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1 be kept confidential and in a sealed file except as provided in s. 46.03 (7) (b).
2 However, the physician's failure to file the consent form does not affect the legal
3 status of father and child. All papers and records pertaining to the insemination,
4 whether part of the permanent record of a court or of a file held by the supervising
5 physician or elsewhere, may be inspected only upon an order of the court for good
6 cause shown.

7 **SECTION 148.** 891.40 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 891.40 (2) The donor of semen provided to a licensed physician, as defined in
9 s. 448.01 (5), for use in artificial insemination of a woman other than the donor's wife
10 is not the natural father of a child conceived, bears no liability for the support of the
11 child and has no parental rights with regard to the child.

12 **SECTION 149.** 895.48 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 895.48 (1) Any person who renders emergency care at the scene of any
14 emergency or accident in good faith shall be immune from civil liability for his or her
15 acts or omissions in rendering such emergency care. This immunity does not extend
16 when employees trained in health care or health care professionals render
17 emergency care for compensation and within the scope of their usual and customary
18 employment or practice at a hospital or other institution equipped with hospital
19 facilities, at the scene of any emergency or accident, enroute to a hospital or other
20 institution equipped with hospital facilities or at a physician's or chiropractor's
21 office.

22 **SECTION 150.** 895.48 (4) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

23 895.48 (4) (b) 2. A health care professional who renders emergency care for
24 compensation and within the scope of his or her usual and customary employment
25 or practice at a hospital or other institution equipped with hospital facilities, at the

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1 scene of an emergency or accident, enroute to a hospital or other institution equipped
2 with hospital facilities or at a physician's or chiropractor's office.

3 **SECTION 151.** 938.02 (14g) of the statutes is created to read:

4 938.02 (14g) "Physician" has the meaning given in s. 448.01 (5).

5 **SECTION 152.** 938.48 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 938.48 (6) Consent to emergency surgery under the direction of a licensed
7 physician ~~or surgeon~~ for any juvenile under its supervision under s. 938.183, 938.34
8 (4h), (4m) or (4n) or 938.357 (4) upon notification by a licensed physician ~~or surgeon~~
9 of the need for such surgery and if reasonable effort, compatible with the nature and
10 time limitation of the emergency, has been made to secure the consent of the
11 juvenile's parent or guardian.

12 **SECTION 153.** 939.615 (6) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 939.615 (6) (e) A person filing a petition requesting termination of lifetime
14 supervision who is entitled to a hearing under par. (d) 2. shall be examined by a
15 person who is either a physician, as defined in s. 448.01 (5), or a psychologist licensed
16 under ch. 455 and who is approved by the court. The physician or psychologist who
17 conducts an examination under this paragraph shall prepare a report of his or her
18 examination that includes his or her opinion of whether the person petitioning for
19 termination of lifetime supervision is a danger to public. The physician or
20 psychologist shall file the report of his or her examination with the court within 60
21 days after completing the examination, and the court shall provide copies of the
22 report to the person filing the petition and the district attorney who received a copy
23 of the person's petition under par. (c). The contents of the report shall be confidential
24 until the physician or psychologist testifies at a hearing under par. (f). The person

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1 petitioning for termination of lifetime supervision shall pay the cost of an
2 examination required under this paragraph.

3 **SECTION 154.** 940.001 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **940.001 Definition.** In this subchapter, “physician” has the meaning given
5 in s. 448.01 (5).

6 **SECTION 155.** 941.315 (1) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

7 941.315 (1) (c) “Physician” has the meaning given in s. 448.01 (5).

8 **SECTION 156.** 948.01 (3o) of the statutes is created to read:

9 948.01 (3o) “Physician” has the meaning given in s. 448.01 (5).

10 **SECTION 157.** 948.70 (1) (intro.) and (b) of the statutes are consolidated,
11 renumbered 948.70 (1) and amended to read:

12 948.70 (1) In this section: (b) ~~“Tattoo”~~, “tattoo” means to insert pigment under
13 the surface of the skin of a person, by pricking with a needle or otherwise, so as to
14 produce an indelible mark or figure through the skin.

15 **SECTION 158.** 948.70 (1) (a) of the statutes is repealed.

16 **SECTION 159.** 961.01 (17m) of the statutes is created to read:

17 961.01 (17m) “Physician” has the meaning given in s. 448.01 (5).

18 **SECTION 160.** 967.02 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

19 967.02 (2) “Department” means the department of corrections, except as
20 provided in s. 975.001 (1).

21 **SECTION 161.** 968.255 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 968.255 (3) No person other than a physician, as defined in s. 448.01 (5),
23 physician assistant or registered nurse licensed to practice in this state may conduct
24 a body cavity search.

25 **SECTION 162.** 971.14 (2) (g) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 971.14 (2) (g) The defendant may be examined for competency purposes at any
2 stage of the competency proceedings by physicians, as defined in s. 448.01 (5), or
3 other experts chosen by the defendant or by the district attorney, who shall be
4 permitted reasonable access to the defendant for purposes of the examination.

5 **SECTION 163.** 971.14 (5) (am) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 971.14 (5) (am) If the defendant is not subject to a court order determining the
7 defendant to be not competent to refuse medication or treatment for the defendant's
8 mental condition and if the treatment facility determines that the defendant should
9 be subject to such a court order, the treatment facility may file with the court with
10 notice to the counsel for the defendant, the defendant and the district attorney, a
11 motion for a hearing, under the standard specified in sub. (3) (dm), on whether the
12 defendant is not competent to refuse medication or treatment. A report on which the
13 motion is based shall accompany the motion and notice of motion and shall include
14 a statement signed by a licensed physician, as defined in s. 448.01 (5), that asserts
15 that the defendant needs medication or treatment and that the defendant is not
16 competent to refuse medication or treatment, based on an examination of the
17 defendant by such a licensed physician. Within 10 days after a motion is filed under
18 this paragraph, the court shall, under the procedures and standards specified in sub.
19 (4) (b), determine the defendant's competency to refuse medication or treatment for
20 the defendant's mental condition. At the request of the defendant, the defendant's
21 counsel or the district attorney, the hearing may be postponed, but in no case may
22 the postponed hearing be held more than 20 days after a motion is filed under this
23 paragraph.

