

ACTIVITIES (Survey Pages 10-13)

In the **ACTIVITIES** section of the Survey of Chiropractic Practice, participants were asked to rate (on a zero-to-four scale) the **frequency** with which they performed an activity related to patient care. The 45 activities were grouped into nine major categories.

In addition, survey participants were asked to indicate (also on a zero-to-four scale) the perceived **risk** to patient health and safety should the activity be performed poorly or omitted.

A third factor, **importance**, was obtained by multiplying the frequency and the risk factors and averaging the results:

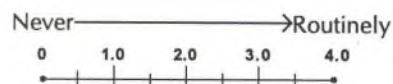
$$\text{Frequency} \times \text{Risk} = \text{Importance}$$

Values of zero-to-sixteen were possible for the importance factor, which indicates the significance of an activity when taking into account both the estimated frequency and the perceived risk.

The rating scales respondents used in designating the frequency and risk associated with various activities are presented on this page. In addition, the range of values which could be calculated for importance are also shown. The state-by-state responses appear in the tables on pages 43-87.

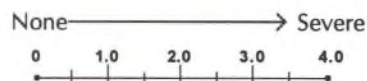
Rating Scales utilized in assessing activities

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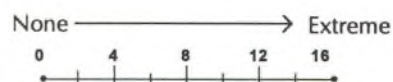
- 0 = Never (does not apply)**
- 1 = Rarely (1-25%)**
- 2 = Sometimes (26-50%)**
- 3 = Frequently (51-75%)**
- 4 = Routinely (76-100%)**

RISK



- 0 = None/No risk**
- 1 = Little risk**
- 2 = Some risk**
- 3 = Significant risk**
- 4 = Severe risk**

IMPORTANCE



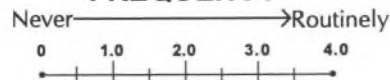
- 0 = None/Not important**
 - 4**
 - 8**
 - 12**
 - 16 = Extremely important**
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(Category 1)

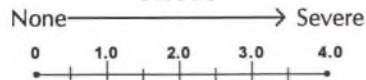
CASE HISTORY →

1. Take an initial case history from a new patient.

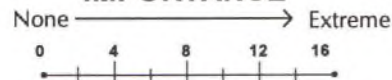
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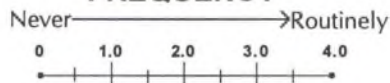


STATE	CASE HISTORY			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.98	2.98	11.91	104
Alaska	4.00	3.19	12.77	52
Arizona	3.98	2.82	11.20	103
Arkansas	3.96	2.88	11.64	90
California	3.97	3.02	12.25	225
Colorado	4.00	3.02	12.07	111
Connecticut	3.96	3.39	13.65	104
Delaware	3.91	3.06	12.24	33
D.C.	4.00	3.13	12.50	8
Florida	3.97	3.07	12.26	144
Georgia	3.99	3.07	12.41	85
Hawaii	3.99	3.08	12.87	68
Idaho	4.00	2.99	11.96	90
Illinois	3.96	3.16	12.57	112
Indiana	3.96	2.96	11.90	110
Iowa	4.00	2.99	11.94	71
Kansas	3.96	2.80	11.35	96
Kentucky	3.98	2.77	11.31	84
Louisiana	3.97	3.03	12.03	91
Maine	3.98	3.42	13.67	61
Maryland	4.00	3.41	13.63	91
Massachusetts	4.00	3.20	12.78	128
Michigan	3.97	2.78	11.09	114
Minnesota	3.98	3.07	12.39	124
Mississippi	3.92	2.47	9.93	71
Missouri	3.97	3.13	12.47	104
Montana	3.95	3.04	12.22	77
Nebraska	4.00	3.16	12.63	102
Nevada	3.96	2.84	11.29	82
New Hampshire	4.00	3.14	12.73	77
New Jersey	3.98	3.18	12.76	119
New Mexico	3.93	3.12	12.74	90
New York	4.00	3.15	12.61	144
North Carolina	3.94	3.12	12.43	115
North Dakota	3.98	2.78	11.06	80
Ohio	3.99	3.11	12.42	121
Oklahoma	3.88	2.77	11.56	72
Oregon	4.00	3.25	13.00	108
Pennsylvania	3.97	3.23	12.78	102
Rhode Island	4.00	3.22	12.88	50
South Carolina	3.92	3.01	12.10	88
South Dakota	3.98	2.98	11.89	94
Tennessee	3.98	3.13	12.45	120
Texas	3.90	3.09	12.57	100
Utah	4.00	2.79	11.18	73
Vermont	3.90	2.86	11.43	42
Virginia	4.00	3.33	13.31	113
Washington	4.00	2.79	11.18	117
West Virginia	4.00	3.12	12.49	65
Wisconsin	3.97	2.97	11.87	121
Wyoming	3.89	2.66	10.57	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.97	3.04	12.21	UNWEIGHTED
	3.97	3.06	12.19	WEIGHTED

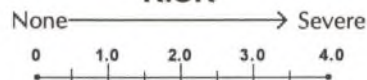
CASE HISTORY

- Identify the nature of a patient's condition using the information from the case history.

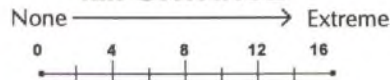
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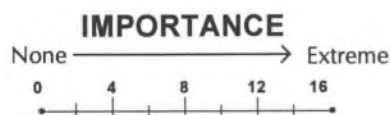
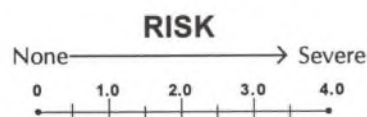
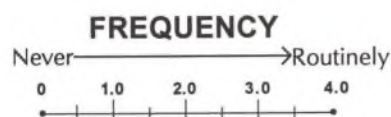
IMPORTANCE



STATE	CASE HISTORY (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.36	2.73	9.50	103
Alaska	3.56	2.73	10.73	48
Arizona	3.39	2.52	9.26	101
Arkansas	3.25	2.47	8.86	88
California	3.57	2.79	10.43	224
Colorado	3.48	2.68	9.77	110
Connecticut	3.43	2.95	10.78	104
Delaware	3.67	2.61	10.22	32
D.C.	3.75	3.00	11.75	8
Florida	3.41	2.78	9.77	144
Georgia	3.48	2.79	10.06	84
Hawaii	3.46	2.80	10.64	70
Idaho	3.34	2.68	9.24	90
Illinois	3.51	2.91	10.74	111
Indiana	3.28	2.53	8.95	109
Iowa	3.18	2.55	8.28	71
Kansas	3.53	2.69	9.79	96
Kentucky	3.27	2.51	8.78	83
Louisiana	3.36	2.67	9.27	91
Maine	3.34	2.87	10.38	60
Maryland	3.37	3.13	11.00	89
Massachusetts	3.47	2.91	10.54	127
Michigan	3.19	2.50	8.64	111
Minnesota	3.42	2.86	10.28	123
Mississippi	3.25	2.41	8.55	71
Missouri	3.25	2.61	9.66	99
Montana	3.54	2.77	10.13	77
Nebraska	3.42	2.86	10.05	102
Nevada	3.44	2.61	9.37	81
New Hampshire	3.51	2.85	10.27	78
New Jersey	3.39	2.86	10.22	119
New Mexico	3.12	2.83	9.66	88
New York	3.44	2.95	10.42	143
North Carolina	3.37	2.84	9.90	115
North Dakota	3.44	2.54	8.86	80
Ohio	3.36	2.79	9.82	119
Oklahoma	3.23	2.47	9.10	69
Oregon	3.45	2.91	10.43	108
Pennsylvania	3.41	2.92	10.50	101
Rhode Island	3.46	2.84	10.57	49
South Carolina	3.28	2.60	8.77	88
South Dakota	3.23	2.83	9.50	94
Tennessee	3.38	2.75	9.77	119
Texas	3.42	2.74	10.04	100
Utah	3.47	2.49	9.00	72
Vermont	3.24	2.43	8.98	41
Virginia	3.47	2.83	10.32	112
Washington	3.26	2.59	8.84	117
West Virginia	3.43	2.75	9.46	65
Wisconsin	3.51	2.69	9.93	120
Wyoming	3.18	2.32	8.09	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.39	2.73	9.78	UNWEIGHTED
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CASE HISTORY

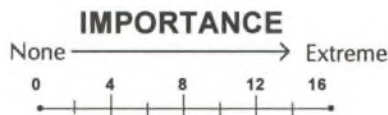
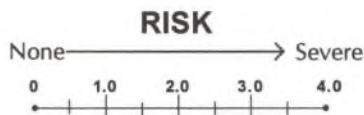
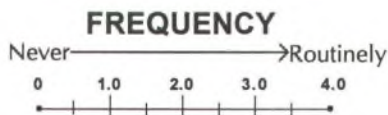
3. Perform a focused case history in order to determine what additional examination procedures or tests may be needed.



