

American Chiropractic Association

DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE HEALTH AND WELLNESS OF AMERICA, NATURALLY.

Manipulation Under Anesthesia (MUA)

WHEREAS, The American Chiropractic Association recognizes that CCE accredited chiropractic academic institutions and their related post graduate departments offer to the profession post-doctoral courses in manipulation under anesthesia (MUA); and

WHEREAS, The American Chiropractic Association recognizes that manipulation under anesthesia has a long established history, supported by many years of clinical research, as an accepted established procedure within and outside the profession; and

WHEREAS, The American Chiropractic Association recognizes that each state has a legislatively established and statutorily authorized regulatory agency for the specific purposes of regulating the practice of chiropractic pursuant to each state's enabling legislation for such regulatory agencies; and

WHEREAS, The American Chiropractic Association supports each state's right and privilege to establish separate and autonomous scopes of practice, practice parameters and regulatory agencies for the practice of chiropractic. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the American Chiropractic Association recognize and support that Manipulation Under Anesthesia has a well established clinical history within the chiropractic profession, accredited chiropractic academic institutions, chiropractic clinical research, and chiropractic private practice sector in both hospital and ambulatory surgical center settings, and moreover that MUA procedures are appropriate in a selected patient population pursuant to established clinical guidelines promulgated by established chiropractic authoritative sources including accredited academic institutions' MUA training programs, state regulatory agencies rules and regulations, and qualified instructors of MUA procedures who teach the MUA courses under the auspices of accredited academic institutions.