

ARKANSAS SENATE
95th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2025
Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill 117

TO CREATE THE NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIAN PRACTICE ACT; TO PROVIDE FOR
LICENSURE OF NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS IN ARKANSAS; AND TO CREATE THE
ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NATUROPATHY.

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 117

Amend Senate Bill 117 as engrossed S2/18/25 (version: 2/18/25 09:56:27 AM):

Page 2, line 20, delete "(2)(A)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 28, and substitute the following:
"body orifices, excluding endoscopy and colonoscopy;"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "minimal" and substitute "infinitesimal"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 6 through 17

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "(7)" and substitute "(6)"

AND



Page 3, delete line 25, and substitute the following:

"(7) "Naturopathic physician" means an individual licensed under this subchapter as a naturopathic physician to practice naturopathic medicine in this state;

(8) "Naturopathic therapeutic medicine" means the use of one (1)"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 through 7

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "(10)" and substitute "(9)"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 14 through 16, and substitute the following:

"(F) Homeopathic medicine; or

(G) A clinical laboratory procedure;"

AND

Page 4, line 17, delete "(11)" and substitute "(10)"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "(12)" and substitute "(11)"

AND

Page 4, line 25, delete "(13)" and substitute "(12)"

AND

Page 4, line 30, delete "(14)" and substitute "(13)"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 2 through 5, and substitute the following:

- "(F) A homeopathic medicine; or
- (G) Other physiologic substance."

AND

Page 11, line 28, delete "Successful completed of" and substitute "Successfully completed"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 25 through 36, and substitute the following:

- "(7) Use routes of administration of medication that include oral, nasal, auricular, ocular, rectal, vaginal, and transdermal consistent with the education and training of a naturopathic physician;
- (8) Perform naturopathic therapeutic medicine;
- (9) Employ the use of naturopathic therapy; and
- (10) Use therapeutic devices, barrier contraception, and durable medical equipment."

AND

Page 13, delete lines 1 through 22

AND

Page 13, line 24, delete "17-108-304." and substitute "17-108-303."

AND

Page 14, line 4, delete "17-108-305." and substitute "17-108-304."

AND

Page 14, line 10, delete "17-108-306." and substitute "17-108-305."

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator C. Penzo

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