STATE	CASE HISTORY (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.29	2.54	9.15	103
Alaska	3.50	2.98	11.00	51
Arizona	3.45	2.63	9.39	103
Arkansas	3.36	2.58	9.26	90
California	3.42	2.63	9.82	224
Colorado	3.53	2.65	9.98	109
Connecticut	3.57	2.90	11.36	102
Delaware	3.24	2.45	9.45	31
D.C.	3.63	3.38	12.38	8
Florida	3.56	2.76	10.39	142
Georgia	3.20	2.62	9.15	85
Hawaii	3.35	2.72	9.87	70
Idaho	3.36	2.58	9.34	88
Illinois	3.56	2.76	10.44	111
Indiana	3.25	2.54	9.04	110
Iowa	3.30	2.51	9.03	70
Kansas	3.34	2.62	9.54	94
Kentucky	3.35	2.44	9.06	84
Louisiana	3.56	2.68	9.98	91
Maine	3.56	3.16	11.62	61
Maryland	3.42	2.88	10.33	90
Massachusetts	3.52	2.85	10.63	126
Michigan	3.45	2.41	9.10	112
Minnesota	3.42	2.70	9.71	124
Mississippi	3.21	2.10	7.64	69
Missouri	3.37	2.74	10.15	102
Montana	3.26	2.65	9.61	76
Nebraska	3.45	2.74	10.12	100
Nevada	3.44	2.61	9.63	80
New Hampshire	3.37	2.82	10.13	78
New Jersey	3.43	2.85	10.53	118
New Mexico	3.55	2.80	10.71	89
New York	3.48	2.76	10.26	142
North Carolina	3.58	2.76	10.79	112
North Dakota	3.29	2.40	8.19	80
Ohio	3.41	2.79	10.63	114
Oklahoma	3.32	2.45	8.88	72
Oregon	3.47	2.69	9.92	106
Pennsylvania	3.40	2.79	10.06	102
Rhode Island	3.58	3.00	11.59	49
South Carolina	3.07	2.46	8.36	88
South Dakota	3.16	2.69	9.24	93
Tennessee	3.53	2.73	10.04	119
Texas	3.49	2.73	10.42	100
Utah	3.44	2.58	9.12	73
Vermont	3.38	2.55	9.68	41
Virginia	3.68	2.82	10.76	113
Washington	3.24	2.55	8.91	116
West Virginia	3.45	2.75	9.95	64
Wisconsin	3.33	2.68	9.56	119
Wyoming	3.09	2.18	7.44	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.41	2.68	9.83	UNWEIGHTED
	3.43	2.69	9.76	WEIGHTED

CASE HISTORY

4. Take S.O.A.P. notes or case progress notes on subsequent patient visits.

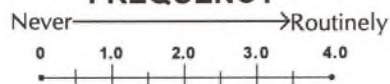


STATE	CASE HISTORY (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.55	2.21	8.24	103
Alaska	3.63	2.23	8.63	52
Arizona	3.74	2.17	8.32	102
Arkansas	3.51	2.24	8.50	90
California	3.59	2.21	8.57	222
Colorado	3.77	2.20	8.46	111
Connecticut	3.72	2.32	9.02	104
Delaware	3.70	2.27	8.73	33
D.C.	3.88	1.88	7.38	8
Florida	3.76	2.41	9.20	144
Georgia	3.49	2.08	7.92	86
Hawaii	3.62	2.31	8.52	71
Idaho	3.64	2.22	8.55	89
Illinois	3.75	2.30	8.92	112
Indiana	3.42	2.19	8.39	108
Iowa	3.73	2.30	8.79	71
Kansas	3.56	2.16	8.06	96
Kentucky	3.52	2.15	8.25	83
Louisiana	3.66	2.05	7.94	90
Maine	3.41	2.38	8.62	61
Maryland	3.65	2.46	9.27	90
Massachusetts	3.76	2.24	8.69	127
Michigan	3.47	2.09	7.73	115
Minnesota	3.59	2.08	7.92	123
Mississippi	3.33	1.92	7.07	73
Missouri	3.66	2.37	9.26	102
Montana	3.55	2.26	8.35	78
Nebraska	3.52	2.23	8.31	101
Nevada	3.77	2.29	8.80	82
New Hampshire	3.60	2.40	9.24	76
New Jersey	3.53	2.18	8.09	120
New Mexico	3.42	2.42	8.92	89
New York	3.35	2.28	8.26	141
North Carolina	3.69	2.31	8.85	114
North Dakota	3.64	2.04	7.70	80
Ohio	3.56	2.36	9.02	118
Oklahoma	3.67	2.09	8.32	72
Oregon	3.85	2.35	9.19	108
Pennsylvania	3.69	2.47	9.31	102
Rhode Island	3.82	2.68	10.36	50
South Carolina	3.61	2.24	8.70	87
South Dakota	3.62	2.22	8.60	93
Tennessee	3.72	2.37	9.07	120
Texas	3.54	2.20	8.62	100
Utah	3.59	2.10	7.82	73
Vermont	3.71	2.21	8.67	42
Virginia	3.71	2.53	9.87	112
Washington	3.56	1.94	7.28	117
West Virginia	3.74	2.38	9.09	65
Wisconsin	3.57	2.16	8.21	119
Wyoming	3.27	1.82	6.65	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.61	2.24	8.55	UNWEIGHTED
	3.60	2.25	8.45	WEIGHTED

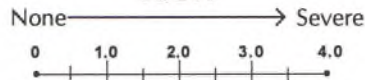
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5. Determine the appropriate technique or case management procedures using the information from the S.O.A.P. notes or case progress notes.

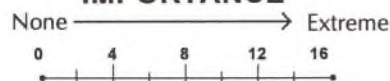
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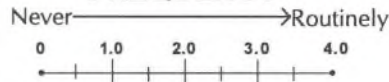


STATE	CASE HISTORY (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.13	2.21	7.58	103
Alaska	3.56	2.50	9.35	52
Arizona	3.42	2.14	7.65	103
Arkansas	3.13	2.14	7.57	90
California	3.36	2.27	8.48	222
Colorado	3.47	2.18	8.08	111
Connecticut	3.42	2.36	8.81	103
Delaware	3.61	2.39	8.73	33
D.C.	3.50	1.63	6.13	8
Florida	3.41	2.46	8.91	143
Georgia	3.20	2.07	7.68	85
Hawaii	3.31	2.34	8.30	71
Idaho	3.52	2.29	8.39	90
Illinois	3.46	2.50	8.93	112
Indiana	3.01	2.14	7.83	106
Iowa	3.35	2.38	8.35	71
Kansas	3.38	2.08	7.77	94
Kentucky	3.31	2.21	8.08	85
Louisiana	3.34	2.15	8.01	89
Maine	3.16	2.43	8.57	60
Maryland	3.29	2.41	8.45	91
Massachusetts	3.45	2.32	8.56	128
Michigan	3.20	2.03	7.30	113
Minnesota	3.30	2.30	8.37	121
Mississippi	2.97	2.00	6.71	73
Missouri	3.37	2.27	8.43	101
Montana	3.33	2.42	8.64	77
Nebraska	3.25	2.31	8.34	99
Nevada	3.40	2.24	8.11	81
New Hampshire	3.56	2.58	9.58	78
New Jersey	3.16	2.16	7.50	120
New Mexico	3.26	2.45	8.98	88
New York	3.17	2.33	8.43	140
North Carolina	3.55	2.41	8.83	115
North Dakota	3.31	2.04	7.35	77
Ohio	3.26	2.38	8.77	118
Oklahoma	3.24	2.13	7.68	71
Oregon	3.49	2.49	9.29	108
Pennsylvania	3.30	2.42	8.51	102
Rhode Island	3.64	2.70	10.12	50
South Carolina	3.42	2.36	8.54	89
South Dakota	3.34	2.35	8.37	94
Tennessee	3.43	2.40	8.73	119
Texas	3.34	2.22	8.39	99
Utah	3.29	2.18	7.78	73
Vermont	3.40	2.24	8.31	42
Virginia	3.48	2.49	9.34	112
Washington	3.22	2.15	7.47	117
West Virginia	3.49	2.20	8.30	64
Wisconsin	3.45	2.25	8.23	120
Wyoming	3.16	1.98	6.79	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.34	2.29	8.31	UNWEIGHTED
	3.32	2.29	8.20	WEIGHTED

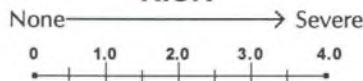
CASE HISTORY

6. Update case history for a patient whose condition has changed or who presents with a new condition.

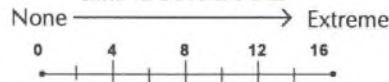
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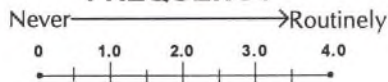
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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.73	2.69	10.29	104
Alaska	3.60	2.77	10.80	50
Arizona	3.69	2.63	9.87	103
Arkansas	3.55	2.58	9.77	90
California	3.66	2.66	10.33	223
Colorado	3.68	2.59	9.77	111
Connecticut	3.83	2.94	11.62	104
Delaware	3.70	2.70	10.00	33
D.C.	3.88	2.50	9.88	8
Florida	3.68	2.63	10.16	141
Georgia	3.53	2.48	9.49	84
Hawaii	3.68	2.86	11.04	70
Idaho	3.67	2.66	10.18	89
Illinois	3.78	2.76	10.62	111
Indiana	3.49	2.65	10.16	108
Iowa	3.63	2.70	9.97	71
Kansas	3.34	2.46	9.37	92
Kentucky	3.70	2.49	9.89	82
Louisiana	3.70	2.60	10.02	89
Maine	3.74	3.02	11.46	61
Maryland	3.65	2.97	11.32	90
Massachusetts	3.69	2.80	10.66	128
Michigan	3.57	2.42	9.25	112
Minnesota	3.68	2.70	10.24	123
Mississippi	3.55	2.32	8.87	71
Missouri	3.63	2.71	10.45	102
Montana	3.43	2.58	9.61	76
Nebraska	3.42	2.61	9.88	97
Nevada	3.73	2.67	10.31	81
New Hampshire	3.74	2.94	11.36	77
New Jersey	3.70	2.67	10.23	118
New Mexico	3.45	2.82	11.13	86
New York	3.68	2.83	10.80	142
North Carolina	3.75	2.84	11.14	113
North Dakota	3.46	2.46	8.82	79
Ohio	3.60	2.81	10.85	117
Oklahoma	3.51	2.31	9.07	71
Oregon	3.69	2.77	10.64	107
Pennsylvania	3.59	2.85	10.53	102
Rhode Island	3.72	3.02	11.40	50
South Carolina	3.49	2.70	10.11	87
South Dakota	3.54	2.71	9.89	94
Tennessee	3.71	2.73	10.52	118
Texas	3.75	2.75	11.15	98
Utah	3.59	2.53	9.26	73
Vermont	3.71	2.38	9.39	41
Virginia	3.67	2.77	10.84	110
Washington	3.52	2.53	9.73	113
West Virginia	3.62	2.63	9.72	65
Wisconsin	3.46	2.59	9.75	117
Wyoming	3.61	2.41	9.12	43
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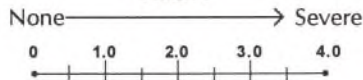
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7. Perform a physical examination on a new patient.

