

IDFPR Mission

- To protect the residents of Illinois.
- To ensure the safety and soundness of financial institutions
- To ensure that competent professionals are licensed to provide services to the public.
- To enhance commerce in the state for the benefit of its residents.



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The IDFPR receives and investigates complaints of illegal veterinary practice by both legal and illegal veterinary practices, veterinarians, veterinary hospitals and certified veterinary technicians.

IDFPR's main offices are located in Springfield and Chicago.



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What are the differences between the ISVMA and the IDFPR?

Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association (ISVMA)

Established in 1883 by veterinarians for veterinarians, the Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association (ISVMA) is a professional membership organization representing more than 1,800 member veterinarians, Certified Veterinary Technicians (CVTs), and doctors of veterinary medicine and veterinary technician students from around the state to promote and protect veterinary practices.

The ISVMA's leaders and members study a multitude of innovative medical and business practices, as well as pertinent legislation to determine their impact on pets, animals and their human caretakers. The ISVMA diligently represents the profession at the State Capitol, combing through dozens of legislative bills introduced that directly impact veterinary practices, and actively participates in public proceedings, meetings with legislators and their staff, and communicates with lobbyists and stakeholder organizations.



ISVMA's Strategic Goals

- To Advocate: Serving as the pre-eminent voice of the veterinary profession
- To Engage: Facilitating opportunities for networking, involvement and services.
- To Advance Careers: Providing educational opportunities and resources to ensure career success.
- To Inform: Improving awareness and public image with an offensive approach to animal care, issues and the veterinary profession.
- To Lead: An infrastructure goal to support and advance the other four goals that deliver value to members.



The ISVMA is governed by a Board of Directors, 26 member veterinarians and CVTs, elected at large by other members, who reside in seven geographic regions in the state. The Board of Directors are supported by a team of four paid staff members from offices headquartered in Springfield.

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR)

The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) serves as the State of Illinois' lead regulatory agency. It is charged with issuing licenses to veterinarians and Certified Veterinary Technicians, as well as ensuring licensees from many regulated professions meet the legislative and regulatory requirements enacted to protect Illinois' consumers.

The IDFPR serves, safeguards and promotes the health, safety and welfare of Illinoisans across the state by ensuring that licensure qualifications and standards for professional practice are properly evaluated, applied, and enforced.

The IDFPR also prioritizes educating the public and promoting confidence in the financial services industries through a balanced application of regulations in an efficient, professional, equitable, responsive and innovative manner.

