

license in order to practice acupuncture; providing certain exceptions; providing the qualifications for licensees and for Board members; authorizing the Board to adopt certain regulations; authorizing the Board to take certain disciplinary actions; altering the authority of the Board of Physician Quality Assurance as it relates to persons performing acupuncture; eliminating the Acupuncture Advisory Council; requiring a certain evaluation; defining certain terms; and generally relating to the practice of acupuncture and to the State Board of Acupuncture.

BY adding to

Article – Health Occupations

Section 1A-101 through 1A-502 to be under the new title “Title 1A.
Acupuncturists”

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article – Health Occupations

Section 14-302(4)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Health Occupations

Section 14-506

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – State Government

Section 8-403(i)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

BY renumbering

Article – Health Occupations

Section 14-302(5) and (6), respectively

to be Section 14-302(4) and (5), respectively

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1993 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: