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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 06-006

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated January 2005.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

At the beginning of the third sentence, "The" should replace "Such."

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

The rule seems somewhat vague in several respects. Could the rule be more clear regarding what is meant by "new" therapies or treatment modalities? For example, should the rule specify that its requirements apply whenever a chiropractor applies a therapy or treatment modality that was not commonly in use at the time the chiropractor obtained his or her initial training? How will a practitioner determine whether a therapy or treatment modality is "new," such that training and education are required, or is simply a new or different method of applying an "old" therapy or treatment modality? Also, should the rule specify how much and what type of training and education is adequate and appropriate? Finally, should the rule explain the difference between training and education?