



FLORIDA

Florida

<http://floridasmassagetherapy.gov>

Contact Information

Mailing Address:

Department of Health
Board of Massage Therapy
4052 Bald Cypress Way
Bin C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3257
Customer Contact Center (850) 488-0595
Board Office (850) 245-4161
FAX: 850-412-2681

info@floridasmassagetherapy.gov

Florida has a broad definition of massage and no exemption for Structural Integration. The statute allows the Board to choose acceptable exams. The rules list specific exams, but do not have a general provision for other possible exams, such as the CESI. A rule revision would probably be necessary.

Law and Regulation

Florida Statutes

Chapter 456: Health Professions and Occupations: General Provisions

Chapter 480: Massage Practice Act

Chapter 120: Administrative Procedures Act

Florida Administrative Code

Chapter 64B7: Board of Massage Therapy

Statute

Title XXXII REGULATION OF PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS Chapter 480
MASSAGE PRACTICE

480.033 Definitions.—As used in this act:

(3) “Massage” means the manipulation of the soft tissues of the human body with the hand, foot, arm, or elbow, whether or not such manipulation is aided by hydrotherapy, including colonic irrigation, or thermal therapy; any electrical or mechanical device; or the application to the human body of a chemical or herbal preparation. Examination

Board Members

<http://floridasmassagetherapy.gov/the-board/>

Meetings, Agendas, and Minutes

<http://floridasmassagetherapy.gov/meeting-information/>

Click on past meetings to find minutes

Click on past or upcoming meetings to find agendas