24 **SECTION 164.** 971.17 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 971.17 (3) (c) If the court order specifies institutional care, the department of
2 health and family services shall place the person in an institution under s. 51.37 (3)
3 that the department considers appropriate in light of the rehabilitative services
4 required by the person and the protection of public safety. If the person is not subject
5 to a court order determining the person to be not competent to refuse medication or
6 treatment for the person's mental condition and if the institution in which the person
7 is placed determines that the person should be subject to such a court order, the
8 institution may file with the court, with notice to the person and his or her counsel
9 and the district attorney, a motion for a hearing, under the standard specified in s.
10 971.16 (3), on whether the person is not competent to refuse medication or treatment.
11 A report on which the motion is based shall accompany the motion and notice of
12 motion and shall include a statement signed by a licensed physician, as defined in
13 s. 448.01 (5), that asserts that the person needs medication or treatment and that the
14 person is not competent to refuse medication or treatment, based on an examination
15 of the person by a licensed physician, as defined in s. 448.01 (5). Within 10 days after
16 a motion is filed under this paragraph, the court shall determine the person's
17 competency to refuse medication or treatment for the person's mental condition. At
18 the request of the person, his or her counsel or the district attorney, the hearing may
19 be postponed, but in no case may the postponed hearing be held more than 20 days
20 after a motion is filed under this paragraph. If the district attorney, the person and
21 his or her counsel waive their respective opportunities to present other evidence on
22 the issue, the court shall determine the person's competency to refuse medication or
23 treatment on the basis of the report accompanying the motion. In the absence of
24 these waivers, the court shall hold an evidentiary hearing on the issue. If the state
25 proves by evidence that is clear and convincing that the person is not competent to

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1 refuse medication or treatment, under the standard specified in s. 971.16 (3), the
2 court shall order that the person is not competent to refuse medication or treatment
3 for the person's mental condition and that whoever administers the medication or
4 treatment to the person shall observe appropriate medical standards.

5 SECTION 165. 975.001 of the statutes is renumbered 975.001 (intro.) and
6 amended to read:

7 **975.001 Definition Definitions.** (intro.) In this chapter, ~~“department”~~:

8 (1) “Department” means the department of health and family services.

9 SECTION 166. 975.001 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

10 975.001 (2) “Physician” has the meaning given in s. 448.01 (5).

11 SECTION 167. 979.001 of the statutes is created to read:

12 **979.001 Definition.** In this chapter “physician” has the meaning given in s.
13 448.01 (5).

14 SECTION 168. 990.01 (25v) of the statutes is created to read:

15 990.01 (25v) OSTEOPATH. “Osteopath” means a person holding a license or
16 certificate of registration from the medical examining board.

17 SECTION 169. 990.01 (28) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 990.01 (28) ~~PHYSICIAN, SURGEON OR OSTEOPATH.~~ “Physician,” ~~“surgeon”~~ or
19 ~~“osteopath”~~ or “licensed physician” means a person holding a license or certificate of
20 registration from the medical examining board or chiropractic examining board.

21 SECTION 170. 990.01 (40m) of the statutes is created to read:

22 990.01 (40m) SURGEON. “Surgeon” means a person holding a license or
23 certificate of registration from the medical examining board.

24 SECTION 171. Initial applicability.

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446.07 (2) ✓

1 (1) CONTINUING EDUCATION. If the effective date of this subsection is before
2 January 1, 2004, the treatment of sections 446.02 (1) (b) ✓ and (4) ✓ and 446.025 ✓ of the
3 statutes first applies to chiropractors whose licenses expire on January 1, 2005. If
4 the effective date of this subsection is on or after January 1, 2004, the treatment of
5 sections 446.02 (1) (b) and (4) and 446.025 of the statutes first applies to
6 chiropractors whose licenses expire on January 1, 2007.

446.03 (intro.) and ✓

7 (2) VIOLATIONS AND OFFENSES. The treatment of section 446.05 (1) of the statutes
8 and the creation of sections 446.03 ~~(intro.)~~ and (8) and 446.04 (6), (7), (8), (9), (10),
9 ~~and~~ (11) of the statutes first apply to violations that occur, and offenses that are
10 committed, on the effective date of this subsection.

11 (3) LICENSE SUSPENSION. The treatment of section 446.05 (2) of the statutes and ✓
12 the creation of section 446.05 (3) of the statutes first apply to 3rd violations that occur
13 on the effective date of this subsection ~~paragraph~~

14 SECTION 172. Effective dates. This act takes effect on the first day of the 2nd
15 month beginning after publication, except as follows:

16 (1) The treatment of section 446.02 (6m) of the statutes takes effect on the first
17 day of the 7th month beginning after publication.

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For a fourth misconduct violation, the bill requires license suspension for no less than ^{two} years. The bill also provides grounds for disciplining a chiropractor who is found to provide chiropractic care that is ~~not necessary~~ ^{unnecessary} for treating a patient. The bill requires the Chiropractic Examining Board to assess a forfeiture against a chiropractor who provides unnecessary care in an amount equal to three times the amount billed for the unnecessary care or \$5,000, whichever is less.

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an on-site representative to whom the organization provides written guidelines

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The examining board shall consider any nominee who is recommended by the Wisconsin Chiropractic Association or any other organization if the nominee satisfies the requirements specified in par. (c).

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or that are provided through a single unified program at a college or university of chiropractic accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor

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INSERT 42-15:

1 (5) SUNSET. This section does not apply after the first day of the 30th month
2 beginning after the effective date of this subsection [revisor inserts date].

3 **INSERT 42-17:**

4 (6) 446.04 (6) Providing chiropractic services that are not necessary for the
5 treatment of a patient.

6 **INSERT 43-8:**

7 if the chiropractor has made reasonable efforts to collect the deductible or
8 co-payment or

9 **INSERT 43-16:**

10 or within 6 months after the patient has been discharged from care or treatment

11 **INSERT 44-25:**

12 **SECTION 4.** 446.05 (4) of the statutes is created to read:

13 446.05 (4) The examining board shall suspend the license of a chiropractor who
14 commits a fourth violation of s. 446.04 (1) to (11) for not less than 2 years.

15 **SECTION 2.** 446.07 (title) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

16 **446.07(title) Penalties.**

17 **SECTION 3.** 446.07 of the statutes is renumbered 446.07 (1).

18 **SECTION 4.** 446.07 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

19 446.07 (2) If the examining board finds that a chiropractor has violated s.
20 446.04 (6) with respect to a patient, the examining board shall assess against the
21 chiropractor a forfeiture of ³ ~~three~~ times the amount that the chiropractor billed the
22 patient for the unnecessary chiropractic services or \$5,000, whichever is less.

23 **INSERT 57-13:**

1 (b) The treatment of section 446.05 (1) of the statutes and the creation of section
2 446.05 (4) of the statutes first apply to 4th violations that occur on the effective date
3 of this paragraph.

**DRAFTER'S NOTE
FROM THE
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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Senator Schultz:

Please review this bill to make sure that it achieves your intent. In particular, please note the following:

1. The peer review provisions are delayed until ⁶ ~~30~~ months after the effective date of the bill and sunset 30 months thereafter. The bill on which this bill is based (i.e., LRB-2381/5) does not include such a delay.
2. Because you want to require forfeitures based on the amount charged for unnecessary chiropractic services, I think it's necessary to specify that unprofessional conduct includes providing services that aren't necessary. Is that okay?

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July 30, 2003

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1. The peer review provisions are delayed until six months after the effective date of the bill and sunset 30 months thereafter. The bill on which this bill is based (i.e., LRB-2381/5) does not include such a delay.
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Sent: Wednesday, July 30, 2003 3:04 PM

To: Mark.Kunkel@legis.state.wi.us

Subject: Re: Sen. Schultz's request

Please see attached.

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07/30/2003

Mark,

I have reviewed the draft and it looks like there are only a few minor changes that need to be made.

1. Page 11, Line 9

b) The examining board may solicit nominations for the peer review panel pursuant to a process developed by the department. The examining board shall consider ~~any nominee who is recommended by the recommendations of~~ the Wisconsin Chiropractic Association or any other organization if the nominee satisfies the requirements specified in par. (c).

This change would require the examining board to consider both positive and negative recommendations of the WCA.

2. Page 13, Line 6

It looks like the numbering is off and this should be "(d)" with subsequent paragraphs also re-numbered.

3. Page 15, Line 8

~~446.04 (6) Providing chiropractic services that are not necessary for the treatment of a patient.~~

It appears that this is not necessary because "unnecessary care" is covered under 446.04 (7).

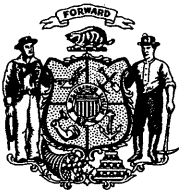
(7) A determination under s. 446.035 that 50% or more of the chiropractic services identified in a request for peer review were inappropriate, unnecessary, or of substandard quality.

Page 18, Line 7

446.07 (2) If the examining board finds that a chiropractor has violated s. 446.04 (6) with respect to a patient, the examining board shall assess against the chiropractor a forfeiture of 3 times the amount that the chiropractor billed the patient for the unnecessary chiropractic services or \$5,000, whichever is less.

The way this reads it appears that this penalty is applied to all violations of 446.04 (6). Our intent was to apply it only to the second violation of 446.04(6).

Other than these few items the draft looks great. Thanks again, Mark, for great work.



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1 AN ACT to renumber 446.07; to amend 446.01 (2) (b), 446.02 (1) (b), 446.02 (2)
 2 (b), 446.02 (4), 446.02 (9) (a), 446.03 (intro.), 446.05 (1) and 446.05 (2); to repeal
 3 and recreate 446.07 (title); and to create 446.01 (1d), 446.01 (1k), 446.01 (1L),
 4 446.01 (1m), 446.01 (3), 446.02 (6m), 446.02 (7s), 446.025, 446.03 (8), 446.035,
 5 446.04 (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11) and (12), 446.05 (3), 446.05 (4) and 446.07 (2)
 6 of the statutes; relating to: the definition of the practice of chiropractic;
 7 chiropractic evaluations, treatments, and referrals to physicians;
 8 unprofessional conduct by chiropractors; delegations by chiropractors;
 9 continuing education for chiropractors; nutritional guidance provided by
 10 chiropractors to patients; and granting rule-making authority and providing penalties

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill makes changes to the regulation of chiropractors regarding all of the following: 1) the definition of the "practice of chiropractic"; 2) patient evaluations, treatments, and referrals; 3) unprofessional conduct by chiropractors; 4) delegations by chiropractors; 5) continuing education requirements; and 6) nutritional guidance provided by chiropractors. These changes are described below.

BILL***Definition of the “practice of chiropractic”***

Under current law, the “practice of chiropractic” is defined, in part, as the employment or application of chiropractic adjustments and the principles or techniques of chiropractic science in the diagnosis, treatment, or prevention of conditions of human health or disease.

Under this bill, the “practice of chiropractic” has the same definition, except that the chiropractic adjustments and principles or techniques of chiropractic science must be those that are taught at a college or university approved by the Council on Chiropractic Education or any successor organization.

