

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE 2025
PODIATRIC PHYSICIAN RENEWAL
PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE, CHARACTER AND FITNESS QUESTIONS

The following questions are part of the 2025 podiatric physician licensure renewal application. All yes answers require a narrative explanation and the submission of appropriate supporting documentation, including any requested supplemental information, prior to the renewal deadline of 4:30 pm EDT on June 30, 2025.

	DURING THE LAST TWO-YEAR REGISTRATION PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2023 TO JUNE 30, 2025 HAVE YOU, <u>IN ANY JURISDICTION, FOR ANY REASON:</u>
1	been called before or appeared before any board or panel for discussions or questions concerning violations of the law or rules pertaining to the practice of podiatric medicine, or for unethical conduct?
2	been charged with or convicted of or pled nolo contendere to any felony or misdemeanor? <i>If the answer is yes, submit with your application certified copies of all court records related to any such charges, pleas and/or convictions.</i>
3	been charged with or convicted of a violation of the Controlled Substance Act or any other federal, state or local law pertaining to the manufacture, distribution, prescribing, or dispensing of controlled substances? <i>If the answer is yes, submit with your application certified copies of all court records related to any such charges, pleas and/or convictions.</i>
4	had limitations, restrictions or conditions placed upon your license to practice by a medical/podiatric board, or had your license to practice suspended, revoked or subjected to any kind of disciplinary action, including censure, reprimand or probation by a medical/podiatric board, and/or are any disciplinary actions pending against you?
5	voluntarily surrendered (not expired) to a medical/podiatric board or limited your podiatric medical license with a medical/podiatric board?
6	had any hospital privileges, and/or postgraduate training, limited, restricted, suspended, revoked, or subjected to any kind of disciplinary action, including censure, reprimand or probation? <i>If the answer is yes, you must have the facility submit directly to the Board by the renewal deadline all documentation related to your answer.</i>
7	voluntarily resigned from any medical staff or voluntarily limited such staff privileges while under investigation by any health care institution or committee thereof or prior to any final decision by a hospital or health care facility's governing board?
8	been denied the right to take an examination for licensure in any state or been ejected from any podiatric examination?
9	been denied a license to practice podiatric medicine?
10	had your DEA registration restricted or removed?
11	been convicted of Medicare or Medicaid fraud, and/or received any sanctions, including restriction, suspension or removal from practice imposed by an agency of the federal or state government?
12	had any judgments or settlements arising from medical professional liability rendered or made against you between July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2025? For each medical professional liability settlement or judgment you report, please provide: (1) the name of the patient(s) alleging medical professional liability; (2) the date of loss; (3) the date of settlement or judgment; (4) the amount of the settlement or judgment against you; (5) the name of the insurance company providing coverage to you with respect to this claim; and (6) a brief description of the allegations and a summary of the care provided. Your application is incomplete until all of the requested information is submitted for each settlement and/or judgment.
13	been addicted to, or received treatment for the use or misuse of, prescription drugs and/or illegal chemical substances, or been dependent upon alcohol or received treatment for alcohol dependency? (You may answer "no" if you are a participant in a written voluntary agreement with the West Virginia Medical Professionals Health Program, Inc., the West Virginia Board of Medicine designated physician health program.) <i>If answer yes and have gone through a rehabilitation program during time frame designated above, you MUST have that program furnish this Board a report of your treatment and progress by the renewal deadline.</i>
14	had any interruption in your practice of podiatric medicine which might reasonably be expected by an objective person to currently impair your ability to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the podiatric profession in a manner consistent with standards of conduct for the podiatric profession?
15	had anything occur which might reasonably be expected by an objective person to currently impair your ability to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the podiatric profession in a manner consistent with the standards of conduct for the podiatric profession?