

## **Reserved Titles and Acts**

### **Restricted Activities - Health Professions Council**

1. Making a diagnosis identifying a disease, disorder or condition as the cause of signs or symptoms of the individual.
2. Performing the following physically invasive or physically manipulative acts:
  1. procedures on tissue below the dermis, below the surface of a mucous membrane, in or below the surface of the cornea, in or below the surfaces of the teeth, including the scaling of teeth;
  2. setting or casting a fracture of a bone or reducing a dislocation of a joint;
  3. movement of the joints of the spine beyond the limits the body can voluntarily achieve but within the anatomical range of motion using a high velocity, low amplitude thrust;
  4. administering a substance, other than a drug,
    1. by injection,
    2. by inhalation,
    3. by mechanical ventilation
    4. by irrigation, or
    5. by instillation through enteral or parenteral means; and
  5. putting an instrument, hand or finger(s),
    1. into the external ear canal, including applying pressurized air or water,
    2. beyond the point in the nasal passages, where they normally narrow,
    3. beyond the pharynx,
    4. beyond the opening of the urethra,
    5. beyond the labia majora,
    6. beyond the anal verge, or
    7. into an artificial opening into the body.

### **Reserved Titles in British Columbia**

The following titles are reserved for registrants of the College of Physician and Surgeons of BC and must not be used by Osteopathic Practitioners:

- medical practitioner
- physician
- surgeon
- doctor
- osteopath
- osteopathic physician