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## DIGEST

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HB 796 Reengrossed

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the Louisiana Board of Chiropractic Examiners definitions for preceptor and preceptee and their duties and responsibilities.

Present law defines board, chiropractor duties, and the practice of chiropractic.

Proposed law adds definitions for preceptor and preceptee.

Proposed law provides for preceptors to delegate responsibilities and tasks to a preceptee, requires a preceptor to be licensed and in good standing in this state or another jurisdiction for five years, be licensed by the Louisiana Board of Chiropractic Examiners for at least one year, not have had any disciplinary issues in the preceding three years, does not have any open complaints, and is not under any investigations.

Proposed law prohibits preceptors from delegating responsibility to render a diagnosis or prescribe a treatment plan to a preceptee and prohibits preceptees performing adjustments or manipulation in accordance with the proposed law from presenting to the public that the preceptee is a licensed chiropractor.

Proposed law requires that both preceptors and preceptees register with the board and notify patients who is the preceptor and preceptee.

Proposed law requires preceptees to perform adjustments or manipulation while a preceptor is physically onsite and subjects preceptors and preceptees to disciplinary actions for any violations of the proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 37:2801(4) and (5) and 2807)

### Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

#### The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Require that preceptors have not had any disciplinary issues in the preceding three years, does not have open complaints, or is not under investigation for any matters to delegate responsibilities.
2. Require that both preceptors and preceptees register with the board and notify patients

who is the preceptor and preceptee.

3. Make a technical change.