



## **Federation of State Medical Boards Past Presidents and Chairs**

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1912-13	<b>Arthur B. Brown, MD</b> , Louisiana
1913-16	<b>Charles H. Cook, MD</b> , Massachusetts
1916-25	<b>David A. Strickler, MD</b> , Colorado
1925-26	<b>Thomas McDavitt, MD</b> , Minnesota
1926-27	<b>Samuel W. Welch, MD</b> , Alabama
1927-28	<b>Byron U. Richards, MD</b> , Rhode Island
1928-29	<b>Guy L. Connor, MD</b> , Michigan
1929-30	<b>Herbert M. Platter, MD</b> , Ohio
1930-31	<b>Charles B. Pinkham, MD</b> , California
1931-32	<b>Harold Rypins, MD</b> , New York
1932-33	<b>Thomas J. Crowe, MD</b> , Texas
1933-34	<b>G.M. Williamson, MD</b> , North Dakota
1934-35	<b>Henry M. Fitzhugh, MD</b> , Maryland
1935-36	<b>I.D. Metzger, MD</b> , Pennsylvania
1936-37	<b>J.N. Baker, MD</b> , Alabama
1937-38	<b>J.W. Bowers, MD</b> , Indiana
1938-39	<b>H.J. Lehnhoff, MD</b> , Nebraska
1939-40	<b>Roy B. Harrison, MD</b> , Louisiana
1940-41	<b>John Neal, MD</b> , Illinois
1941-42	<b>J. Earl McIntyre, MD</b> , Michigan
1942-43	<b>Julian F. DuBois, MD</b> , Minnesota
1943-44	<b>Frank M. Fuller, MD</b> , Iowa
1944-45	<b>J.F. Hassig, MD</b> , Kansas
1945-46	<b>Adam P. Leighton, MD</b> , Maine
1946-47	<b>N.D. Buie, MD</b> , Texas
1947-48	<b>R.N. Whitfield, MD</b> , Mississippi
1948-49	<b>Earle C. Johnson, MD</b> , Nebraska
1949-50	<b>Jacob L. Loehner, MD</b> , New York

1950–51 **Creighton Barker, MD**, Connecticut  
1951–52 **Charles L. Shafer, MD**, Pennsylvania  
1952–53 **Walter E. Vest, MD**, West Virginia  
1953–54 **John M. McCann, MD**, Ohio  
1954–55 **Elmer W. Schnoor, MD**, Michigan  
1955–56 **M.H. Crabb, MD**, Texas  
1956–57 **Joseph J. Combs, MD**, North Carolina  
1957–58 **C.J. Glaspel, MD**, North Carolina  
1958–59 **Wesley D. Richards, MD**, Pennsylvania  
1959–60 **Edwin H. Lawson, MD**, Louisiana  
1960–61 **Harold E. Jervey Jr., MD**, South Carolina  
1961–62 **Louis E. Jones, MD**, California  
1962–63 **Sam Poindexter, MD**, Idaho  
1963–64 **E.C. Swanson, MD**, Michigan  
1964–65 **Andrew M. Gehret, MD**, Delaware  
1965–66 **Robert C. Derbyshire, MD**, New Mexico  
1966–67 **George H. Lage, MD**, Oregon  
1967–68 **Rhett McMahan, MD**, Louisiana  
1968–69 **Leo T. Heywood, MD**, Nebraska  
1969–70 **P.T. Lamey, MD**, Indiana  
1970–71 **Frederick T. Merchant, MD**, Ohio  
1971–72 **Frank Edmondson, MD**, North Carolina  
1972–73 **Ray L. Casterline, MD**, Oregon  
1973–74 **George L. Maltby, MD**, Maine  
1974–75 **Howard L. Horns, MD**, Minnesota  
1975–76 **Dan A. Nye, MD**, Nebraska  
1976–77 **John H. Morton, MD**, New York  
1977–78 **Harold E. Wilkins, MD**, California  
1978–79 **Richard E. Flood, MD**, West Virginia  
1979–80 **George S. Palmer, MD**, Florida  
1980–81 **Henry G. Cramblett, MD**, Ohio  
1981–82 **Bryant L. Galusha, MD**, North Carolina  
1982–83 **John H. Clark, MD**, Utah  
1983–84 **Charles B. Odom, MD**, Louisiana  
1984–85 **Charles D. Godinez, MD**, Texas  
1985–86 **John C. Sage, MD**, Nebraska  
1986–87 **William E. Jacott, MD**, Minnesota  
1987–88 **Howard G. McQuarrie, MD**, Utah  
1988–89 **Anthony J. Cortese, DO**, Oregon  
1989–90 **Susan F. Behrens, MD**, Wisconsin

1990–91 **Kenneth C. Yohn, MD**, Alabama  
1991–92 **Barbara Schneidman, MD**, Washington  
1992–93 **Melvin E. Sigel, MD**, Minnesota  
1993–94 **Hormoz Rassekh, MD**, Iowa  
1994–95 **Gerald J. Béchamps, MD**, Virginia  
1995–96 **Robert E. Porter, MD**, New Hampshire  
1996–97 **James E. West, MD**, Alabama  
1997–98 **Susan M. Spaulding**, Vermont  
1998–99 **William H. Fleming III, MD**, Texas  
1999–2000 **Alan E. Shumacher, MD**, California  
2000–01 **George C. Barrett, MD**, North Carolina  
2001–02 **George J. Van Komen, MD**, Utah  
2002–03 **Ronald C. Agresta, MD**, Ohio  
2003–04 **Thomas D. Kirksey, MD**, Texas  
2004–05 **Doris C. Brooker, MD**, Minnesota  
2005–06 **Lee E. Smith, MD**, West Virginia  
2006–07 **J. William McCord Jr., DO**, Tennessee  
2007–08 **N. Stacy Lankford, MD**, Indiana  
2008–09 **Regina M. Benjamin, MD**, Alabama  
2009–10 **Martin Crane, MD**, Massachusetts  
2010–11 **Freda McKissic Bush, MD**, Mississippi  
2011–12 **Janelle A. Rhyne, MD**, North Carolina  
2012–13 **Lance A. Talmage, MD**, Ohio  
2013–14 **Jon V. Thomas, MD**, Minnesota  
2014–15 **Donald H. Polk, DO**, Tennessee  
2015–16 **J. Daniel Gifford, MD**, Alabama  
2016–17 **Arthur S. Hengerer, MD**, New York  
2017–18 **Gregory B. Synder, MD**, Minnesota