

Agency 045 - BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

The Board of Barber Examiners was established in 1927, as set forth in Sections 71-225 and 71-228 of the Revised State Statutes of Nebraska. The agency's rules and regulations are on file with the Secretary of State. The Board of Barber Examiners has the duties to uphold the enforcement of standards as set forth by the Barber Act. The Board of Barber Examiners is a self funded agency, with NO funding from the Nebraska General Funds.

VISION:

The Boards vision is to provide competent practitioners and through the exercise of the Boards administrative powers, provide the public with a healthy and safe shop and school environment. Through constant monitoring of the quality of education with the schools curriculum and information given out to licensees, this agency maintains the focus on enforcement of standards. Because this Board consists of licensees, the central theme of the Board is to operate this agency as a business mindfully monitoring each monetary transaction.

MISSION AND PRINCIPLES:

To develop and approve barber school curriculum: post secondary educational requirements for barber instructors; examine and provide for the licensing of barbers and barber instructors; to enforce that sanitary rules regulating barber shops and schools; and to investigate and resolve consumer complaints.

GOALS:

The progressing development of a written and practical licensing examination for barbers that will ensure the standards required by Nebraska and the barbering profession are met. The Board's evolving process of the statutes, rules and regulations provides for a contemporary barber school curriculum. To meet technology objectives by providing technology maintenance, replacement and educational experiences. The Board is continually monitoring and updating required elements of barber school curriculum to meet the standards of our ever changing profession.

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Financial Data

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General Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cash Fund	125,750	168,121	172,306	165,362	176,688	167,611
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Program 080 - ENF OF STDS-BARBERING

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

Enforcement of standards as set forth by the Barber Act and the Board of Barber Examiners Rules and Regulations. Issuance of barber related licenses to qualified applicants.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

Objective: To ensure compliance with sanitation standards and provide the public with a healthy and safe shop and school environment. Action: Shops are inspected once each licensing period, schools of barbering are inspected on a quarterly basis.

Objective: Provide the licensees with the necessary support. Action: Newsletters, correspondence and agency web site provides valuable information at www.barbers.nebraska.gov concerning the enforcement of standards of barbering.

Objective: Revising of the curriculum, barber written and practical examinations. Action: Evaluation and revising the curriculum by using the results of on going surveys given to examinees as well as analysis by the Board during the examination, of potential industry changes.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

The Board conducts two continuative surveys following each examination. One survey provides the student with the opportunity to evaluate their education experiences. The second survey provides for the evaluation of their experience at the examinations, proctored by the Board. With the recent licensing of a second barber school in the state of Nebraska, the Board recognizes the competition between barber schools should produce better products from each school.

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