Patient evaluations, treatments, and referrals

This bill requires a chiropractor to evaluate a patient to determine whether the patient has a condition that is treatable by chiropractic means. The evaluation must be based on an examination that is appropriate to the patient. Also, a chiropractor must utilize chiropractic science, as defined by rule by the Chiropractic Examining Board, and the principles of education and training of the chiropractic profession.

Under the bill, a chiropractor must discontinue treatment if, at any time, the chiropractor determines, or reasonably should have determined, that the patient’s condition will not respond to further chiropractic treatment. Also, if a chiropractor makes such a determination, the chiropractor must inform the patient and refer the patient to a physician. If the referral is in writing, the chiropractor must provide a copy to the patient and maintain a copy with the patient’s records. If the referral is made orally, the chiropractor must notify the patient about the referral and make a written record of the referral, which must be maintained with the patient’s records.

Finally, the bill creates one exception to the requirement to discontinue treatment under the circumstances described above. The exception is that the bill allows a chiropractor to provide supportive care to a patient being treated by another health care professional.

Unprofessional conduct

Under current law, the Chiropractic Examining Board may investigate allegations of misconduct against a chiropractor and, following a hearing, may revoke, limit, or suspend the chiropractor’s license.

Under this bill, the Chiropractic Examining Board must establish a Peer Review Panel of qualified chiropractors to evaluate a claim that a chiropractor provided inappropriate care to a patient. Under the bill, a finding by the Peer Review Panel that the chiropractor has provided a certain number of inappropriate services to a patient constitutes misconduct for which his or her license may be suspended or revoked. The provisions regarding the Peer Review Panel do not apply 30 months after the bill’s effective date.

The bill also creates several new categories of misconduct for which a chiropractor may have his or her license suspended, including improper billing and falsifying an insurance claim. In addition, under the bill, the Chiropractic Examining Board must suspend the license of a chiropractor who commits a third misconduct violation, for no less than six months. For a fourth misconduct violation, the bill requires license suspension for no less than two years. The bill also provides grounds for disciplining a chiropractor who is found to provide chiropractic care that

BILL In addition if the Peer Review Panel makes certain findings

inappropriate;

is not necessary for treating a patient. The bill requires the Chiropractic Examining Board to assess a forfeiture against a chiropractor who provides unnecessary care in an amount equal to three times the amount billed for the unnecessary care or \$5,000, whichever is less.

Finally, the bill prohibits sexual misconduct by chiropractors. Sexual misconduct is sexual contact, exposure, or gratification, sexually offensive communication, dating a patient while the patient is under the chiropractor's professional care or treatment or within six months after discharge from care or treatment, or other sexual behavior with or in the presence of a patient under the chiropractor's professional care or treatment. Consent is not relevant. A chiropractor who commits sexual misconduct that does not involve physical contact with a patient shall have his or her license suspended for not less than 90 days. A chiropractor who commits a second act of sexual misconduct that does not involve physical contact or a first act of sexual misconduct that does involve physical contact shall have his or her license suspended for one year, and a chiropractor who commits a third act of sexual misconduct that does not involve physical contact or a second act of sexual misconduct that does involve physical contact shall have his or her license revoked.

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Delegations by chiropractors

Under current law, a chiropractor licensed by the Chiropractic Examining Board is allowed to delegate services that are adjunctive to the practice of chiropractic to individuals who are not licensed by the Chiropractic Examining Board, but only if the services are performed under the direct, on-premises supervision of the chiropractor.

The bill requires a chiropractor who applies to renew his or her license to identify each employee to whom clinical work is delegated, except that the following do not have to be identified: nurses, physical therapists, and athletic trainers. In addition, if the Chiropractic Examining Board has promulgated rules that require an employee who is required to be identified to complete a training program or course of instruction to perform the delegated work, the chiropractor must also provide in his or her application for renewal the name, date, and sponsoring organization for the training program or course of instruction that the employee completed.

Finally, the bill changes the definitions of "practical nursing" and "professional nursing" to include actions taken under the supervision or direction of a chiropractor, in addition to actions taken under the supervision or direction of other health care professionals that are specified under current law.

Continuing education

Under current law, a chiropractor licensed by the Chiropractic Examining Board must complete any continuing education that the board requires in order to renew his or her license, which must be renewed every two years. This bill creates additional requirements regarding continuing education.

Under the bill, the Chiropractic Examining Board must establish the minimum number of hours of continuing education courses that must be completed during the two-year licensure period. As under current law, a chiropractor does not have to begin complying with continuing education requirements under the bill until the

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first two-year licensure period beginning after he or she initially receives his or her license.

Also under the bill, only courses that are approved by the Chiropractic Examining Board may be used to satisfy the minimum hours required. The Chiropractic Examining Board may only approve a course if the organization that sponsors the course (sponsoring organization) satisfies certain requirements. The sponsoring organization must be the Wisconsin, American, or International Chiropractic Association, or an accredited chiropractic, medical, or osteopathic college or university. Also, the sponsoring organization must carry out specified duties, including selecting the course instructor, preparing course materials, evaluating the course, maintaining transcripts, performing financial administration, proctoring attendance, providing attendance vouchers, and supplying a list of attendees to the Chiropractic Examining Board. The sponsoring organization is also allowed to delegate these duties to another organization. The Chiropractic Examining Board must withdraw or withhold approval from a sponsoring organization for a 90-day period if the sponsoring organization fails to carry out any of the duties, or if an organization to which a duty is delegated fails to carry out any of the duties.

The bill requires the Chiropractic Examining Board periodically to publish an updated list of approved courses. A chiropractor who applies to renew his or her license must identify the courses used to satisfy the minimum hour requirement on a form provided by the Department of Regulation and Licensing. The bill requires the Department of Regulation and Licensing to audit a percentage, as determined by the department, of the renewal applications received during each 90-day licensure period to determine whether an applicant has attended the courses that he or she identifies on the form.

