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From: Rich Murack <rjmurackdc@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 3, 2020 1:18 PM
To: Murdo, Patricia
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Dry needling

Dear members of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee

My name is Dr Richard Murack. I am writing to ask you to keep Dry Needling in the scope of practice for Chiropractic Profession. Please do not renew your objection to the rule, as passed by the state board. I have Implemented the dry needling technique since last year. The clinical results have been amazing to both me and my patients. I have been able to provide orthopedically based relief to patients suffering with debilitating problems in short order This is not only wonderful for the patient, but also a very cost effective therapy considering we see great results in as few as one to three treatments! Some may question the level of education required well I am sure you are hearing from representatives of my profession about our educational background so I will not repeat it. Suffice it to say, with hundreds of hours of academic and clinical education regarding musculoskeletal health care, chiropractors are a perfect fit for use of this therapy. Why this is so important to me and all the patients I serve in the Golden Triangle, is that my offices are in very rural areas so patients would have to travel great distances to receive similar care. As a rural healthcare provider practicing for nearly 30 years in a healthcare provider shortage area, I need to have as many treatment options as possible to be provided daily on-site. My patients and I would really reconsideration of your objection to the rule. I have been able to help a lot of people and it would be a shame to let political medicine get in the way of patient centered care.

Thank you for your time,

Richard Murack DC
Sent from my iPhone