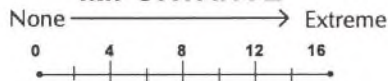
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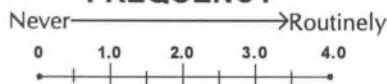


STATE	PHYSICAL EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.47	2.90	10.87	103
Alaska	3.81	3.23	12.58	52
Arizona	3.51	2.75	10.45	102
Arkansas	3.51	2.87	10.64	90
California	3.81	3.04	11.94	226
Colorado	3.79	3.02	12.06	109
Connecticut	3.77	3.24	12.99	103
Delaware	3.58	2.88	11.12	33
D.C.	3.88	3.25	12.75	8
Florida	3.84	3.08	12.12	144
Georgia	3.71	3.06	11.99	86
Hawaii	3.83	3.30	13.04	70
Idaho	3.53	2.87	10.69	90
Illinois	3.71	3.08	11.91	111
Indiana	3.42	2.88	10.87	110
Iowa	3.34	2.77	10.13	71
Kansas	3.62	2.67	10.38	96
Kentucky	3.64	2.86	11.20	84
Louisiana	3.75	2.78	10.91	90
Maine	3.56	3.23	12.36	61
Maryland	3.67	3.27	12.49	91
Massachusetts	3.76	3.11	12.27	128
Michigan	3.45	2.60	9.75	114
Minnesota	3.68	3.01	11.63	123
Mississippi	3.48	2.40	9.18	71
Missouri	3.44	2.90	10.84	103
Montana	3.60	3.15	11.90	78
Nebraska	3.63	3.15	12.08	101
Nevada	3.80	3.00	11.65	82
New Hampshire	3.56	2.97	11.58	77
New Jersey	3.77	3.18	12.62	118
New Mexico	3.55	3.07	11.56	89
New York	3.65	3.01	11.49	144
North Carolina	3.53	2.94	11.33	113
North Dakota	3.51	2.71	10.13	79
Ohio	3.59	3.07	11.92	118
Oklahoma	3.68	2.73	11.34	71
Oregon	3.51	2.94	10.88	108
Pennsylvania	3.43	2.94	11.00	100
Rhode Island	3.68	3.16	12.00	50
South Carolina	3.33	2.75	10.69	86
South Dakota	3.23	2.80	10.18	93
Tennessee	3.75	3.08	11.95	120
Texas	3.66	3.04	11.84	101
Utah	3.64	2.78	10.75	71
Vermont	3.38	2.74	10.39	41
Virginia	3.77	3.23	12.54	113
Washington	3.72	2.83	11.07	116
West Virginia	3.75	2.98	11.66	65
Wisconsin	3.41	2.87	10.48	121
Wyoming	3.59	2.64	10.38	42
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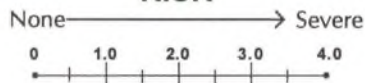
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8. Assess the patient's general state of health using the information from the physical examination.

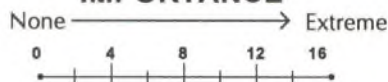
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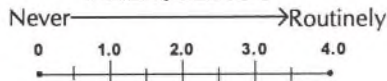


STATE	PHYSICAL EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.34	2.58	9.11	103
Alaska	3.63	2.69	10.65	49
Arizona	3.24	2.39	8.81	101
Arkansas	3.40	2.57	9.31	90
California	3.60	2.69	10.17	224
Colorado	3.68	2.70	10.52	110
Connecticut	3.58	2.80	10.97	100
Delaware	3.33	2.61	9.39	33
D.C.	3.25	2.38	8.38	8
Florida	3.58	2.74	10.48	141
Georgia	3.43	2.76	10.05	86
Hawaii	3.59	3.03	11.23	71
Idaho	3.54	2.60	9.66	90
Illinois	3.58	2.82	10.61	111
Indiana	3.19	2.54	9.10	110
Iowa	3.27	2.34	8.36	70
Kansas	3.49	2.40	9.18	94
Kentucky	3.48	2.52	9.31	84
Louisiana	3.49	2.51	9.30	89
Maine	3.33	2.87	10.62	60
Maryland	3.53	2.97	10.96	91
Massachusetts	3.53	2.80	10.71	126
Michigan	3.10	2.37	8.43	112
Minnesota	3.38	2.66	9.85	121
Mississippi	3.21	2.27	8.14	71
Missouri	3.42	2.63	9.65	102
Montana	3.41	2.79	10.19	77
Nebraska	3.46	2.88	10.86	100
Nevada	3.73	2.65	10.02	82
New Hampshire	3.31	2.63	9.89	75
New Jersey	3.55	2.90	10.93	117
New Mexico	3.50	2.80	11.05	87
New York	3.49	2.92	10.64	143
North Carolina	3.50	2.70	10.20	113
North Dakota	3.36	2.44	8.62	79
Ohio	3.40	2.60	9.80	116
Oklahoma	3.44	2.43	9.28	72
Oregon	3.55	2.68	10.00	107
Pennsylvania	3.41	2.61	9.29	101
Rhode Island	3.60	3.12	11.71	49
South Carolina	3.08	2.37	8.74	84
South Dakota	3.02	2.54	8.85	92
Tennessee	3.53	2.75	10.40	118
Texas	3.49	2.65	9.82	101
Utah	3.53	2.59	9.83	71
Vermont	3.40	2.40	9.55	40
Virginia	3.58	2.83	10.51	113
Washington	3.50	2.62	9.67	115
West Virginia	3.63	2.60	9.89	65
Wisconsin	3.25	2.55	9.13	119
Wyoming	3.34	2.39	8.67	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.45	2.66	9.88	UNWEIGHTED
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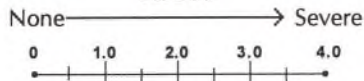
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9. Perform a regional physical examination to further define the nature of the patient's presenting complaint, or to determine what, if any, further testing procedures may be indicated.

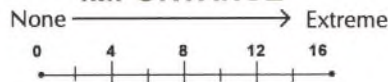
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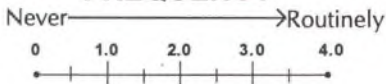


STATE	PHYSICAL EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.27	2.49	8.93	102
Alaska	3.48	2.85	10.42	50
Arizona	3.33	2.60	9.22	102
Arkansas	3.51	2.67	9.90	90
California	3.59	2.64	10.10	223
Colorado	3.73	2.80	11.06	109
Connecticut	3.67	3.07	11.85	103
Delaware	3.30	2.61	9.48	33
D.C.	3.38	3.00	10.25	8
Florida	3.61	2.79	10.60	143
Georgia	3.21	2.62	9.39	84
Hawaii	3.63	2.99	11.23	71
Idaho	3.59	2.73	10.27	90
Illinois	3.64	3.04	11.54	112
Indiana	3.25	2.63	9.46	111
Iowa	3.52	2.69	9.87	71
Kansas	3.26	2.53	9.07	96
Kentucky	3.36	2.52	9.29	82
Louisiana	3.52	2.58	9.81	89
Maine	3.30	2.92	10.65	60
Maryland	3.53	3.02	11.29	91
Massachusetts	3.56	2.92	10.96	127
Michigan	3.19	2.37	8.47	111
Minnesota	3.50	2.73	10.04	123
Mississippi	3.29	2.18	7.93	72
Missouri	3.42	2.75	9.93	103
Montana	3.59	2.95	11.12	78
Nebraska	3.49	2.92	10.70	101
Nevada	3.55	2.76	10.09	82
New Hampshire	3.42	2.85	10.68	76
New Jersey	3.43	2.83	10.44	119
New Mexico	3.49	2.89	11.16	87
New York	3.59	2.86	10.63	144
North Carolina	3.61	2.91	11.08	114
North Dakota	3.26	2.38	8.42	79
Ohio	3.52	2.87	10.86	117
Oklahoma	3.48	2.57	9.66	73
Oregon	3.69	2.80	10.72	107
Pennsylvania	3.38	2.87	10.31	102
Rhode Island	3.60	3.04	11.51	49
South Carolina	3.06	2.44	8.87	86
South Dakota	3.22	2.73	9.77	93
Tennessee	3.56	2.73	10.23	119
Texas	3.54	2.80	10.89	99
Utah	3.49	2.52	9.61	71
Vermont	3.26	2.45	9.15	41
Virginia	3.69	2.98	11.49	112
Washington	3.21	2.53	8.82	117
West Virginia	3.63	2.62	9.86	64
Wisconsin	3.33	2.62	9.39	119
Wyoming	3.32	2.36	8.76	42
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.47	2.73	10.15	UNWEIGHTED
	3.49	2.74	10.06	WEIGHTED

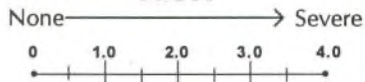
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10. Update certain physical examination procedures periodically or when patient's condition changes.