Finally, the bill allows the Chiropractic Examining Board to take disciplinary action against a licensed chiropractor who violates any state law or rule regulating chiropractors, including the continuing education requirements.

Nutritional guidance

This bill requires certain chiropractors licensed by the Chiropractic Examining Board to complete a postgraduate course of study in nutrition before they may provide counsel, guidance, direction, advice, or recommendations to patients regarding the health benefits of vitamins, herbs, or nutritional supplements. However, the requirement applies only to chiropractors who were granted licenses on or before January 1, 2003. In addition, the requirement does not apply to chiropractors who are also certified as dietitians by the Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board. The required course of study must consist of 48 hours and must be approved by the Chiropractic Examining Board.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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1 **SECTION 1.** 446.01 (1d) of the statutes is created to read:

2 446.01 (1d) “Generally accepted standards” means a level of diagnosis, care,
3 skill, and treatment that is recognized by a reasonably prudent chiropractor as being
4 appropriate under similar conditions and circumstances.

5 **SECTION 2.** 446.01 (1k) of the statutes is created to read:

6 446.01 (1k) “Patient” means an individual who receives treatment or services
7 from a chiropractor or who has received treatment or services under the supervision,
8 direction, or delegation of a chiropractor.

9 **SECTION 3.** 446.01 (1L) of the statutes is created to read:

10 446.01 (1L) “Pattern of conduct” means more than one occurrence.

11 **SECTION 4.** 446.01 (1m) of the statutes is created to read:

12 446.01 (1m) “Peer review” means an evaluation based on generally accepted
13 standards, by a peer review panel appointed under s. 446.035 (1), of the
14 appropriateness, quality, and utilization of chiropractic health care provided to a
15 patient or the conduct of a chiropractor alleged to have violated s. 446.04 (1~~2~~). ”

16 **SECTION 5.** 446.01 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 446.01 (2) (b) To employ or apply chiropractic adjustments, and the principles
18 or techniques of chiropractic science, that are taught at a chiropractic college or
19 university approved by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor, in the
20 diagnosis, treatment or prevention of any of the conditions described in s. 448.01 (10).

21 **SECTION 6.** 446.01 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

22 446.01 (3) “Utilization” means the treatment or services provided to a patient,
23 including the frequency and duration of the treatment or services.

24 **SECTION 7.** 446.02 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 446.02 (1) (b) Meets the requirements of continuing education for license
2 renewal ~~as the examining board may require under s. 446.025.~~ During the time
3 between initial licensure and commencement of a full 2-year licensure period new
4 licensees shall not be required to meet continuing education requirements. Any
5 person who has not engaged in the practice of chiropractic for 2 years or more, while
6 holding a valid license under this chapter, and desiring to engage in such practice,
7 shall be required by the examining board to complete a continuing education course
8 at a school of chiropractic approved by the examining board or pass a practical
9 examination administered by the examining board or both.

10 **SECTION 8.** 446.02 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 446.02 (2) (b) The examining board shall promulgate rules establishing
12 educational requirements for obtaining a license under par. (a). The rules shall
13 require that an application for the license that is received by the department after
14 June 30, 1998, be accompanied by satisfactory evidence that the applicant has a
15 bachelor's degree from a college or university accredited by an accrediting body listed
16 as nationally recognized by the secretary of the federal department of education, and
17 has graduated from a college or university of chiropractic approved by the examining
18 board accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor.

19 **SECTION 9.** 446.02 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 446.02 (4) The renewal date and renewal fee for all licenses granted by the
21 examining board are specified under s. 440.08 (2) (a). In an application for renewal,
22 the applicant shall identify each employee, other than a nurse licensed under ch. 441,
23 physical therapist licensed under subch. III of ch. 448, or athletic trainer licensed
24 under subch. VI of ch. 448, to whom clinical work is delegated. If the examining board
25 has promulgated rules requiring such an employee to complete a training program

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1 or course of instruction to perform the delegated work, the applicant shall also
2 provide the name, date, and sponsoring organization for the training program or
3 course of instruction that the employee completed. Except as provided in sub. (1) (b),
4 the examining board may not renew a license unless the applicant for renewal
5 identifies on a form provided by the department the continuing education courses
6 approved under s. 446.025 (2) that the applicant has completed to satisfy the
7 minimum number of hours required under s. 446.025 (1).

8 **SECTION 10.** 446.02 (6m) of the statutes is created to read:

9 446.02 (6m) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), a chiropractor who is granted
10 a license under this chapter on or before January 1, 2003, may provide counsel,
11 guidance, direction, advice, or recommendations to a patient regarding the health
12 benefits of vitamins, herbs, or nutritional supplements only if the chiropractor has
13 completed 48 hours in a postgraduate course of study in nutrition that is approved
14 by the examining board.

15 (b) Paragraph (a) does not apply to a chiropractor licensed under this chapter
16 who is certified as a dietitian under subch. V of ch. 448.

17 **SECTION 11.** 446.02 (7s) of the statutes is created to read:

18 446.02 (7s) (a) A chiropractor shall evaluate each patient to determine whether
19 the patient has a condition that is treatable by chiropractic means. An evaluation
20 shall be based on an examination that is appropriate to the patient. In conducting
21 an evaluation, a chiropractor shall utilize chiropractic science, as defined by rule by
22 the examining board, and the principles of education and training of the chiropractic
23 profession. A chiropractor shall discontinue treatment by chiropractic means if, at
24 any time, the chiropractor determines, or reasonably should have determined, that
25 the patient's condition will not respond to further treatment by chiropractic means,

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1 except that a chiropractor may provide supportive care to a patient being treated by
2 another health care professional.

