

# Licensing Task Force

## EXECUTIVE ORDER INITIATIVE MATRIX

At each of the subcommittee organizational meetings, the committees reviewed the specific initiatives in the Executive Order and identified the specific initiatives the committee will focus on when developing recommendations. The following matrix shows the Executive Order initiatives and lists which committees are focusing on which initiative.

Call of the Executive Order	Subcommittee
Whether the unregulated practice of an occupation or profession creates a direct, immediate, or foreseeable hazard to the public health, safety, or welfare	Barriers, Construction, Sunset
If there is a public benefit provided by licensure	Barriers, Construction, Sunset
If licensure significantly increases the cost of service to the public	Barriers, Construction, Healthcare, Sunset
If the scope of practice for a profession is readily identifiable and distinguishable from the scope of practice of other professions and occupations	Healthcare, Sunset
If an occupation or profession requires a specialized skill or training for which nationally recognized standards of education and training exist	Healthcare
If qualifications for licensure are justified	Barriers, Construction, Healthcare, Sunset
If unnecessary barriers to entry exist for applicants	Barriers, Healthcare
Whether existing licensing requirements contribute to workforce shortages or access constraints in rural frontier communities	Barriers, Construction, Healthcare
Whether licensure portability, reciprocity, or endorsement pathways could expand access to qualified professionals, particularly in rural and underserved areas	Barriers, Construction, Healthcare
Whether licensing structures are aligned with state and federal rural health transformation initiatives, including Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' Rural Health Transformation Program	Healthcare
If public support exists for continued licensure for each profession	Barriers, Construction, Sunset
If the state should implement a sunset review of licensing boards	Sunset