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Present law provides a definition of practice of chiropractic as diagnosing conditions of the spine. Proposed law changes the definition to include examining, evaluating, and diagnosing patients for the purpose of determining neuromusculoskeletal conditions associated with the functional integrity of the spine or its extremities or both.

Present law provides that the practice of chiropractic is to correct interference with normal nerve transmission and expression. Proposed law adds to restore normal function on the neuromuscular and skeletal system, to relieve pain, or to prevent disability.

Present law provides that a chiropractor can make recommendations on personal hygiene. Proposed law provides for recommendations on health and wellness.

Effective upon signature of the governor or upon lapse of gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 37:2801(3)(a))