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1. **History and function.** The 1985 legislative assembly passed legislation to license respiratory care practitioners, codified as North Dakota Century Code chapter 43-42. The 2005 legislative assembly passed legislation to license registered polysomnographic technologists. The governor appoints a state board of respiratory care. It is the responsibility of that board to license respiratory care practitioners and registered polysomnographic technologists within the state of North Dakota.
2. **Board membership.** The board consists of seven members appointed by the governor. Four members are respiratory therapists, one member is a physician, one member is a registered polysomnographic technologist, and one member is a representative of the general public. Each board member serves a term of three years. No member may serve more than two successive terms on the board.
3. **Officers.** The board elects a chairperson and officers annually.
4. **Inquiries.** Inquiries regarding board activities may be addressed to:

North Dakota State Board of Respiratory Care
P.O. Box 2223
Bismarck, North Dakota 58502-2223
701-222-1564

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