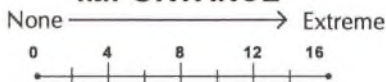
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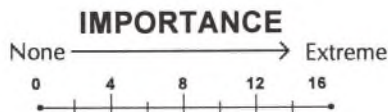
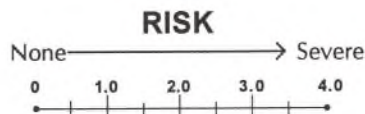
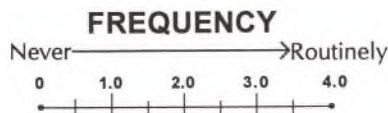


STATE	PHYSICAL EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.46	2.46	8.91	102
Alaska	3.54	2.58	10.00	49
Arizona	3.36	2.50	8.98	102
Arkansas	3.51	2.56	9.60	89
California	3.58	2.46	9.32	224
Colorado	3.54	2.60	9.67	110
Connecticut	3.60	2.86	10.90	103
Delaware	3.39	2.52	9.36	33
D.C.	3.38	2.75	9.75	8
Florida	3.58	2.65	9.91	141
Georgia	3.43	2.48	9.13	86
Hawaii	3.56	2.72	10.47	68
Idaho	3.59	2.57	9.59	90
Illinois	3.63	2.79	10.46	111
Indiana	3.24	2.57	9.25	110
Iowa	3.44	2.38	8.80	70
Kansas	3.33	2.42	8.66	95
Kentucky	3.49	2.41	9.11	82
Louisiana	3.59	2.47	9.28	90
Maine	3.38	2.85	10.57	60
Maryland	3.49	2.80	10.24	91
Massachusetts	3.56	2.73	10.24	127
Michigan	3.23	2.20	8.02	109
Minnesota	3.42	2.55	9.25	123
Mississippi	3.44	2.23	8.52	71
Missouri	3.50	2.57	9.29	104
Montana	3.49	2.64	9.55	78
Nebraska	3.25	2.70	9.26	101
Nevada	3.46	2.59	9.24	82
New Hampshire	3.37	2.78	10.45	75
New Jersey	3.43	2.61	9.74	118
New Mexico	3.42	2.66	10.08	87
New York	3.42	2.68	9.62	143
North Carolina	3.51	2.73	10.06	114
North Dakota	3.09	2.19	7.14	78
Ohio	3.48	2.66	9.96	117
Oklahoma	3.36	2.29	8.45	73
Oregon	3.44	2.57	9.31	107
Pennsylvania	3.38	2.73	9.93	100
Rhode Island	3.62	2.88	10.64	50
South Carolina	3.04	2.29	8.39	83
South Dakota	3.18	2.60	9.11	93
Tennessee	3.50	2.62	9.51	120
Texas	3.58	2.58	10.06	98
Utah	3.37	2.41	8.77	71
Vermont	3.38	2.38	8.85	41
Virginia	3.62	2.71	10.21	112
Washington	3.36	2.43	8.82	116
West Virginia	3.51	2.58	9.40	65
Wisconsin	3.32	2.51	9.02	119
Wyoming	3.27	2.14	7.53	43
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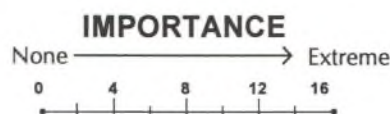
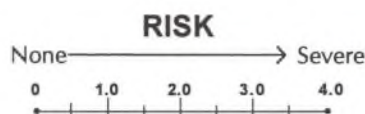
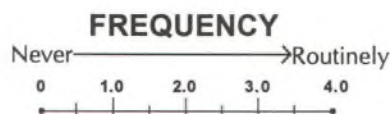
11. Perform a general orthopedic and/or neurological examination on a new patient.



STATE	NMS EXAMINATION			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.50	2.52	9.43	103
Alaska	3.83	2.96	11.63	51
Arizona	3.56	2.52	9.62	102
Arkansas	3.68	2.66	10.19	90
California	3.73	2.72	10.61	224
Colorado	3.72	2.77	10.77	111
Connecticut	3.85	3.09	12.32	104
Delaware	3.52	2.76	10.39	33
D.C.	3.88	3.00	11.75	8
Florida	3.83	2.87	11.34	143
Georgia	3.77	2.91	11.33	86
Hawaii	3.68	2.96	11.33	70
Idaho	3.62	2.72	10.02	90
Illinois	3.79	2.88	11.11	112
Indiana	3.56	2.71	10.43	110
Iowa	3.42	2.66	9.85	71
Kansas	3.67	2.68	10.42	95
Kentucky	3.65	2.80	10.93	84
Louisiana	3.68	2.62	10.45	87
Maine	3.75	3.18	12.62	60
Maryland	3.76	3.02	11.63	92
Massachusetts	3.80	2.91	11.40	128
Michigan	3.67	2.53	9.67	115
Minnesota	3.68	2.73	10.41	124
Mississippi	3.41	2.36	8.82	71
Missouri	3.62	2.63	9.79	104
Montana	3.50	2.79	10.64	77
Nebraska	3.73	2.93	11.46	101
Nevada	3.78	2.71	10.40	82
New Hampshire	3.49	2.65	9.99	76
New Jersey	3.78	2.87	11.29	119
New Mexico	3.37	2.77	10.16	90
New York	3.76	2.80	10.90	142
North Carolina	3.80	2.88	11.33	114
North Dakota	3.69	2.63	10.00	80
Ohio	3.73	2.86	11.23	120
Oklahoma	3.74	2.67	10.55	73
Oregon	3.69	2.83	10.83	108
Pennsylvania	3.49	2.80	10.35	102
Rhode Island	3.76	3.00	11.70	50
South Carolina	3.20	2.35	8.84	88
South Dakota	3.33	2.59	9.54	92
Tennessee	3.81	2.95	11.47	120
Texas	3.63	2.88	11.23	100
Utah	3.74	2.60	10.49	68
Vermont	3.36	2.31	9.00	41
Virginia	3.88	3.04	11.92	112
Washington	3.74	2.62	10.21	116
West Virginia	3.78	2.80	11.17	64
Wisconsin	3.55	2.67	9.90	121
Wyoming	3.55	2.45	9.07	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.67	2.76	10.65	UNWEIGHTED
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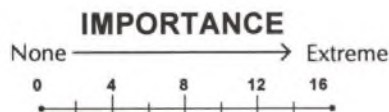
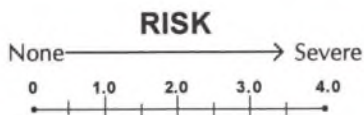
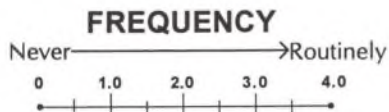
12. Perform a focused orthopedic and/or neurological examination based on the findings from the orthopedic and/or neurological survey.



STATE	NMS EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.13	2.46	8.55	101
Alaska	3.48	2.85	10.31	51
Arizona	3.09	2.33	7.96	102
Arkansas	3.16	2.46	8.56	90
California	3.34	2.61	9.31	225
Colorado	3.48	2.70	10.05	110
Connecticut	3.40	2.94	10.75	104
Delaware	3.18	2.42	8.47	32
D.C.	3.25	2.88	9.38	8
Florida	3.38	2.60	9.51	142
Georgia	3.09	2.55	8.64	86
Hawaii	3.28	2.79	9.76	71
Idaho	3.11	2.49	8.55	88
Illinois	3.38	2.77	10.06	110
Indiana	3.12	2.57	8.93	111
Iowa	3.20	2.55	8.89	70
Kansas	2.99	2.42	8.20	94
Kentucky	3.13	2.50	8.82	84
Louisiana	3.16	2.49	8.90	88
Maine	3.28	2.90	10.20	61
Maryland	3.36	2.88	10.40	91
Massachusetts	3.46	2.84	10.32	128
Michigan	3.00	2.34	7.84	115
Minnesota	3.25	2.63	9.36	122
Mississippi	2.84	2.03	7.06	69
Missouri	3.24	2.62	9.03	103
Montana	3.13	2.40	8.33	76
Nebraska	3.17	2.66	9.20	101
Nevada	3.35	2.70	9.46	81
New Hampshire	3.17	2.54	9.39	74
New Jersey	3.28	2.66	9.65	119
New Mexico	3.03	2.73	9.06	90
New York	3.36	2.72	9.62	142
North Carolina	3.58	2.80	10.50	115
North Dakota	3.04	2.34	7.61	80
Ohio	3.36	2.82	10.08	120
Oklahoma	3.21	2.49	8.60	73
Oregon	3.30	2.79	9.71	108
Pennsylvania	3.12	2.70	9.44	101
Rhode Island	3.46	2.90	10.68	50
South Carolina	2.89	2.38	8.24	89
South Dakota	3.07	2.61	8.90	93
Tennessee	3.34	2.65	9.27	120
Texas	3.26	2.63	9.70	99
Utah	3.32	2.46	8.86	70
Vermont	2.88	2.21	7.71	41
Virginia	3.55	2.92	10.79	112
Washington	3.03	2.35	7.97	116
West Virginia	3.23	2.62	9.37	63
Wisconsin	3.18	2.63	9.12	120
Wyoming	3.25	2.45	8.66	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.23	2.61	9.23	UNWEIGHTED
	3.26	2.62	9.18	WEIGHTED

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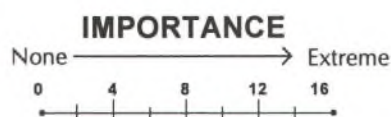
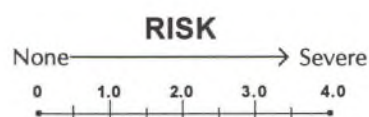
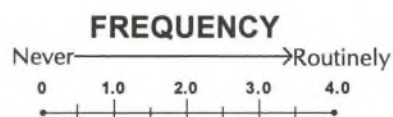
13. Determine the nature of a patient's condition using information from the orthopedic and/or neurological examination.



