## North Dakota Sonographer Licensure Bill 2236

North Dakota became the third state to pass a bill to require licensure of sonographers. On March 19, 2015, North Dakota Governor Jack Dalrymple signed a licensure bill (SB 2236) into law mandating that all technical providers of medical imaging, including ultrasound, x-ray (ionizing radiation) nuclear medicine and magnetic resonance imaging, to be licensed. The law also enables sonographers to take verbal orders from physicians and other healthcare practitioners and enter them into the patient's electronic health record.

For more information, contact the <u>North Dakota Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy</u> <u>Board of Examiners</u>.