

## **Notice Regarding 6-Month Reporting to the Board**

On April 18, 2017, Governor Larry Hogan signed Senate Bill 549 / House Bill 1265 - “State Board of Physicians and Allied Health Advisory Committees - Sunset Extension and Program Evaluation.” This legislation repeals the requirement for hospitals, related institutions, and alternative health systems to report to the Board **every 6 months** certain information about physicians and individuals in postgraduate training programs.

This emergency legislation became effective on April 18, 2017. Therefore, 6-month reports that were due to the Board by August 1, 2017 (for the January 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017 reporting period) **are not required**.

Please note that this legislation **does NOT change** requirements regarding reports due at other times to the Board. For example, reporting entities still must file 10-day reports containing certain information about physicians and allied health providers.