STATE	NMS EXAMINATION(Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.22	2.50	8.78	101
Alaska	3.69	2.88	11.04	51
Arizona	3.29	2.44	8.81	101
Arkansas	3.30	2.55	8.97	90
California	3.63	2.72	10.55	222
Colorado	3.56	2.70	10.10	111
Connecticut	3.49	2.74	10.40	103
Delaware	3.27	2.58	9.30	33
D.C.	3.38	2.63	9.63	8
Florida	3.47	2.68	9.93	142
Georgia	3.40	2.57	9.49	85
Hawaii	3.31	2.75	9.97	70
Idaho	3.58	2.71	10.24	88
Illinois	3.71	2.86	10.88	112
Indiana	3.32	2.48	9.25	108
Iowa	3.35	2.42	8.65	71
Kansas	3.42	2.48	9.19	95
Kentucky	3.44	2.63	9.60	85
Louisiana	3.35	2.48	9.34	87
Maine	3.44	2.87	10.92	60
Maryland	3.49	2.87	10.68	90
Massachusetts	3.50	2.76	10.52	125
Michigan	3.23	2.40	8.92	110
Minnesota	3.52	2.71	10.16	122
Mississippi	3.00	2.21	7.66	71
Missouri	3.47	2.61	9.43	104
Montana	3.53	2.68	10.25	77
Nebraska	3.45	2.70	10.10	100
Nevada	3.60	2.70	10.06	81
New Hampshire	3.28	2.58	9.96	74
New Jersey	3.48	2.73	10.19	119
New Mexico	3.23	2.62	9.25	89
New York	3.47	2.69	9.80	141
North Carolina	3.61	2.83	10.59	115
North Dakota	3.51	2.54	9.20	80
Ohio	3.52	2.74	10.31	118
Oklahoma	3.50	2.49	9.24	74
Oregon	3.61	2.80	10.40	108
Pennsylvania	3.35	2.66	9.65	100
Rhode Island	3.50	3.02	11.65	48
South Carolina	2.81	2.17	7.76	85
South Dakota	3.32	2.77	9.94	93
Tennessee	3.65	2.73	10.28	120
Texas	3.46	2.63	10.00	99
Utah	3.60	2.58	9.93	70
Vermont	3.14	2.31	8.51	41
Virginia	3.72	3.02	11.54	112
Washington	3.27	2.47	8.64	116
West Virginia	3.51	2.78	10.25	64
Wisconsin	3.31	2.68	9.58	119
Wyoming	3.41	2.41	8.57	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.44	2.65	9.82	UNWEIGHTED
	3.47	2.66	9.71	WEIGHTED

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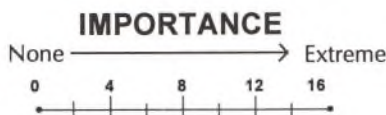
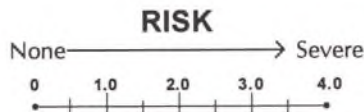
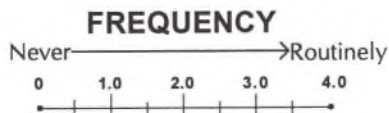
14. Determine what additional laboratory, X-ray, special study, and/or referral may be indicated using information from the orthopedic and/or neurological examination.



STATE	NMS EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.34	2.59	9.33	101
Alaska	3.83	3.10	12.20	51
Arizona	3.36	2.68	9.76	101
Arkansas	3.42	2.68	9.87	89
California	3.62	2.85	11.01	224
Colorado	3.60	2.84	10.94	110
Connecticut	3.72	3.05	11.67	105
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D.C.	3.75	2.75	10.50	8
Florida	3.58	2.83	10.69	142
Georgia	3.33	2.69	9.84	85
Hawaii	3.49	2.92	10.96	70
Idaho	3.67	2.79	10.84	88
Illinois	3.72	2.96	11.41	111
Indiana	3.46	2.76	10.07	112
Iowa	3.44	2.66	9.77	70
Kansas	3.56	2.72	10.43	95
Kentucky	3.58	2.70	10.25	85
Louisiana	3.40	2.68	9.83	89
Maine	3.52	3.02	11.59	59
Maryland	3.61	2.98	11.16	92
Massachusetts	3.62	2.93	11.18	127
Michigan	3.41	2.61	9.52	114
Minnesota	3.58	2.80	10.64	122
Mississippi	3.40	2.32	8.68	71
Missouri	3.48	2.81	10.25	103
Montana	3.62	2.96	11.04	78
Nebraska	3.48	2.91	10.50	102
Nevada	3.51	2.73	10.02	82
New Hampshire	3.40	2.81	10.68	75
New Jersey	3.64	2.98	11.44	118
New Mexico	3.42	2.90	11.03	88
New York	3.57	2.87	10.81	140
North Carolina	3.76	3.03	11.86	114
North Dakota	3.46	2.63	9.33	80
Ohio	3.65	3.01	11.33	120
Oklahoma	3.45	2.55	9.82	72
Oregon	3.64	2.98	11.40	107
Pennsylvania	3.45	2.85	10.94	98
Rhode Island	3.66	3.30	12.88	49
South Carolina	3.06	2.57	9.35	88
South Dakota	3.49	2.88	10.80	93
Tennessee	3.68	2.81	10.76	119
Texas	3.50	2.87	11.00	100
Utah	3.71	2.69	11.01	68
Vermont	3.17	2.36	9.05	41
Virginia	3.72	2.96	11.29	112
Washington	3.38	2.66	9.79	114
West Virginia	3.57	2.65	10.14	63
Wisconsin	3.41	2.83	10.40	120
Wyoming	3.57	2.64	9.84	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.53	2.81	10.61	UNWEIGHTED
	3.54	2.83	10.52	WEIGHTED

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15. Update appropriate orthopedic and/or neurological tests periodically or as patient's condition changes.

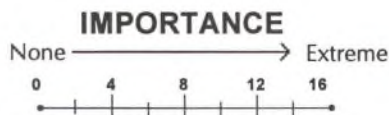
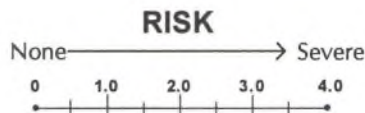
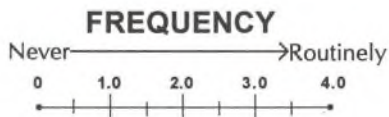


STATE	NMS EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.33	2.36	8.53	100
Alaska	3.67	2.75	10.74	50
Arizona	3.29	2.35	8.48	101
Arkansas	3.34	2.44	8.74	90
California	3.48	2.49	9.52	221
Colorado	3.58	2.48	9.25	111
Connecticut	3.45	2.54	9.86	100
Delaware	3.33	2.61	9.55	33
D.C.	3.38	2.25	7.50	8
Florida	3.47	2.53	9.46	142
Georgia	3.35	2.49	9.01	86
Hawaii	3.41	2.59	9.81	68
Idaho	3.40	2.49	9.21	87
Illinois	3.54	2.66	10.03	110
Indiana	3.24	2.43	8.68	111
Iowa	3.28	2.38	8.47	70
Kansas	3.26	2.34	8.36	95
Kentucky	3.35	2.49	9.25	84
Louisiana	3.34	2.38	9.02	87
Maine	3.43	2.85	10.33	61
Maryland	3.46	2.73	10.02	91
Massachusetts	3.59	2.66	9.83	128
Michigan	3.22	2.17	7.46	114
Minnesota	3.35	2.46	9.14	119
Mississippi	3.16	1.97	7.45	69
Missouri	3.35	2.44	8.89	101
Montana	3.33	2.56	8.96	77
Nebraska	3.20	2.39	8.63	98
Nevada	3.41	2.46	8.80	82
New Hampshire	3.33	2.51	9.24	76
New Jersey	3.43	2.56	9.63	117
New Mexico	3.15	2.59	9.13	88
New York	3.38	2.67	9.51	142
North Carolina	3.56	2.69	10.06	114
North Dakota	3.16	2.26	7.31	80
Ohio	3.41	2.60	9.56	117
Oklahoma	3.32	2.22	8.46	71
Oregon	3.41	2.53	9.25	106
Pennsylvania	3.44	2.50	9.39	99
Rhode Island	3.54	2.92	11.14	49
South Carolina	2.88	2.18	7.97	86
South Dakota	3.19	2.56	9.04	92
Tennessee	3.44	2.49	9.33	116
Texas	3.41	2.59	9.75	99
Utah	3.47	2.43	9.13	69
Vermont	3.17	2.12	7.93	41
Virginia	3.61	2.68	9.96	112
Washington	3.32	2.37	8.50	115
West Virginia	3.35	2.49	8.83	64
Wisconsin	3.20	2.46	8.70	118
Wyoming	3.41	2.25	8.11	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.37	2.49	9.13	UNWEIGHTED
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X-RAY EXAMINATION

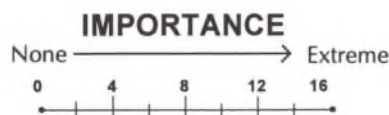
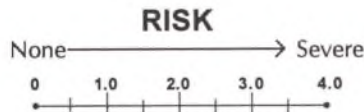
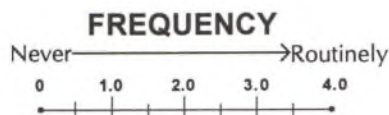
16. Perform an X-ray examination on new patients, and develop X-rays, either manually or with automatic processor.