3 (b) If a chiropractor determines, or reasonably should have determined, at any
4 time, that a patient has a condition that is not treatable by chiropractic means, or
5 will not respond to further treatment by chiropractic means, the chiropractor shall
6 inform the patient and refer the patient to a physician licensed under subch. II of ch.
7 448. In making a referral under this paragraph, a chiropractor shall do one of the
8 following:

9 1. Make a written referral to the physician that describes the chiropractor's
10 findings, provide a copy of the written referral to the patient, and maintain a copy
11 of the written referral in the patient record under sub. (7m) (a).

12 2. Make an oral referral to the physician or the physician's staff that describes
13 the chiropractor's findings, notify the patient about the referral, make a written
14 record of the referral, including the name of the physician or staff member and date
15 of the referral, and maintain the written record in the patient record under sub. (7m)
16 (a).

17 **SECTION 12.** 446.02 (9) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 446.02 (9) (a) A student or graduate of a college or university of chiropractic
19 that is accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor who
20 practices chiropractic, in a program for the clinical training of students and
21 graduates that is reviewed and approved by the examining board, under the
22 supervision of a chiropractor who is approved by the examining board to supervise
23 the clinical training of the student or graduate and who is licensed under this chapter
24 and is responsible for the student's or graduate's practice in an infirmary, clinic,
25 hospital or private chiropractic office that is connected or associated for training

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1 purposes with a college or university of chiropractic ~~approved by the examining~~
2 ~~board that is accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor.~~

3 **SECTION 13.** 446.025 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **446.025 Continuing education.** (1) The examining board shall specify the
5 minimum number of hours of continuing education courses that, except as provided
6 in s. 446.02 (1) (b), an applicant for renewal of a license under this chapter is required
7 to complete during a 2-year licensure period. Only courses approved by the
8 examining board under sub. (2) may be used to satisfy the hours required. The
9 examining board shall periodically publish updated lists of the courses that are
10 approved under sub. (2).

11 (2) (a) The examining board may not approve a continuing education course
12 unless the organization that sponsors the course satisfies all of the following:

13 1. The organization is the Wisconsin, American, or International Chiropractic
14 Association or its successor, a college or university of chiropractic accredited by the
15 Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor, or a college or university of
16 medicine or osteopathy accredited by an accrediting body listed as nationally
17 recognized by the secretary of the federal department of education.

18 2. The organization selects the instructor for the course.

19 3. The organization establishes the objectives of the course, prepares course
20 materials, evaluates the subject matter prepared by the instructor, conducts a
21 post-course evaluation, maintains course transcripts, and performs financial
22 administration necessary for the course.

23 4. The organization proctors course attendance through an on-site
24 representative to whom the organization provides written guidelines.

25 5. The organization provides attendance vouchers to course attendees.

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1 6. The organization supplies a list of course attendees to the examining board
2 in a manner prescribed by the examining board.

3 (b) Notwithstanding par. (a), the examining board may approve a continuing
4 education course sponsored by an organization that does not satisfy a requirement
5 under par. (a) 2. to 5. if the organization delegates satisfaction of the requirement to
6 another organization and the other organization satisfies the requirement.

7 (3) If an organization that sponsors a course approved under sub. (2) fails to
8 satisfy any requirement under sub. (2) (a) 2. to 5., the examining board shall, for a
9 period of 90 days, withdraw or withhold approval of all continuing education courses
10 sponsored by the organization. If an organization to whom satisfaction of any
11 requirement under sub. (2) (a) 2. to 5. is delegated under sub. (2) (b) fails to satisfy
12 the requirement, the examining board shall, for a period of 90 days, withdraw or
13 withhold approval of all continuing education courses sponsored by the organization
14 that made the delegation.

15 (4) During each 2-year licensure period, the department shall audit a
16 percentage, as determined by the department, of the applications for renewal of a
17 license under this chapter to verify that an applicant has completed the continuing
18 education courses identified by the applicant under s. 446.02 (4).

19 **SECTION 14.** 446.03 (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 **446.03 Reprimand; license revocation, limitation or suspension.**

21 (intro.) The Subject to ss. 446.04 (12) (d) and 446.05 (3), the examining board, by
22 order, may reprimand a licensee or registrant and may deny, limit, suspend or revoke
23 any license or certificate of registration if the licensee or registrant:

24 **SECTION 15.** 446.03 (8) of the statutes is created to read:

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1 446.03 (8) Has violated this chapter or any rule promulgated under this
2 chapter.

3 **SECTION 16.** 446.035 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **446.035 Peer review. (1) APPOINTMENT OF PEER REVIEW PANEL.** (a) The
5 examining board shall appoint a peer review panel of no fewer than 6 nor more than
6 12 members, pursuant to par. (b). *the recommendations of*

7 (b) The examining board may solicit nominations for the peer review panel
8 pursuant to a process developed by the department. The examining board shall
9 consider ~~any nominee who is recommended by~~ the Wisconsin Chiropractic
10 Association ~~or any other organization if the nominee satisfies the requirements~~

11 ~~specified in par. (c)~~

regarding nominations

12 (c) A nominee under par. (b) shall:

- 13 1. Possess a valid license to practice chiropractic in this state.
- 14 2. Have no less than 10 years in practice for a minimum of 20 hours per week
15 within the preceding 2 years of his or her nomination for the peer review panel or,
16 if the nominee is not in active practice at the time of his or her nomination due to a
17 disability, have at least 5 years of practice for a minimum of 20 hours per week prior
18 to the onset of his or her disability.
- 19 3. Be diplomate eligible in a specialty that requires at least 300 hours of
20 postgraduate credit hours that are approved by the American Chiropractic
21 Association or the International Chiropractors Association or that are provided
22 through a single unified program at a college or university of chiropractic accredited
23 by the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor.
- 24 4. Not have been subject to disciplinary action under this chapter or by any
25 regulatory or government agency.

