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This table summarizes how the latest substitute version of the bill differs from the immediately preceding version. It addresses only the topics on which the two versions differ substantively. It does not list topics on which the two bills are substantively the same.

Previous Version (As Introduced)	Latest Version (I_133_0263-2)
Chiropractic Loan Repayment Program – penalty for failure to complete service obligation	
Specifies that the penalty for a chiropractor's failure to complete the required service in a chiropractic health resource shortage area, which is a condition of participation in the Chiropractic Loan Repayment Program, is (1) three times the total repayment amount agreed to, if the failure occurs during the first two years of the service obligation, or (2) three times any amount that remains to be repaid by the Department of Health, if the failure occurs after the first two years of the service obligation. ¹	Reduces the penalty to (1) one and a half times the total repayment amount agreed to, if the failure occurs during the first two years, or (2) one and a half times any amount that remains to be repaid by the Department, if the failure occurs after the first two years. ²

¹ R.C. 3702.986(B)(4).

² R.C. 3702.986(B)(4).

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Chiropractic Loan Repayment Advisory Board – membership	
Requires the Chiropractic Loan Repayment Advisory Board to include three representatives of the chiropractic profession, appointed by the Governor from nominations of the Ohio State Chiropractic Association. ³	Same, except removes the requirement that the representatives be nominated by the Ohio State Chiropractic Association. ⁴
Animal chiropractic	
No provision.	Defines “animal chiropractic practitioner” as a chiropractor that is certified by either the American Veterinary Chiropractic Association or the International Veterinary Chiropractic Association. ⁵
No provision.	Specifies that an animal chiropractic practitioner is not required to be supervised by a licensed veterinarian when providing animal chiropractic and establishes recordkeeping requirements. ⁶
No provision.	Generally, prohibits chiropractors who are not animal chiropractic practitioners from (1) practicing animal chiropractic and (2) representing themselves to be animal chiropractic practitioners. ⁷
No provision.	Requires animal chiropractic practitioners to register with the State Chiropractic Board and requires the Board to maintain a list of registered animal chiropractic practitioners and make it available to the public. ⁸

³ R.C. 3702.987(A)(5).

⁴ R.C. 3702.987(A)(5).

⁵ R.C. 4734.151(A)(3).

⁶ R.C. 4734.151(C)(1)(c) and (e).

⁷ R.C. 4734.151(B).

⁸ R.C. 4734.151(C)(1)(a) and (D).

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Chiropractic continuing education	
Requires the Board to enter into a contract with the Ohio State Chiropractic Association to have the Association be responsible for approving continuing education activities. ⁹	Instead, maintains current law that requires continuing education to meet the Board's approval. ¹⁰

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⁹ R.C. 4734.251.

¹⁰ R.C. 4734.25.