
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1700 Session of
2021

INTRODUCED BY SONNEY, BOBACK, JOZWIAK, MILLARD AND PICKETT,
JUNE 24, 2021

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, JUNE 24, 2021

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261), entitled
2 "An act requiring the licensing of practitioners of
3 osteopathic medicine and surgery; regulating their practice;
4 providing for certain funds and penalties for violations and
5 repeals," providing for disclosure of complaints filed
6 against physicians.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. The act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261),
10 known as the Osteopathic Medical Practice Act, is amended by
11 adding a section to read:

12 Section 13.4. Disclosure of complaints filed against
13 physicians.

14 A physician shall not be required to disclose a complaint
15 filed against the physician with the board to any person or
16 entity if all of the following apply:

17 (1) The board determines that no disciplinary or
18 corrective action against the physician is necessary.

19 (2) The complaint file is closed without any
20 disciplinary or corrective action against the physician.

1 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.