

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS26022

The purpose of this Legislation is to add dry needling to the Physical Therapy Practice Act. Dry needling is an effective treatment modality used by physical therapists around the country in combination with other physical therapy approaches for the management of neuromusculoskeletal pain and movement impairments. This bill would allow physical therapists in the state of Idaho to perform dry needling after completion of the appropriate amount of education and training.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund or to the Idaho Board of Physical Therapy fund balance.

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