STATE	X-RAY EXAMINATION			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.65	2.98	11.47	102
Alaska	3.48	3.02	11.28	50
Arizona	3.53	2.91	10.71	102
Arkansas	3.70	2.89	11.12	90
California	3.17	2.68	9.21	227
Colorado	3.05	2.79	9.03	112
Connecticut	3.27	2.94	10.46	106
Delaware	3.36	2.82	10.39	33
D.C.	3.00	2.75	8.75	8
Florida	3.49	2.93	10.64	144
Georgia	3.80	3.20	12.36	86
Hawaii	2.38	2.54	7.22	68
Idaho	3.30	2.61	9.24	89
Illinois	3.47	2.88	10.33	112
Indiana	3.41	2.86	10.65	110
Iowa	3.17	2.76	9.39	71
Kansas	3.27	2.72	9.54	95
Kentucky	3.34	2.60	9.75	84
Louisiana	3.71	2.89	11.28	88
Maine	3.30	3.08	11.03	61
Maryland	3.07	2.72	9.66	89
Massachusetts	3.33	2.96	10.60	127
Michigan	3.67	2.83	10.65	115
Minnesota	3.23	2.83	9.62	125
Mississippi	3.71	2.71	10.64	72
Missouri	3.23	2.64	9.38	102
Montana	3.24	2.92	10.27	77
Nebraska	3.50	3.06	11.05	102
Nevada	3.38	2.67	9.50	82
New Hampshire	3.19	2.77	9.69	77
New Jersey	3.63	3.15	11.86	118
New Mexico	3.03	2.77	9.79	87
New York	2.84	2.62	8.68	142
North Carolina	3.61	3.05	11.74	114
North Dakota	3.13	2.60	8.68	80
Ohio	3.38	2.87	10.69	118
Oklahoma	3.36	2.84	10.57	72
Oregon	2.62	2.58	7.87	106
Pennsylvania	3.04	2.89	9.93	101
Rhode Island	2.70	2.64	8.48	50
South Carolina	3.79	3.08	11.97	88
South Dakota	2.99	2.74	8.81	94
Tennessee	3.79	3.13	12.13	120
Texas	3.51	3.03	11.30	101
Utah	3.31	2.71	9.76	70
Vermont	2.69	2.52	8.17	42
Virginia	3.33	2.91	10.56	112
Washington	3.42	2.68	9.78	116
West Virginia	3.42	2.82	10.18	65
Wisconsin	3.50	3.06	11.13	120
Wyoming	3.73	2.32	8.00	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.32	2.84	10.18	UNWEIGHTED
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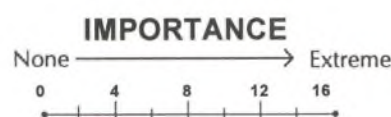
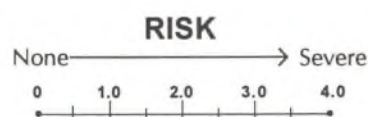
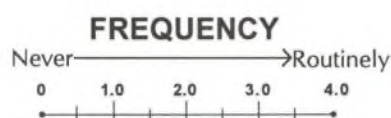
17. Determine the presence of pathology, fracture, dislocations or other significant findings using information from an X-ray examination.



STATE	X-RAY EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.74	3.21	12.65	102
Alaska	3.85	3.44	13.92	50
Arizona	3.72	3.13	12.29	100
Arkansas	3.68	3.16	12.14	90
California	3.73	3.25	12.59	226
Colorado	3.63	3.34	12.41	112
Connecticut	3.73	3.29	12.75	103
Delaware	3.85	3.18	13.03	32
D.C.	3.13	3.50	11.00	8
Florida	3.78	3.40	13.03	144
Georgia	3.91	3.48	13.62	86
Hawaii	3.42	3.21	11.61	71
Idaho	3.62	3.13	11.84	89
Illinois	3.79	3.25	12.54	111
Indiana	3.63	3.20	12.15	110
Iowa	3.52	3.25	11.97	71
Kansas	3.63	3.16	11.98	95
Kentucky	3.50	2.90	11.13	84
Louisiana	3.74	3.20	12.48	89
Maine	3.62	3.43	12.90	61
Maryland	3.70	3.33	13.15	89
Massachusetts	3.72	3.43	13.27	126
Michigan	3.64	3.06	11.82	113
Minnesota	3.66	3.34	12.53	124
Mississippi	3.71	2.82	11.23	71
Missouri	3.54	3.17	11.94	102
Montana	3.72	3.45	13.26	77
Nebraska	3.64	3.35	12.70	101
Nevada	3.72	3.11	12.62	77
New Hampshire	3.54	3.28	13.18	74
New Jersey	3.72	3.48	13.28	119
New Mexico	3.50	3.28	12.36	90
New York	3.45	3.24	12.17	140
North Carolina	3.76	3.46	13.35	115
North Dakota	3.51	3.04	11.10	80
Ohio	3.74	3.46	13.33	120
Oklahoma	3.61	3.29	12.68	74
Oregon	3.48	3.25	11.75	108
Pennsylvania	3.59	3.45	12.83	101
Rhode Island	3.64	3.44	12.74	50
South Carolina	3.80	3.30	12.88	88
South Dakota	3.61	3.32	12.38	94
Tennessee	3.80	3.49	13.50	120
Texas	3.71	3.28	12.83	101
Utah	3.61	3.04	11.72	69
Vermont	3.36	3.00	11.10	41
Virginia	3.56	3.37	12.68	111
Washington	3.67	3.29	12.51	116
West Virginia	3.58	3.26	12.03	65
Wisconsin	3.75	3.34	13.00	119
Wyoming	3.25	2.84	10.05	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.66	3.27	12.52	UNWEIGHTED
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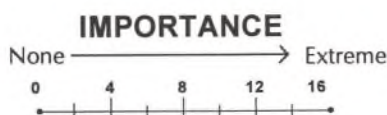
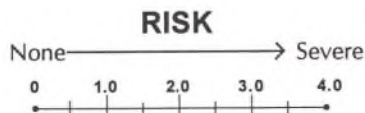
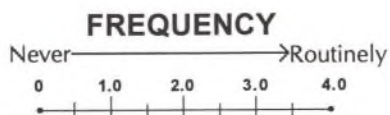
18. Determine areas of instability or dynamic joint dysfunction using information from a stress X-ray.



STATE	X-RAY EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	2.58	2.25	6.79	102
Alaska	2.40	2.17	6.46	50
Arizona	2.48	2.07	6.36	102
Arkansas	2.41	2.13	5.93	90
California	2.09	1.93	5.19	221
Colorado	2.61	2.32	6.50	111
Connecticut	2.11	1.94	5.26	104
Delaware	2.36	1.88	5.87	30
D.C.	1.88	1.50	3.38	8
Florida	2.45	2.17	6.46	143
Georgia	2.73	2.15	6.91	85
Hawaii	2.25	1.99	5.29	70
Idaho	2.13	1.96	5.19	89
Illinois	2.18	2.11	5.05	112
Indiana	2.43	2.22	6.44	110
Iowa	1.87	1.77	4.54	71
Kansas	2.11	1.99	5.63	92
Kentucky	2.44	2.08	6.07	85
Louisiana	2.49	1.99	6.14	87
Maine	2.48	2.20	6.43	61
Maryland	1.96	1.91	4.75	89
Massachusetts	2.30	2.05	5.37	127
Michigan	2.20	1.97	5.45	114
Minnesota	2.10	1.94	4.86	125
Mississippi	2.70	2.23	7.62	71
Missouri	2.15	2.04	5.50	100
Montana	1.94	2.06	5.04	76
Nebraska	2.16	2.10	5.54	101
Nevada	2.28	1.95	5.50	80
New Hampshire	2.41	2.17	6.51	77
New Jersey	2.40	2.06	6.20	119
New Mexico	2.28	2.25	6.75	89
New York	2.08	1.82	4.97	140
North Carolina	2.57	2.26	7.06	113
North Dakota	1.78	1.84	4.14	80
Ohio	2.46	2.31	6.82	119
Oklahoma	2.42	2.05	6.48	69
Oregon	1.72	1.73	3.61	108
Pennsylvania	2.36	2.20	6.16	102
Rhode Island	2.18	1.78	4.76	50
South Carolina	2.40	2.21	6.92	86
South Dakota	2.10	2.14	5.74	93
Tennessee	2.48	2.10	6.31	119
Texas	2.44	2.22	6.80	99
Utah	2.39	2.06	5.86	69
Vermont	1.95	1.86	4.80	41
Virginia	2.38	2.11	5.84	111
Washington	2.38	2.21	6.12	115
West Virginia	2.51	2.15	6.17	65
Wisconsin	2.04	2.02	4.90	120
Wyoming	2.16	1.77	4.98	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	2.28	2.06	5.79	UNWEIGHTED
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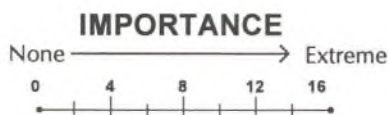
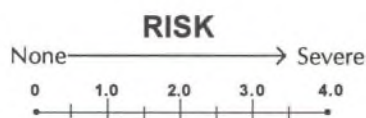
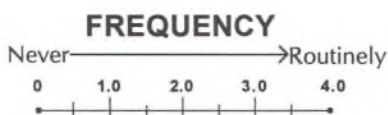
19. Determine the possible presence of a subluxation or a spinal listing using findings from an X-ray examination.



