



Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
Professional & Vocational Licensing

<http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/massage/>

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The definition of massage is broad. Structural Integration is not mentioned by name in the Definition or exemption. There is only a narrow provision for when licensing does not apply.

Statute

https://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/04/HRS452-Mass_Therapy.pdf

§452-1 Definitions.

"Massage", "massage therapy", and "Hawaiian massage" commonly known as lomilomi, means any method of treatment of the superficial soft parts of the body, consisting of rubbing, stroking, tapotement, pressing, shaking, or kneading with the hands, feet, elbow, or arms, and whether or not aided by any mechanical or electrical apparatus, appliances, or supplementary aids such as rubbing alcohol, liniments, antiseptics, oils, powder, creams, lotions, ointments, or other similar preparations commonly used in this practice. Any mechanical or electrical apparatus used as described in this chapter shall be approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration.

§452-21 To whom provisions in this chapter shall not apply. Nothing in this chapter shall prohibit service in case of emergency, or domestic administration, without compensation, nor services by persons holding any valid license, permit, or certificate dealing with the healing arts, nor services by barbers, hairdressers, cosmeticians, and cosmetologists lawfully carrying on their particular profession or business under any existing law of this State.

Administrative Rules

http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/files/2013/08/har_84-c2.pdf

Meetings

<http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/massage/board-meeting-schedule/>

Board Minutes

<http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/boards/massage/board-meeting-minutes/>