiatric Medical Boards

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[\\$150M Coming for Community Health Centers, Rural Physicians](#)

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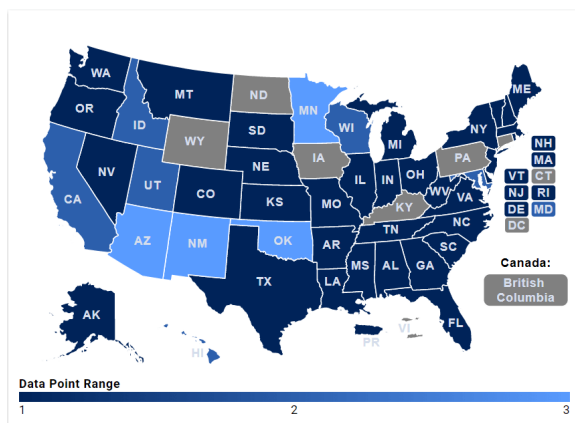
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About the FPMB

REPRESENTATION

FPMB provides representation of its Member Boards to:

- [American Podiatric Medical Association](#)
- [American Society of Podiatric Executives](#)
- [Council on Podiatric Medical Education](#)
- [Federation of State Medical Boards](#)
- [National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners](#)
- [Professional Licensing Coalition](#)

From the FPMB President



FPMB Member Boards are diverse based on their geography, size of their DPM population, and/or their separate board or multi-disciplinary board structure. Yet, despite these differences, all Member Boards share a mission to protect the public and seek to address common issues and challenges.

FPMB is uniquely positioned to facilitate the sharing of data, information, and knowledge amongst its Member Boards. I invite senior staff and Board Members of all FPMB Member Boards to participate in the **Fall/Winter Meeting** via Zoom to be held on **Tuesday, February 28 at 12 PM ET**.

The meeting features a **Community of Practice** session that is an excellent opportunity for Board Members and senior staff to engage with their counterparts across the country on topics of mutual interest they have identified. As a previous participant stated, "The sharing of ideas will empower your efforts within your state; when you take on emerging issues, you can leverage many examples of solutions from other states."

If you have any questions, please contact the Executive Office (fpmb@fpmb.org). I look forward to your participation! [\[RSVP\]](#)

-Leonard R. La Russa, DPM

From the FPMB Network



Allied Health Workforce Projections, 2016-2030: Podiatrists

	Podiatrists	
	Scenario One (Status quo)	Scenario Two (Evolving care delivery)
Supply		
Estimated supply, 2016	18,160	18,160
Projected supply, 2030	19,010	19,010
New entrants, 2016-2030	7,620	7,620
Attrition ^a , 2016-2030	-6,770	-6,770
Projected supply, 2030	19,010	19,010
Total growth (%), 2016-2030	850 (5%)	850 (5%)
Demand		
Estimated demand, 2016	18,160	18,160
Projected demand ^b , 2030	23,290	23,430
Changing demographics, 2016-2030	5,130	5,130
Achieving population health goals	NA	450
Increased managed care ^c	NA	-210
Avoidable hospitalization and ED use	NA	-100
Total growth (%), 2016-2030	5,130 (28%)	5,270 (29%)
Projected Supply (minus) Demand, 2030	-4,280	-4,420

Note: All numbers reflect full time equivalents (FTEs).

Source: [Health Resources & Services Administration - Allied Health Workforce Projections](#)

Notable Dates & Events

February 14, 2023 @ 3 PM ET: [FSMB Webinar](#): Removing Barriers to Physician Mental Health Treatment through Licensing Reform

February 28, 2023 @ 12 PM ET: FPMB Fall/Winter Meeting (Zoom) [\[RSVP\]](#)

March 3, 2023: APMLE Part II Score Release

May 4-6, 2023: FSMB 2023 Annual Meeting in Minneapolis, MN (*podiatric medical licensing boards are welcome to [register](#)*)

May 5-6, 2023: FPMB Board of Directors Meeting @ FSMB 2023 Annual Meeting

June 8, 2023: APMLE Part III Score Release

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