STATE	X-RAY EXAMINATION (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.33	2.35	8.72	102
Alaska	3.17	2.08	7.72	50
Arizona	3.31	2.16	8.15	101
Arkansas	3.10	2.04	7.13	90
California	2.76	1.83	5.91	226
Colorado	2.76	1.88	6.10	112
Connecticut	2.29	1.49	4.84	104
Delaware	3.30	2.00	7.53	32
D.C.	3.25	2.38	8.75	8
Florida	3.30	2.02	7.35	143
Georgia	3.44	2.36	8.81	85
Hawaii	2.82	1.85	6.08	71
Idaho	2.77	1.63	5.40	89
Illinois	3.07	2.00	6.79	112
Indiana	3.05	2.07	7.31	110
Iowa	2.85	1.96	6.66	71
Kansas	3.06	2.04	7.28	94
Kentucky	3.37	2.30	8.49	85
Louisiana	3.19	1.99	7.27	88
Maine	2.95	2.30	8.10	61
Maryland	2.64	1.54	5.07	91
Massachusetts	2.83	1.85	6.22	127
Michigan	3.32	2.19	8.12	112
Minnesota	2.95	1.95	6.82	123
Mississippi	3.41	2.23	8.51	71
Missouri	2.85	1.95	6.93	99
Montana	2.63	1.73	5.52	77
Nebraska	3.33	2.38	8.61	102
Nevada	2.90	1.77	6.46	79
New Hampshire	2.74	2.01	6.96	75
New Jersey	3.24	2.20	7.99	118
New Mexico	2.91	2.10	7.32	90
New York	2.77	1.84	6.18	141
North Carolina	3.25	2.29	8.46	113
North Dakota	2.79	1.75	5.67	79
Ohio	3.01	2.05	7.28	120
Oklahoma	3.04	2.04	7.37	70
Oregon	2.35	1.59	4.94	108
Pennsylvania	3.11	2.20	7.69	102
Rhode Island	2.70	1.78	5.82	50
South Carolina	3.39	2.56	9.80	86
South Dakota	3.04	1.96	6.54	94
Tennessee	3.38	2.22	8.17	120
Texas	2.98	2.08	7.37	100
Utah	2.88	1.82	6.25	69
Vermont	2.33	1.64	4.93	42
Virginia	2.89	1.77	5.91	112
Washington	3.21	2.06	7.32	117
West Virginia	3.23	2.03	7.20	65
Wisconsin	3.31	2.17	8.04	120
Wyoming	2.75	1.91	6.39	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.01	2.00	7.03	UNWEIGHTED
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X-RAY EXAMINATION

20. Update the X-ray examination or perform new X-rays on a patient whose condition has changed or who has a new condition.



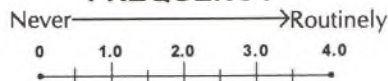
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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.17	2.65	8.98	102
Alaska	3.08	2.56	8.84	50
Arizona	3.22	2.60	8.92	102
Arkansas	3.07	2.46	8.17	90
California	2.78	2.28	7.33	223
Colorado	2.88	2.61	8.14	110
Connecticut	2.80	2.52	8.08	104
Delaware	3.27	2.52	8.52	33
D.C.	2.75	2.50	7.38	8
Florida	3.18	2.49	8.49	141
Georgia	3.31	2.81	9.98	86
Hawaii	2.70	2.24	7.01	70
Idaho	2.80	2.34	7.57	88
Illinois	2.93	2.49	8.07	111
Indiana	3.04	2.53	8.62	109
Iowa	2.69	2.38	7.15	71
Kansas	2.71	2.36	7.33	94
Kentucky	3.14	2.49	8.87	83
Louisiana	3.27	2.52	9.00	88
Maine	3.05	2.80	9.28	61
Maryland	2.67	2.41	7.36	90
Massachusetts	2.83	2.45	7.86	124
Michigan	3.13	2.61	8.69	115
Minnesota	2.78	2.45	7.52	124
Mississippi	3.32	2.42	8.89	71
Missouri	2.81	2.42	7.96	100
Montana	2.53	2.32	6.84	76
Nebraska	3.02	2.59	8.53	101
Nevada	2.94	2.35	7.57	81
New Hampshire	2.88	2.35	7.79	75
New Jersey	3.19	2.70	9.33	118
New Mexico	2.82	2.53	8.12	90
New York	2.62	2.30	7.07	140
North Carolina	3.20	2.69	9.55	113
North Dakota	2.54	2.24	6.10	80
Ohio	3.05	2.58	8.63	120
Oklahoma	3.03	2.25	7.77	71
Oregon	2.39	2.13	6.17	106
Pennsylvania	2.83	2.59	8.25	101
Rhode Island	2.84	2.62	8.51	49
South Carolina	3.33	2.76	9.83	88
South Dakota	2.65	2.36	7.00	93
Tennessee	3.24	2.65	9.08	119
Texas	3.12	2.70	9.27	101
Utah	2.89	2.36	7.36	70
Vermont	2.64	2.24	6.83	42
Virginia	2.83	2.46	7.71	112
Washington	2.97	2.43	7.83	115
West Virginia	3.03	2.42	7.71	65
Wisconsin	3.01	2.43	7.78	120
Wyoming	2.73	2.18	7.50	42
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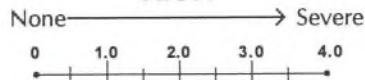
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21. Draw blood, collect urine, or perform laboratory or other specialized procedures in your office.

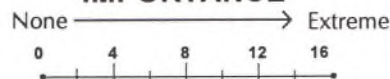
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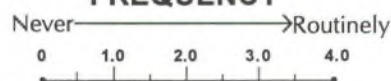


STATE	LABORATORY AND SPECIAL STUDIES			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	1.12	1.50	2.47	102
Alaska	.27	1.38	.43	51
Arizona	.47	.98	1.02	101
Arkansas	1.22	1.74	3.15	88
California	.55	1.23	1.17	226
Colorado	.86	1.58	2.00	111
Connecticut	.64	1.13	1.41	103
Delaware	.64	1.00	1.66	32
D.C.	0	1.00	0	8
Florida	.99	1.60	2.45	143
Georgia	.64	1.24	1.47	86
Hawaii	.15	1.11	.21	70
Idaho	1.09	1.52	2.18	90
Illinois	1.50	1.83	3.82	111
Indiana	1.05	1.46	2.37	110
Iowa	.92	1.44	2.03	71
Kansas	.69	1.43	1.71	96
Kentucky	.69	1.12	1.42	83
Louisiana	.58	1.26	1.16	90
Maine	.64	1.13	1.59	61
Maryland	.64	1.37	1.43	92
Massachusetts	.27	1.05	.59	127
Michigan	.10	1.05	.14	114
Minnesota	.74	1.44	1.61	122
Mississippi	.58	1.49	1.18	73
Missouri	1.26	1.53	2.95	104
Montana	.62	1.32	1.38	78
Nebraska	.48	1.67	1.08	100
Nevada	.62	1.24	1.37	81
New Hampshire	.41	.99	.82	78
New Jersey	.15	1.14	.36	120
New Mexico	.74	1.24	2.03	89
New York	.16	.95	.27	142
North Carolina	1.34	1.46	2.86	112
North Dakota	.55	1.75	1.39	80
Ohio	1.13	1.75	2.83	120
Oklahoma	1.30	1.74	3.18	72
Oregon	.83	1.38	1.71	108
Pennsylvania	.22	.90	.38	101
Rhode Island	.40	1.02	.67	49
South Carolina	.25	.87	.40	89
South Dakota	.71	1.43	1.67	92
Tennessee	.11	1.40	.21	119
Texas	.59	1.21	1.39	103
Utah	1.07	1.56	2.58	71
Vermont	.64	1.05	1.50	42
Virginia	1.11	1.47	2.45	111
Washington	.14	.98	.16	116
West Virginia	.92	1.40	1.88	65
Wisconsin	.83	1.42	1.80	119
Wyoming	.36	1.07	.84	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	.68	1.33	1.54	UNWEIGHTED
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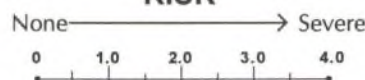
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22. Order laboratory tests from hospital or private laboratory.

