

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

Adt

L.D. 1986

DATE: 3/29/94

(Filing No. H-998 )

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
116TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1461, L.D. 1986, Bill, "An Act Regarding Access to Chiropractic Services"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 4 the following:

'Sec. 5. 24-A MRSA §4236 is enacted to read:

§4236. Chiropractors in health maintenance organizations

Every health maintenance organization shall include in every plan for health care services chiropractic services delivered by qualified chiropractic providers in accordance with this section.

1. Qualifications of chiropractic providers. The health maintenance organization shall determine the qualifications of chiropractic providers using reasonable standards that are similar to and consistent with the standards applied to other providers.

2. Benefits. The health maintenance organization shall provide benefits covering care by chiropractic providers at least equal to and consistent with the benefits paid to other health care providers treating similar neuro-musculoskeletal conditions.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment requires health maintenance organization health care plans to provide for chiropractic services at benefit

R18

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1461, L.D. 1986

2 levels similar to the benefit levels for other providers  
providing the same services.

4

6

SPONSORED BY:   
(Representative PINEAU)

8

TOWN: Jay

10