

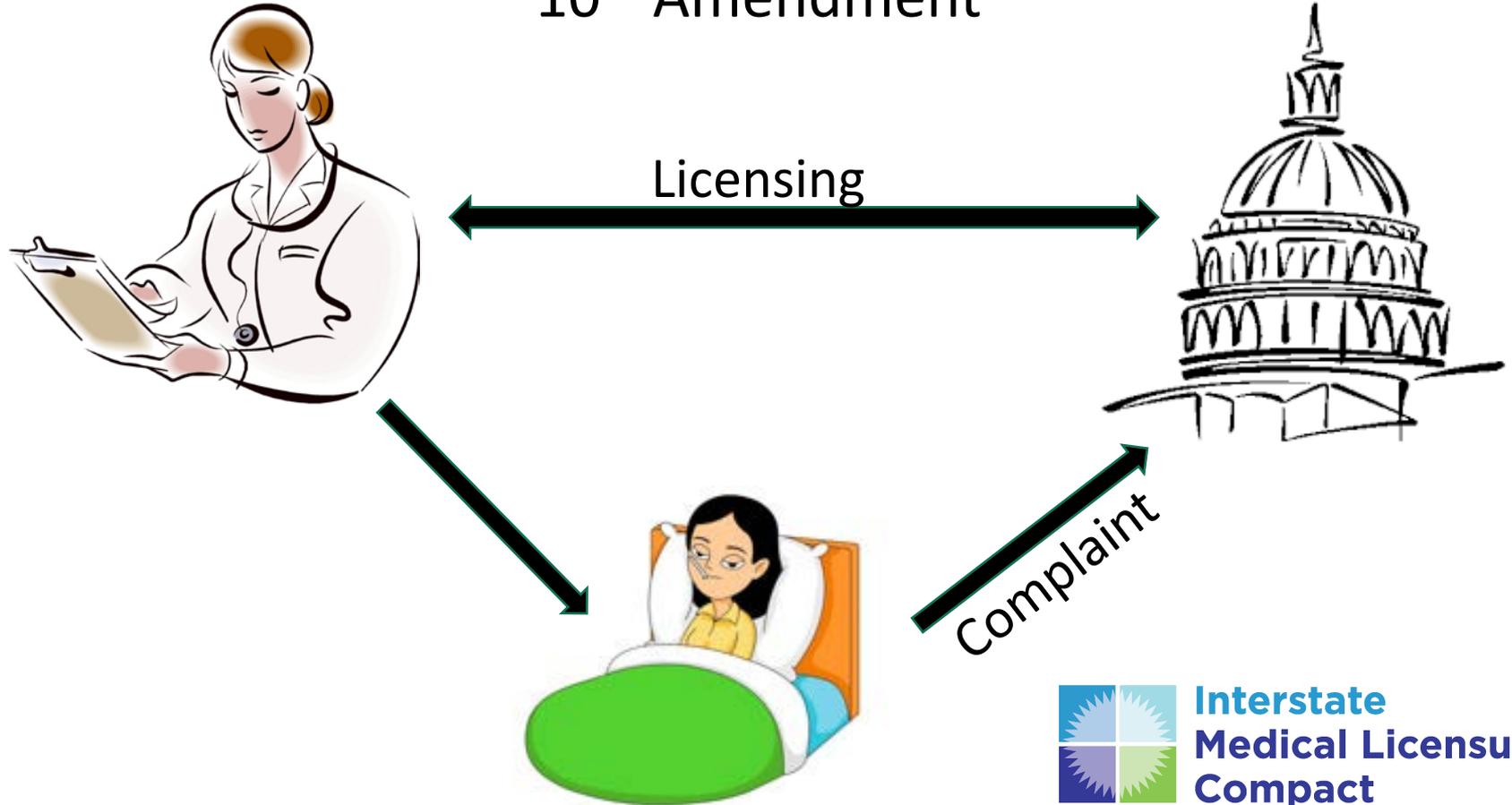
# Interstate Medical Licensure Compact

## The New Expedited Pathway to Medical Licensure

