

# Micah T. Matthews, MPA, CPM

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*Deputy Executive and Legislative Director  
Washington Medical Commission*

Micah started with the state nursing board as an intern in 2009 and has held the position of Deputy Executive and Legislative Director since 2014. He has been deeply involved in development of Washington policies on telemedicine and continuity of care, Artificial Intelligence, practitioner health, and implementation of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact.

He holds a Master of Public Administration with an emphasis in health policy and successfully completed the Certified Public Manager program through University of Washington in 2014. He spends his free time with family that live locally, playing guitar with various groups, camping, hiking, and trying to keep current on events related to technology, music, health care, and politics.



Micah participates in multiple industry groups including the Council of Licensure, Enforcement, and Regulation (CLEAR), on which he served as Chair administrative and legislative committees. He is currently serving his third and final term on the CLEAR Board of Directors for the 2023-2025 term. He was the Program Committee Chair for the September 2018 international educational conference in Philadelphia, PA and the Program Committee Chair for the 2020 CLEAR conference in Seattle, WA, which was adapted to the first ever virtual conference offering by CLEAR. Micah served as a member of the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) workgroup on Marijuana and Medical Regulation and practitioner use policies, both of which were adopted by the House of Delegates in 2016. He served on the FSMB audit committee for 2016-2018 and is a member of the Board Executive Advisory Committee for 2017-2021, which is tasked with revising the FSMB model medical practice act. He has been named to the Digital Credentialing and Innovation Committee with FSMB for 2022-2023.