

FNMRA
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1. Summary of FNMRA's accomplishments from 2021 to current.
 - Partnering with AANP in applying for a grant to write interstate compact for NDs in US
 - Streamlining and improving the NANCEAC application and reporting process
 - Became governing member of Federation of Associations of Regulatory Boards (FARB)
 - Support of legislative efforts in Alaska, California, Idaho, Illinois, New York, Puerto Rico, and Wisconsin

2. External issues, trends, or events FNMRA is tracking that should be brought to the attention of CNME:
 - Regulatory threat in Idaho with passage of SB1330 establishing a second regulatory board in Idaho that will allow some license types (MD, DOs, DC, DDS, podiatrist, etc.) to obtain an "ND" license in Idaho if they choose to apply. This is a bypass of all normal mechanisms used across the US and Canada of ensuring competency of ND licensees.

3. Top issues that CNME should focus on in the near term (1-2 years) from FNMRA's perspective.
 - Fostering the growth and diversity of the student population in ND programs
 - Maintaining high standards for ND training

4. Important documents recently published (with links) that might be useful.
 - [Disciplinary Actions Summary](#) – a tally of all disciplinary actions, by type of violation and by jurisdiction, taken in the US and Canada (not including North Dakota) since 2010