ASCA
Alabama State Chiropractic Association

2010 Scope of Practice Survey
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- 326 Members
- 255 Respondents
- 78% of ASCA Membership responded
Are you Male or Female?

- Male: 82%
- Female: 18%
What is your age?
How many years have you practiced chiropractic??

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What do you consider your race to be?

- White: 94%
- Other: 3%
- Hispanic/Latino: 1%
- Black: 2%
How would you describe the area in which your office is located?

- Urban: 32%
- Suburban: 37%
- Rural: 30%
Chiropractic Association (ASCA) plays an important role in protecting my right to practice chiropractic in the state.
The current scope of practice law in Alabama is adequate for the practice of chiropractic in the state.
Chiropractic is a drugless alternative to allopathic medical care.
Chiropractic care is the detection and correction of subluxations.
The chiropractic profession should abandon the use of the term subluxation and focus on a broader scope of practice in general.
Colleagues of mine that do not belong to the ASCA would favor the ability of doctors of chiropractic (DCs) to use injectable vitamins and nutrients.
If the ASCA proposed a change in the law to allow DCs to use injectable vitamins and nutrients I would resign my membership in the ASCA.
I would favor an ASCA legal/legislative proposal to change the scope of practice in Alabama to allow DCs to use injectable vitamins and nutrients.
If DCs were allowed to use injectable vitamins and nutrients I would use them.
I believe colleagues who are ASCA members would resign their memberships if a legal/legislative act was proposed by the ASCA to allow the use of injectable vitamins and nutrients.
Chiropractic patients could benefit from DCs being allowed to use injectable vitamins and nutrients.
The number of chiropractic patients would increase if DCs used injectable vitamins and nutrients.
Chiropractic subluxations are detectible on plain film x-ray.
Subluxation is an important cause of disease and correction can restore health.
Chiropractic should be limited to neuro-musculoskeletal conditions.
Research supports a subluxation model of chiropractic.
I offer wellness chiropractic care to all of my patients (services other than manipulation, such as dietary counseling, weight control, aerobic exercise, stress reduction and other health prom.
Patients in Alabama would benefit from DCs being allowed to prescribe a limited number of prescription drugs.
Colleagues of mine that do not belong to the ASCA would favor the ability of DCs to prescribe a limited number of prescription drugs.
If the ASCA proposed a change in the law to allow for the limited use of prescription drugs I would resign my membership in the ASCA.
I am in favor of the ASCA proposing legislation to change the scope of practice in Alabama to allow for the limited use of prescription drugs by DCs.
If limited use of prescription drugs was allowed in Alabama I would prescribe them.
I believe colleagues who are ASCA members would resign their memberships if a legislative act was proposed by the ASCA to allow for limited prescription drug privileges for DCs in Alabama.
The number of chiropractic patients would increase if DCs could prescribe a limited number of prescription drugs.