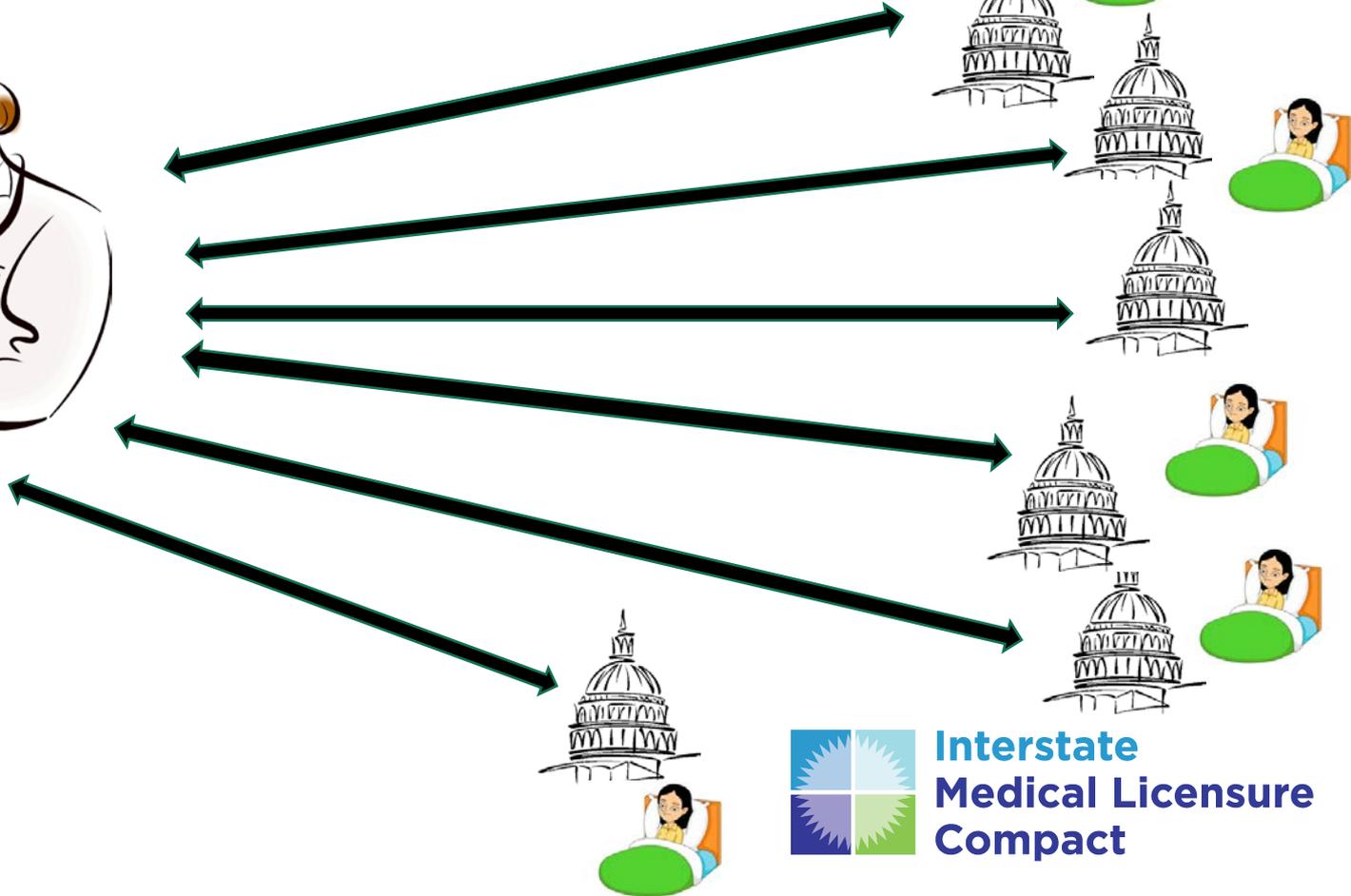
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Chair, Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission

