

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 0625H.01P  
Bill No.: Perfected HB 56  
Subject: Dentists; Compacts  
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Bill Summary: This proposal modifies provisions relating to the dental professions.

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Dental Board Fund (0677)	\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)	\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)	\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)</b>	<b>\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)</b>	<b>\$0 or (\$3,000 - \$6,000)</b>

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

- ☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.
- ☐ Estimated Net Effect (savings or increased revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

## FISCAL ANALYSIS

### ASSUMPTION

#### Section 332.700- 332.760 – Dental and Dental Hygienist Compact

Officials from the **Department of Commerce and Insurance (DCI)** state that there are now 10 states that have passed the compact language. They are estimating that it will take another 12 to 18 months for the compact to be enacted. Costs are still unknown at this time.

**Oversight** notes in response to similar legislation from 2023 (SB 70) (the Counseling Interstate Compact), DCI estimated a cost of \$3,000 - \$6,000 in annual fees to participate in the compact if the compact were to be enacted.

Therefore, **Oversight** will reflect the estimated fiscal impact as a range of \$0 (the compact is not enacted) to \$3,000 - \$6,000 (the compact is enacted) to the Dental Board Fund (0677).

#### Rule Promulgation

Officials from the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** assume this proposal is not anticipated to cause a fiscal impact beyond its current appropriation.

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** note many bills considered by the General Assembly include provisions allowing or requiring agencies to submit rules and regulations to implement the act. The SOS is provided with core funding to handle a certain amount of normal activity resulting from each year's legislative session. The fiscal impact for this fiscal note to the SOS for Administrative Rules is less than \$5,000. The SOS recognizes that this is a small amount and does not expect that additional funding would be required to meet these costs. However, the SOS also recognizes that many such bills may be passed by the General Assembly in a given year and that collectively the costs may be in excess of what the office can sustain with its core budget. Therefore, the SOS reserves the right to request funding for the cost of supporting administrative rules requirements should the need arise based on a review of the finally approved bills signed by the governor.

#### House Amendment 1

##### §332.081- Dental Care in Correctional Centers

Officials from the **Department of Commerce and Insurance** and the **Department of Corrections** each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations.

**Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – State Government</u>	FY 2026 (10 Mo.)	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>DENTAL BOARD FUND (0677)</b>			
<u>Cost – DCI</u> Dental and Dental Hygienist Compact Fees	<u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u>	<u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u>	<u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u>
<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO THE DENTAL BOARD FUND (0677)</b>	<b><u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0 or (\$3,000- \$6,000)</u></b>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government</u>	FY 2026 (10 Mo.)	FY 2027	FY 2028
	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>

#### FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

Licensed Dentist and Dental Hygienist could have a direct fiscal impact as a result of this proposal.

Certain small dentist businesses allowed to provide care in correctional centers could be impacted by this proposal.

#### FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This proposal modifies provisions relating to the dental professions

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Commerce and Insurance  
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