

**Table 1: Ranking of Serious Doctor Disciplinary Actions  
By State Medical Licensing Boards--2001**

Rank 2001	State	Number of Serious Actions 2001	Total Number of Physicians 2000	Serious Actions Per 1000 Doctors
1	Arizona	124	11,791	10.52
2	Oklahoma	55	6,353	8.66
3	Alaska	11	1,283	8.57
4	Iowa	44	6,784	6.49
5	Kentucky	60	9,500	6.32
6	North Dakota	10	1,599	6.25
7	Idaho	15	2,412	6.22
8	Ohio	201	33,138	6.07
9	Utah	28	5,056	5.54
10	Georgia	95	18,995	5.00
11	West Virginia	21	4,296	4.89
12	Alabama	47	9,954	4.72
13	Mississippi	25	5,346	4.68
14	New York	349	80,134	4.36
15	Oregon	40	9,473	4.22
16	Arkansas	24	5,738	4.18
17	Colorado	50	12,029	4.16
18	Nevada	16	3,893	4.11
19	Montana	9	2,205	4.08
20	Kansas	27	6,847	3.94
21	New Hampshire	13	3,480	3.74
22	Virginia	70	19,673	3.56
23	New Jersey	105	29,757	3.53
24	Louisiana	42	12,068	3.48
25	California	290	95,038	3.05
26	Florida	136	44,747	3.04
27/28	Missouri	47	15,572	3.02
27/28	Massachusetts	87	28,851	3.02
29	Michigan	68	24,901	2.73
30/31/32	New Mexico	11	4,327	2.54
30/31/32	Texas	122	47,994	2.54
30/31/32	North Carolina	53	20,851	2.54
33	Tennessee	35	14,954	2.34
34	Nebraska	10	4,290	2.33
35	Vermont	5	2,280	2.19
36	Pennsylvania	85	39,052	2.18
37	Washington	35	16,154	2.17
38/39	Maine	7	3,528	1.98
38/39	Wyoming	2	1,011	1.98
40	Connecticut	26	13,312	1.95
41	Indiana	27	13,929	1.94
42	Rhode Island	7	3,919	1.79
43	Maryland	39	21,883	1.78
44	Minnesota	25	14,218	1.76
45	Illinois	63	37,138	1.70
46	Wisconsin	24	14,241	1.69
47	South Carolina	13	9,607	1.35
48	South Dakota	2	1,672	1.20
49	Delaware	2	2,219	0.90
50	Hawaii	3	3,746	0.80
51	District of Columbia	3	4,134	0.73
<b>United States</b>		<b>2,708</b>	<b>805,372</b>	<b>3.36</b>