# 10<sup>th</sup> Amendment



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# Timeline

- Jan 2013 – FSMB convenes Compact meeting
- Apr 2013 – Resolution 13-5: Development of an Interstate Compact to Expedite Medical Licensure and Facilitate Multi-State Practice
- Apr 2013 – Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Taskforce
- Apr 2014 – Handoff to IMLC Drafting Team
- Sep 2014 – Compact Drafting Team completes final draft legislation
- May 2015 – Compact activated with the passage by the 7<sup>th</sup> state
- Oct 2015 – Chicago, IL Inaugural meeting
- Apr 2017 – Open for business

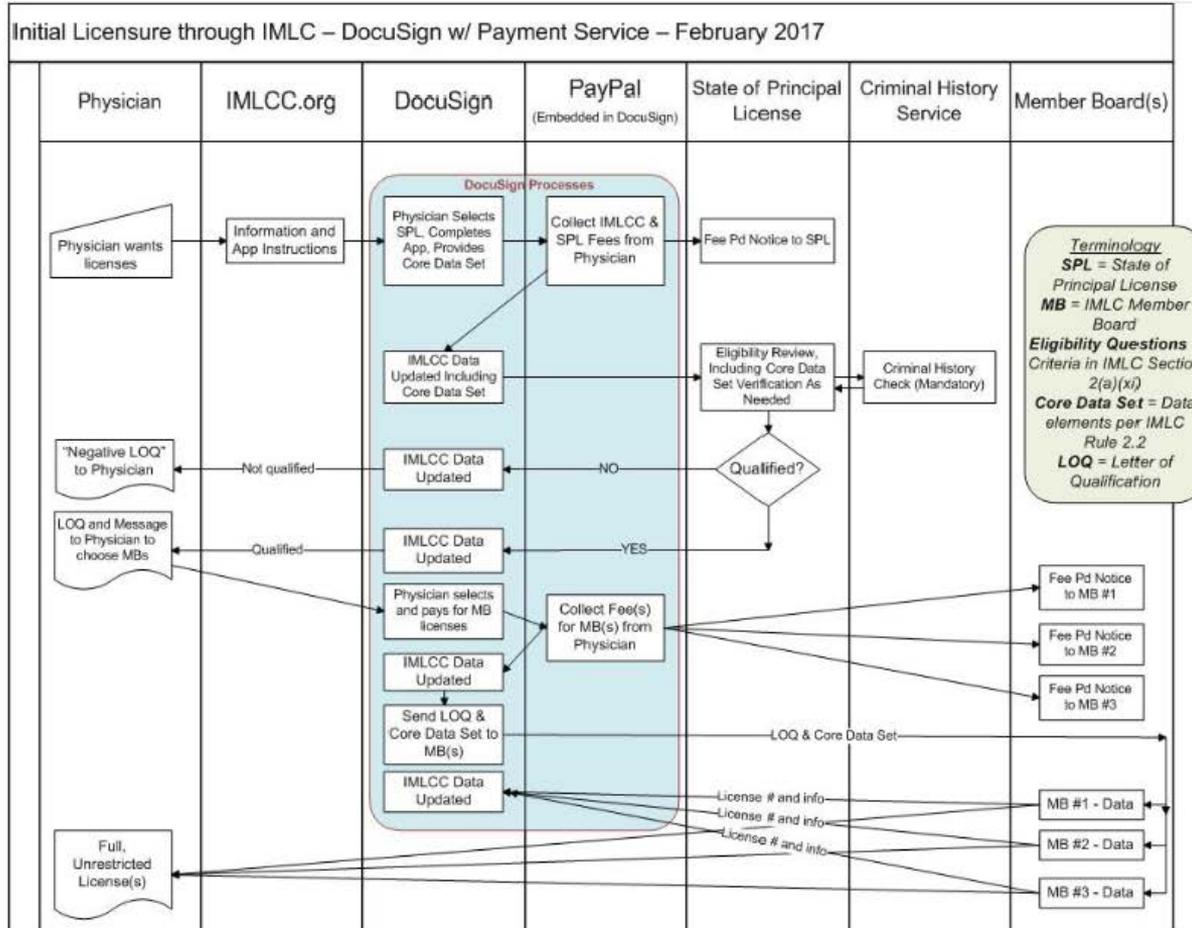


# Standards

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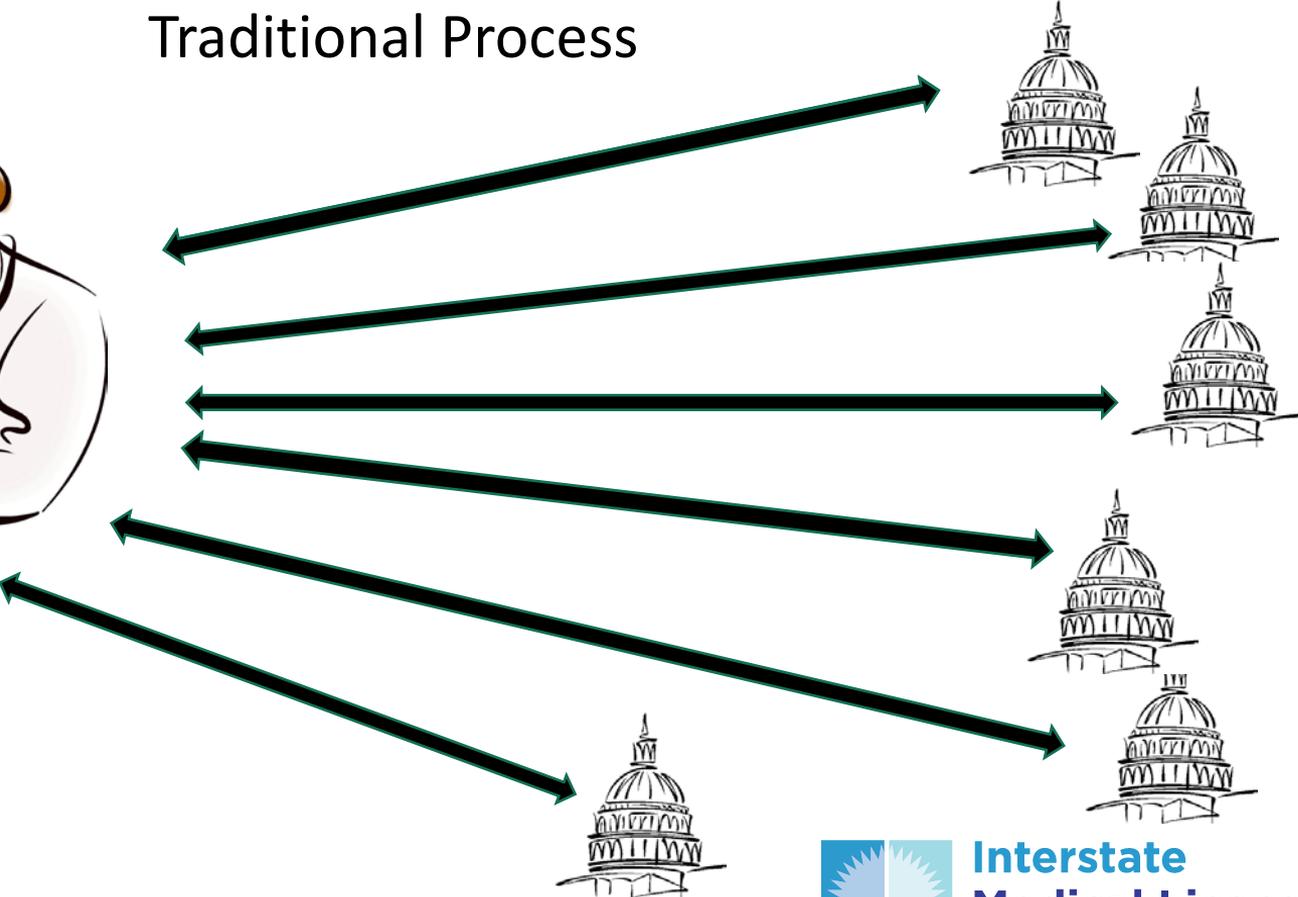