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1 5. Have completed an annual utilization review course approved by the
2 examining board.

3 (d) The examining board may summarily remove a chiropractor from the peer
4 review panel if the board finds that the reviewer is unqualified or if it finds that the
5 reviewer's methods or practices are unprofessional.

6 (2) PROCEDURE. (a) A patient, a chiropractor, an insurer, or the examining
7 board may request a peer review, if the cost of the care in dispute for a course of
8 treatment exceeds \$500, by submitting a written request to the department and any
9 fee required under par. (b). Within 5 business days of submitting the request, the
10 patient, chiropractor, insurer, or examining board shall submit the following
11 documents to the department:

12 1. A written statement of the matter he or she wishes to be reviewed.

13 2. Clinical documentation relating to the course of treatment or the conduct he
14 or she wishes to be reviewed.

15 3. Any other information the patient, chiropractor, insurer, or examining board
16 wishes to include to support his or her request for review.

17 (b) The department shall charge a patient, chiropractor, or insurer that
18 requests a peer review a fee of \$275. The department shall adjust the fee each year
19 to reflect adjustments to the U.S. consumer price index for all consumers, U.S. city
20 average, as determined by the U.S. department of labor.

21 (c) Within 15 business days of receipt of the documents and fee specified under
22 par. (a), the department shall notify each patient, chiropractor, or insurer named in
23 the request for review. Within 10 business days of receiving notification that a review
24 has been requested, the patient, chiropractor, or insurer shall submit the following
25 to the department:

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- 1 1. A written statement of response to the matter that is being reviewed.
- 2 2. Clinical documentation relating to the course of treatment or conduct that
- 3 is being reviewed.
- 4 3. Any other information the patient, chiropractor, or insurer wishes to include
- 5 to support his or her response.

6 ^d(e) The department shall remove identifying information regarding a
7 chiropractor named in the request for review and, within 5 business days of receipt,
8 shall forward all of the documents received under pars. (a) and (c) and payment of
9 \$235 to a peer reviewer chosen at random from the peer review panel. The
10 department shall adjust the fee each year to reflect adjustments to the U.S. consumer
11 price index for all consumers, U.S. city average, as determined by the U.S.
12 department of labor.

13 ^e(f) Within 30 business days of receiving the documents specified in par. (e), the
14 peer reviewer shall make a determination of the quality, appropriateness, or
15 utilization of the chiropractic services rendered to the patient. The peer reviewer
16 shall determine that the chiropractor acted unprofessionally if he or she finds that,
17 applying generally accepted standards, 50% or more of the chiropractic services
18 identified in the request for peer review were inappropriate, unnecessary, or of
19 substandard quality. The peer reviewer shall sign, with his or her name and address,
20 and remit his or her findings to the department and the department shall issue a copy
21 of the findings to each patient, chiropractor, or insurer named in the request and to
22 the examining board.

23 ^f(g) Within 30 days after the date of receipt of the peer reviewer's findings, a
24 patient, chiropractor, insurer, or the examining board may request an appeal. The
25 person requesting the appeal shall submit a written request to the department and

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1 pay a fee of \$750. The department shall adjust the fee each year to reflect
2 adjustments to the U.S. consumer price index for all consumers, U.S. city average,
3 as determined by the U.S. department of labor.

4 (2) Upon receipt of a request for appeal and the fee specified in par. (g), the
5 department shall forward all of the documents received under pars. (a), (c), and (f)
6 and a payment of \$235 each to 3 additional peer reviewers chosen at random from
7 the peer review panel. The department shall adjust the fee each year to reflect
8 adjustments to the U.S. consumer price index for all consumers, U.S. city average,
9 as determined by the U.S. department of labor. The reviewers shall conduct a joint
10 review of the submitted materials. Each peer reviewer shall determine that the
11 chiropractor acted unprofessionally if he or she finds that, applying generally
12 accepted standards, 50% or more of the chiropractic services identified in the request
13 for peer review were inappropriate, unnecessary, or of substandard quality. Each
14 peer reviewer shall sign, with his or her name and address, and remit his or her
15 findings to the department. The department shall forward a copy of the joint review
16 to each patient, chiropractor, or insurer named in the request for peer review. The
17 department shall adopt the determination reached by a majority of the peer
18 reviewers appointed under this paragraph of the quality, appropriateness, or
19 utilization of the chiropractic services rendered to the patient or the conduct of the
20 chiropractor.

21 (3) CIVIL LIABILITY. A member of a peer review panel is immune from civil
22 liability for a finding, evaluation, recommendation, or other action he or she makes
23 or takes while performing a peer review under this section. This subsection does not
24 apply if the member of the peer review panel acts in fraud, conspiracy, or malice.

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1 (4) INSURANCE COVERAGE. No finding, evaluation, or recommendation reached
2 by a peer reviewer may be used to determine whether insurance coverage or
3 reimbursement is appropriate.

4 (5) SUNSET. This section does not apply after the first day of the 30th month
5 beginning after the effective date of this subsection [revisor inserts date].

6 SECTION 17. 446.04 (6), (7), (8), (9), (10) ^{and 7} (11) ~~and 12~~ of the statutes are created
7 to read:

8 ~~446.04 (6) Providing chiropractic services that are not necessary for the~~
9 ~~treatment of a patient.~~

10 ^{446.04} (7) A determination under s. 446.035 that 50% or more of the chiropractic
11 services identified in a request for peer review were inappropriate, unnecessary, or
12 of substandard quality.

13 (8) Billing for a service that was not performed. This includes:

14 (a) Billing for a service that was performed by a staff person without the
15 training required by the laws of this state.

16 (b) A pattern of conduct in which a chiropractor bills a Current Procedural
17 Terminology Code in a manner inconsistent with the published standards of the
18 Current Procedural Terminology Code, the Current Procedural Terminology
19 Assistant, the Wisconsin Chiropractic Association, the American Chiropractic
20 Association, or the International Chiropractic Association.

