



# OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

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## Bill Analysis

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### **H.B. 196\***

132nd General Assembly

(As Reported by S. Health, Human Services and Medicaid)

**Reps.** Lipps, West, Sprague, Riedel, Wiggam, R. Smith, Boccieri, Thompson, Sweeney, Lepore-Hagan, Antonio, Stein, Cupp, Miller, Huffman, Gavarone, Antani, Johnson, Ashford, Barnes, Brenner, Carfagna, Celebrezze, Craig, DeVitis, Faber, Galonski, Ginter, Goodman, Green, Greenspan, Hagan, Holmes, Kelly, Landis, Lang, LaTourette, O'Brien, Patterson, Patton, Perales, Reineke, Rogers, Romanchuk, Ryan, Schaffer, Sheehy, Strahorn, Young

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## **BILL SUMMARY**

- Designates October as "Ohio Chiropractic Awareness Month."

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## **CONTENT AND OPERATION**

### **Chiropractic Awareness Month**

The bill designates the month of October as "Ohio Chiropractic Awareness Month."<sup>1</sup> According to the American Chiropractic Association, chiropractic is a health care profession that focuses on disorders of the musculoskeletal and nervous systems as well as the effects of such disorders. Chiropractic physicians treat conditions that include headaches and joint, back, or neck pain, perform spinal manipulation and chiropractic adjustment, and are trained to recommend therapeutic and rehabilitative exercises.<sup>2</sup>

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\* This analysis was prepared before the report of the Senate Health, Human Services and Medicaid Committee appeared in the Senate Journal. Note that the list of co-sponsors and the legislative history may be incomplete.

<sup>1</sup> R.C. 5.2518.

<sup>2</sup> See American Chiropractic Association, *What is Chiropractic?*, available at <<https://www.acatoday.org/Patients/Why-Choose-Chiropractic/What-is-Chiropractic>>.

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## HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	05-02-17
Reported, H. Health	05-17-17
Passed House (94-0)	09-20-17
Reported, S. Health, Human Services & Medicaid	---

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