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Montana exempts Structural Integration from massage licensing. No state professional license required.

Statute: http://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca_toc/37_33_4.htm

Definitions: <http://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/37/33/37-33-403.htm>

37-33-403. Definitions. As used in this chapter, the following definitions apply:

(4) (a) (i) "Massage therapy" when provided by a massage therapist means the application of a system of structured touch, pressure, positioning, or holding to soft tissues of the body, Swedish massage, effleurage, petrissage, tapotement, percussion, friction, vibration, compression, passive and active stretching or movement within the normal anatomical range of motion, the external application of water, heat, cold, lubricants, salts, skin brushing, or other topical preparations not classified as prescription drugs, providing information for self-care stress management, and the determination of whether massage is contraindicated and whether referral to another health care practitioner is recommended.

(ii) The techniques described in subsection (4)(a)(i) must be applied by the massage therapist through the use of hands, forearms, elbows, knees, or feet or through the use of hand-held tools that mimic or support the action of the hands and are primarily intended to enhance or restore health and well-being by promoting pain relief, stress reduction, and relaxation.

Exemption: <http://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/37/33/37-33-404.htm>

37-33-404. Exemptions -- rules.

(5) (a) The provisions of this chapter do not limit or regulate the practice of any person who uses: (iii) touch to effect change on the integration of the structure of the physical body. Exempt practices under this subsection (5)(a)(iii) include but are not limited to the Rolf method of structural integration, Rolfing, and Hellerwork.

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