21 (c) A pattern of conduct in which a chiropractor bills for a service using a higher
22 level Current Procedural Terminology Code than the service that was actually
23 provided to the patient with the intent of obtaining unearned reimbursement.

24 (9) Failure to collect a deductible or co-payment required by a patient's insurer.

25 This subsection does not apply if the chiropractor has made reasonable efforts to

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*In this subsection,
all of the following apply: (9)*

1 collect the deductible or co-payment or if the patient has financial hardship and the
2 chiropractor documents the financial hardship.

3 ⁽⁸⁾ ~~(10)~~ Falsifying a claim.

4 ⁽⁹⁾ ~~(11)~~ A pattern of conduct that involves billing for a unit of service that was not
5 actually performed with the intent of obtaining unearned reimbursement.

6 ⁽¹⁰⁾ ~~(12)~~ Sexual misconduct. (a) Under this subsection a chiropractor engages in
7 sexual misconduct if he or she engages in sexual contact, exposure, or gratification,
8 sexually offensive communication, dating a patient while the patient is under the
9 chiropractor's professional care or treatment or within 6 months after the patient has
10 been discharged from care or treatment, or other sexual behavior with or in the
11 presence of a patient under the chiropractor's professional care or treatment and a
12 reasonably prudent chiropractor under similar conditions and circumstances would
13 find the conduct unprofessional. Consent is not an issue under this subsection.

14 (b) Under this subsection "contact violation" means any violation of par. (a)
15 that involves physical contact with a patient under the chiropractor's professional
16 care or treatment.

17 (c) Under this subsection "noncontact violation" means any violation of par. (a)
18 that does not involve physical contact with a patient under the chiropractor's
19 professional care or treatment.

20 (d) 1. The examining board shall require a chiropractor who commits a first
21 noncontact violation under this subsection to attend training approved by the
22 department regarding sexual misconduct and shall suspend his or her chiropractic
23 license for not less than 90 days.

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1 2. The examining board shall suspend the chiropractic license of a chiropractor
2 who commits a 2nd noncontact violation or a first contact violation under this
3 subsection for one year.

4 3. The examining board shall revoke the chiropractic license of a chiropractor
5 who commits a 3rd noncontact or a 2nd contact violation under this subsection.

6 **SECTION 18.** 446.05 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 **446.05 Procedure for hearings.** (1) Subject to the rules promulgated under
8 s. 440.03 (1), the examining board may make investigations and conduct hearings
9 in regard to the conduct of any licensed chiropractor who, it has reason to believe,
10 violated s. 446.02 ~~or 446.03~~ (1), (6), (7), (7m), or (8) or committed any offense listed
11 in s. 446.03. The person complained against may proceed to review any action of the
12 examining board under ch. 227.

13 **SECTION 19.** 446.05 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 446.05 (2) ~~Upon~~ Except as provided in subs. (3) and (4), upon application and
15 satisfactory proof that the cause of such revocation or suspension no longer exists,
16 the examining board may reinstate any license or registration suspended or revoked
17 by it. This subsection does not apply to a license or registration that is suspended
18 under s. 440.13 (2) (c) or that is revoked under s. 440.12.

19 **SECTION 20.** 446.05 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

20 446.05 (3) The examining board shall suspend the license of a chiropractor who
21 commits a third violation of s. 446.04 (1) to ~~(11)~~¹⁰ for not less than 6 months.

22 **SECTION 21.** 446.05 (4) of the statutes is created to read:

23 446.05 (4) The examining board shall suspend the license of a chiropractor who
24 commits a fourth violation of s. 446.04 (1) to ~~(11)~~¹⁰ for not less than 2 years.

25 **SECTION 22.** 446.07 (title) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

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is guilty of the unprofessional conduct specified in

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446.07 (title) Penalties.

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SECTION 23. 446.07 of the statutes is renumbered 446.07 (1).

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SECTION 24. 446.07 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

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446.07 (2) If the examining board finds that a chiropractor ~~has violated s.~~

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446.04 (6) ~~with respect to a patient,~~ the examining board shall assess against the

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chiropractor a forfeiture of 3 times the amount that the chiropractor billed ~~the~~

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patient for ~~an~~ *inappropriate* ~~unnecessary~~ *or substandard* chiropractic ~~services~~ *care* or \$5,000, whichever is less.

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SECTION 25. Initial applicability.

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(1) CONTINUING EDUCATION. If the effective date of this subsection is before

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January 1, 2004, the treatment of sections 446.02 (1) (b) and (4) and 446.025 of the

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statutes first applies to chiropractors whose licenses expire on January 1, 2005. If

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the effective date of this subsection is on or after January 1, 2004, the treatment of

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sections 446.02 (1) (b) and (4) and 446.025 of the statutes first applies to

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chiropractors whose licenses expire on January 1, 2007.

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(2) VIOLATIONS AND OFFENSES. The treatment of sections 446.03 (intro.) and

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446.05 (1) of the statutes and the creation of sections 446.03 (8), 446.04 (6), (7), (8),

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(9), (10), *and* ~~(11), (12)~~ and 446.07 (2) of the statutes first apply to violations that

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occur, and offenses that are committed, on the effective date of this subsection.

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(3) LICENSE SUSPENSION.

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(a) The treatment of section 446.05 (2) of the statutes and the creation of section

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446.05 (3) of the statutes first apply to 3rd violations that occur on the effective date

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of this paragraph.

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(b) The treatment of section 446.05 (1) of the statutes and the creation of section

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446.05 (4) of the statutes first apply to 4th violations that occur on the effective date

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of this paragraph.

Not This subsection applies only if the examining board makes a ~~second~~ ^{2nd} or subsequent ^(such) finding regarding a chiropractor.

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