# The Process at a glance



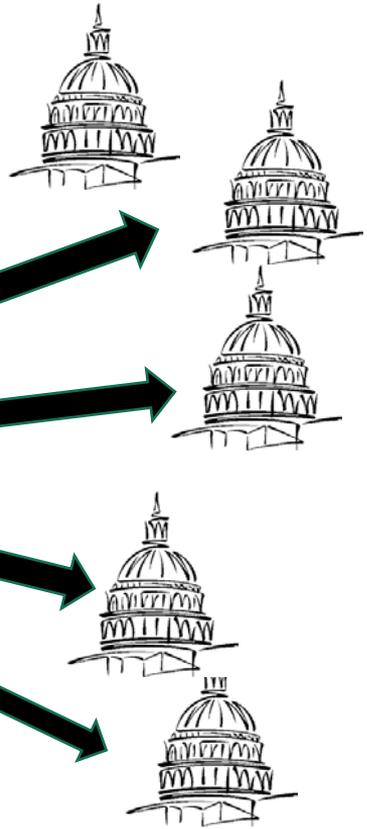
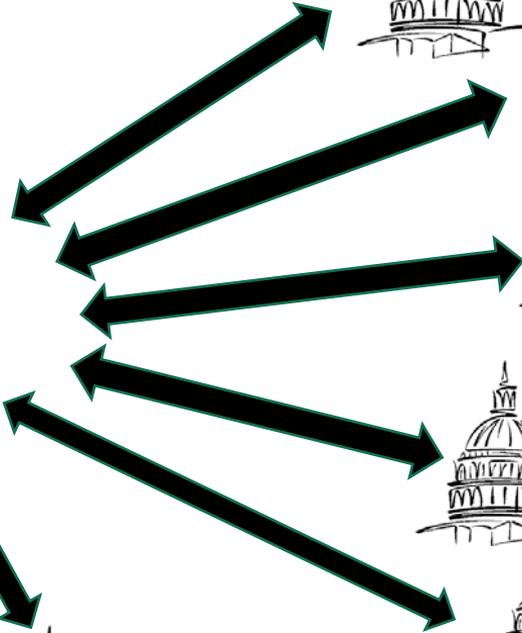
# Traditional Process

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# COMPACT PROCESS

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## THE PROCESS:

- is systematically self propelled without any manual intervention.
- has messaging throughout the routing and workflow to assist in the next step.
- is fully supported and offers support contacts for the physicians
- All documentation is fully downloadable for the convenience of the physicians, SPLs, and the MBs.



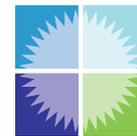
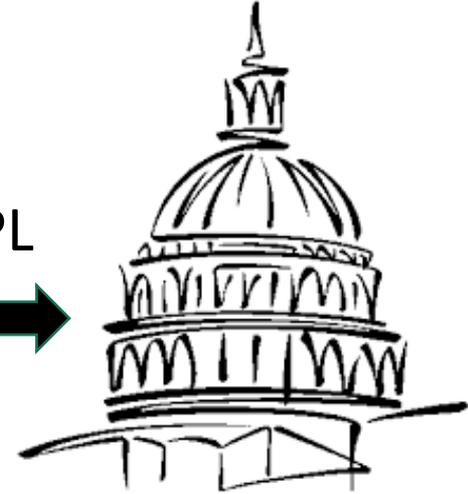
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SPL



