## **Responses to Survey - Board of Veterinary Medicine**

Highest Compliment	ability to monitor profession on behalf of licensees 1	ability to streamline continuing education processes - 1	ability to keep profession from criticism because of bad actors -
Biggest Complaint	board's response to unlicensed practice - 1	lack of information -	• none - 1

Total responses: 2

## Reasons the board is important:

 Know that those who practice medicine in the state have a minimum knowledge of state laws, and can be excluded for violations or malpractice

Public Health	Public Welfare	Public Safety -	All or combination - 2
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#### Other:

Scope of Practice: Too Narrow - 1 Too Broad Just Right - 1

Comments: Scope needs to be expanded to take in equine dentistry, chiropracty, acupuncture and naturopathy. (and future areas of "new" medicine as needed):

## Problems with other professions' scope of practice

# What laws/regulations have caused the most problems?

• Delay in renewal application information.

#### Other comments:

Criminal Complaints Filed: Yes 1 Board Effective? No 1

Give Example: A criminal practice was observed, and then instead of investigating, they sent a notice to the business of the complaint and with a response of denial, that was the end of the "investigation".

What should have happened? - The board needs to support the licensed contractor and work with, not against.

## Scope of Practice Problems: none listed

Nonlicensee comments Saying Board of Pharmacy Necessary for Public Health - 47, Public Safety - 31, Public Welfare - 22