Letter of Qualification - LOQ

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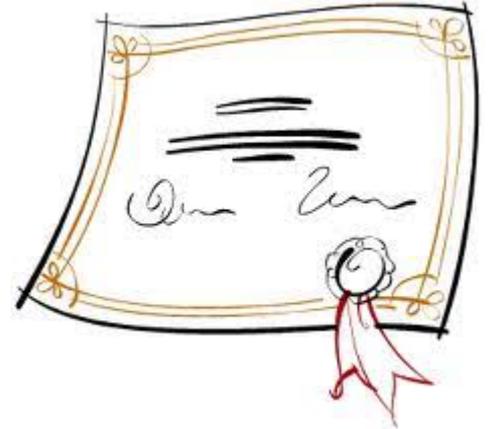
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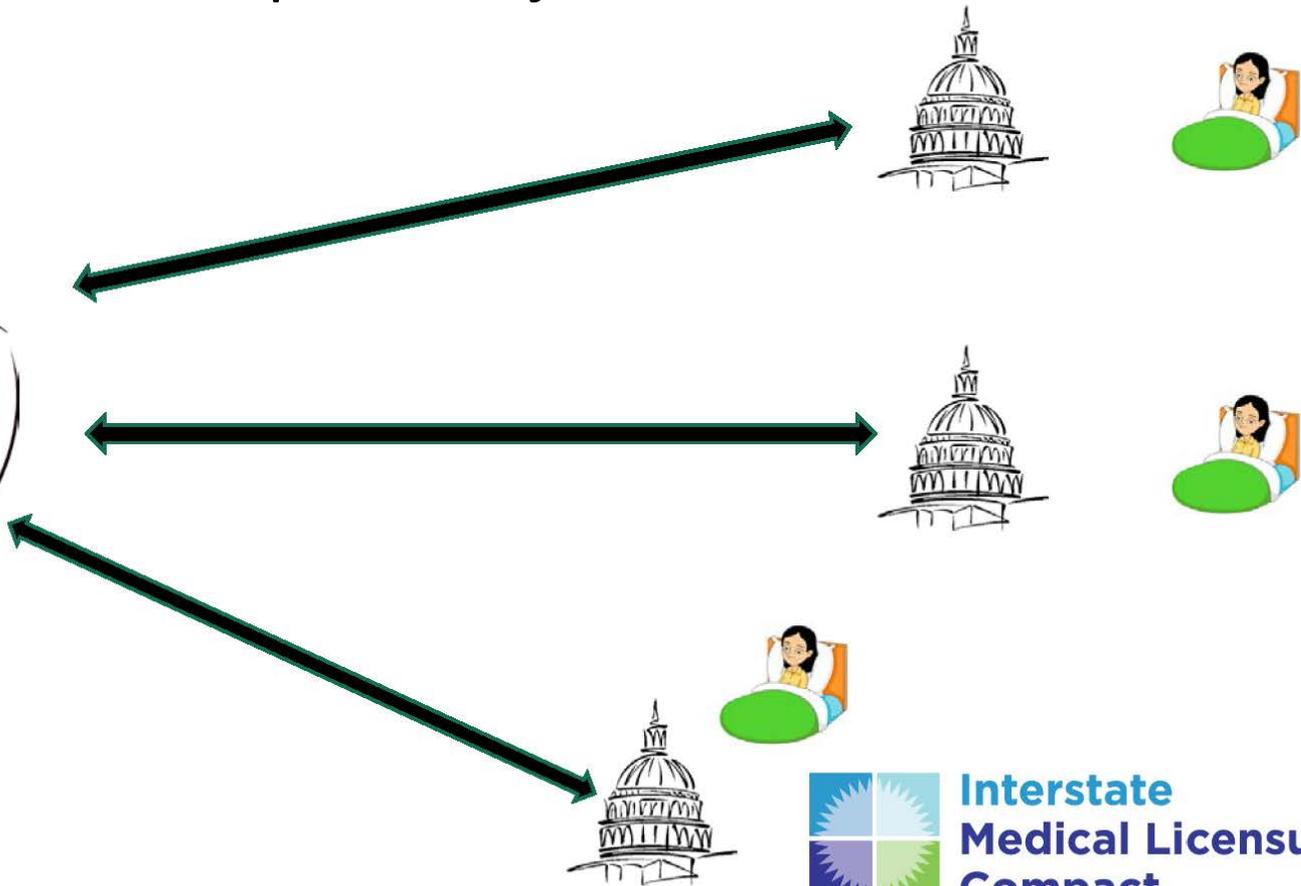
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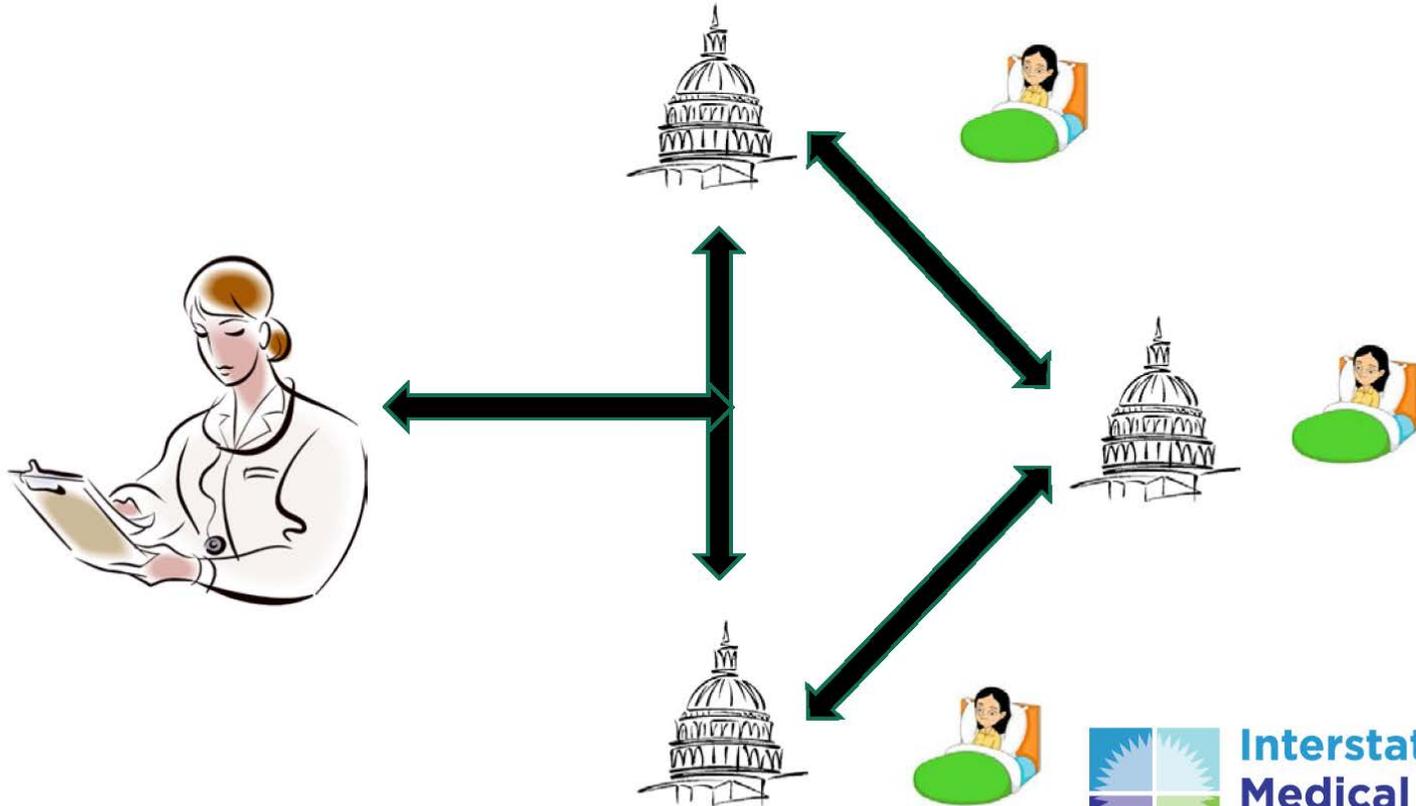
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# Challenges

- FBI challenged the statutory authority of states to perform criminal background checks for expedited process.
- MN, NV, AZ and MT received letters explaining that the language within their state laws wasn't broad enough.

# FBI Concerns

- Objects to dissemination of CHRI from the states to the IMLCC
- Objects to building of a database that contains CHRI
- Refers to the IMLCC as a private non-profit
- Objects to the sharing of disciplinary and investigatory information
- Technical concerns regarding how the CBC enabling statute requests fingerprints

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