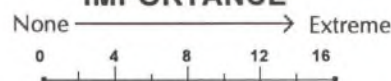
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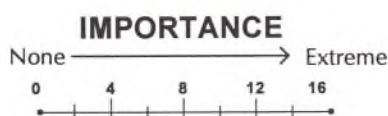
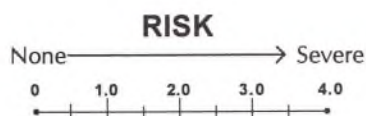
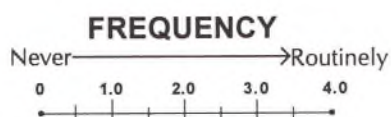
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STATE	LAB AND SPECIAL STUDIES (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	1.40	1.71	3.29	101
Alaska	1.31	1.94	3.26	46
Arizona	1.39	1.65	3.15	102
Arkansas	1.47	1.82	3.32	88
California	1.59	1.91	3.58	225
Colorado	1.54	1.79	3.40	110
Connecticut	2.25	2.39	5.67	104
Delaware	1.88	1.88	4.38	32
D.C.	1.25	1.88	3.25	8
Florida	1.88	1.92	4.03	142
Georgia	.83	1.31	1.95	84
Hawaii	1.21	1.62	2.61	70
Idaho	1.60	1.80	3.21	90
Illinois	1.91	2.14	4.48	111
Indiana	1.40	1.78	3.18	111
Iowa	1.34	1.56	2.83	71
Kansas	1.39	1.66	2.88	95
Kentucky	1.38	1.59	2.96	84
Louisiana	1.01	1.42	1.91	90
Maine	1.36	2.02	3.58	60
Maryland	1.79	1.97	4.07	89
Massachusetts	1.64	1.99	3.90	126
Michigan	.53	1.30	1.05	113
Minnesota	1.28	1.71	2.83	123
Mississippi	.68	1.32	1.20	71
Missouri	1.62	1.81	3.73	102
Montana	1.13	1.74	2.90	77
Nebraska	.76	1.55	1.55	100
Nevada	1.88	1.84	3.70	82
New Hampshire	1.37	1.74	2.96	76
New Jersey	1.89	2.13	5.12	119
New Mexico	1.48	1.71	3.33	87
New York	1.83	1.99	4.25	140
North Carolina	1.49	1.69	3.07	115
North Dakota	1.11	1.83	2.43	79
Ohio	1.80	2.08	4.43	119
Oklahoma	1.87	1.76	4.21	71
Oregon	1.45	1.88	3.32	108
Pennsylvania	1.44	1.73	2.30	101
Rhode Island	2.44	2.22	5.96	49
South Carolina	.70	1.18	1.44	88
South Dakota	1.26	1.84	2.86	91
Tennessee	.68	1.58	1.50	119
Texas	1.40	1.73	3.22	101
Utah	1.64	1.99	3.72	71
Vermont	1.36	1.43	2.68	41
Virginia	1.62	1.93	3.57	110
Washington	.63	1.23	1.15	116
West Virginia	2.12	1.92	4.52	65
Wisconsin	1.08	1.76	2.43	120
Wyoming	1.11	1.48	2.27	44
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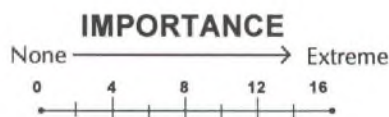
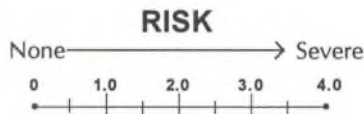
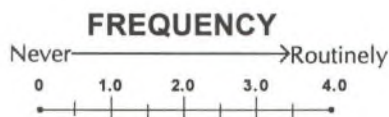
23. Refer patients for MRI, CT scan, EKG or other specialized procedure.



STATE	LAB AND SPECIAL STUDIES (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	1.83	2.36	4.85	102
Alaska	1.92	2.54	5.85	48
Arizona	1.84	2.52	5.09	102
Arkansas	1.81	2.46	4.94	89
California	2.08	2.45	5.61	224
Colorado	2.08	2.38	5.59	110
Connecticut	2.34	2.68	6.60	103
Delaware	2.45	2.33	6.09	32
D.C.	2.63	2.50	7.00	8
Florida	2.24	2.43	5.63	140
Georgia	1.95	2.59	5.57	86
Hawaii	2.54	2.63	7.24	70
Idaho	1.80	2.43	4.51	90
Illinois	2.16	2.54	6.05	110
Indiana	1.74	2.30	4.56	110
Iowa	1.65	2.15	4.24	71
Kansas	1.75	2.24	4.48	95
Kentucky	2.12	2.41	5.46	85
Louisiana	1.67	2.09	3.85	89
Maine	2.15	2.52	6.17	60
Maryland	1.97	2.51	5.27	91
Massachusetts	2.23	2.52	6.18	125
Michigan	1.70	2.11	4.11	114
Minnesota	2.19	2.58	5.95	122
Mississippi	1.44	1.97	3.49	70
Missouri	1.87	2.27	5.00	102
Montana	1.76	2.51	4.86	78
Nebraska	1.49	2.20	3.85	96
Nevada	2.16	2.44	5.54	80
New Hampshire	1.91	2.46	5.24	76
New Jersey	2.48	2.71	7.45	119
New Mexico	1.82	2.30	4.90	86
New York	2.29	2.64	6.51	141
North Carolina	2.02	2.32	5.26	115
North Dakota	1.70	2.36	4.30	80
Ohio	2.16	2.68	6.17	119
Oklahoma	1.96	2.24	5.10	71
Oregon	1.88	2.55	5.06	108
Pennsylvania	2.01	2.47	5.42	102
Rhode Island	3.02	2.94	9.02	50
South Carolina	1.43	2.04	3.40	88
South Dakota	1.72	2.52	4.79	92
Tennessee	1.84	2.43	5.11	117
Texas	2.25	2.48	6.32	101
Utah	1.97	2.50	5.39	70
Vermont	1.71	2.02	4.00	41
Virginia	1.97	2.46	5.39	109
Washington	1.65	2.33	4.18	116
West Virginia	2.52	2.66	7.28	64
Wisconsin	1.69	2.33	4.46	119
Wyoming	1.93	2.20	4.95	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	1.98	2.43	5.33	UNWEIGHTED
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24. Confirm a diagnosis or rule out health-threatening conditions using information from laboratory or specialized studies.

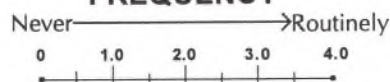


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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	1.91	2.15	5.19	100
Alaska	2.06	2.54	6.69	48
Arizona	1.85	2.34	5.27	102
Arkansas	2.19	2.55	6.42	89
California	2.25	2.58	6.67	224
Colorado	2.23	2.54	6.25	111
Connecticut	2.65	2.91	8.09	104
Delaware	2.64	2.73	7.94	33
D.C.	2.25	2.88	7.50	8
Florida	2.56	2.73	7.36	143
Georgia	1.87	2.40	5.66	86
Hawaii	2.25	2.48	6.43	70
Idaho	2.00	2.58	5.49	89
Illinois	2.52	2.81	7.62	111
Indiana	1.86	2.30	5.22	111
Iowa	1.86	2.34	5.37	71
Kansas	1.93	2.27	5.44	95
Kentucky	2.15	2.37	5.89	85
Louisiana	1.70	2.13	4.32	88
Maine	2.26	2.70	7.18	60
Maryland	2.48	2.70	7.51	90
Massachusetts	2.15	2.49	6.18	126
Michigan	1.40	2.07	3.88	112
Minnesota	2.25	2.68	6.58	123
Mississippi	1.44	1.71	3.56	71
Missouri	2.05	2.40	5.83	102
Montana	1.82	2.46	5.56	77
Nebraska	1.41	2.22	3.98	97
Nevada	2.37	2.77	7.16	80
New Hampshire	1.97	2.49	5.87	77
New Jersey	2.66	2.84	8.44	119
New Mexico	2.20	2.57	6.87	87
New York	2.50	2.71	7.34	142
North Carolina	2.28	2.47	6.40	115
North Dakota	1.60	2.20	3.99	80
Ohio	2.32	2.73	6.89	119
Oklahoma	2.34	2.47	6.75	72
Oregon	2.10	2.59	6.20	108
Pennsylvania	1.96	2.42	5.96	101
Rhode Island	2.90	3.02	9.14	50
South Carolina	1.35	1.78	3.47	88
South Dakota	1.93	2.49	5.83	93
Tennessee	1.73	2.43	5.27	118
Texas	2.26	2.53	6.88	100
Utah	2.15	2.67	6.28	71
Vermont	1.81	1.98	4.66	41
Virginia	2.29	2.69	6.78	110
Washington	1.45	2.17	3.88	115
West Virginia	2.63	2.75	7.78	65
Wisconsin	1.78	2.39	5.17	119
Wyoming	1.75	2.18	4.84	44
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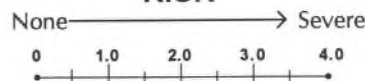
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25. Augment history, examination or X-ray findings using information from laboratory or specialized studies.

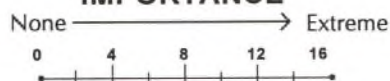
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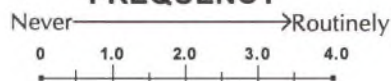
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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	2.04	2.06	5.19	101
Alaska	2.06	2.38	6.21	48
Arizona	1.87	2.04	4.69	100
Arkansas	2.19	2.21	5.65	88
California	2.26	2.32	6.13	223
Colorado	2.16	2.28	5.46	111
Connecticut	2.49	2.59	7.08	103
Delaware	2.70	2.36	6.76	33
D.C.	2.50	2.25	6.38	8
Florida	2.43	2.44	6.65	140
Georgia	1.94	2.17	5.45	85
Hawaii	2.30	2.51	6.69	70
Idaho	2.02	2.27	5.24	87
Illinois	2.38	2.46	6.51	111
Indiana	1.92	2.04	4.86	112
Iowa	2.01	2.07	5.31	70
Kansas	1.95	2.09	5.27	95
Kentucky	2.21	2.13	5.80	85
Louisiana	1.74	1.95	4.14	88
Maine	2.16	2.46	6.31	61
Maryland	2.28	2.42	6.56	90
Massachusetts	2.20	2.24	5.87	125
Michigan	1.49	1.77	3.59	112
Minnesota	2.12	2.34	5.72	123
Mississippi	1.38	1.55	3.13	69
Missouri	2.06	2.17	5.35	102
Montana	1.76	2.10	4.69	77
Nebraska	1.53	1.97	3.85	97
Nevada	2.22	2.33	5.78	81
New Hampshire	1.88	2.21	5.19	77
New Jersey	2.53	2.58	7.53	118
New Mexico	2.02	2.34	5.72	87
New York	2.51	2.47	6.80	142
North Carolina	2.41	2.24	6.27	114
North Dakota	1.75	1.96	3.85	80
Ohio	2.40	2.45	6.62	120
Oklahoma	2.36	2.22	6.28	71
Oregon	2.05	2.34	5.43	108
Pennsylvania	2.03	2.25	5.57	101
Rhode Island	2.98	2.84	9.18	49
South Carolina	1.37	1.64	3.34	87
South Dakota	1.83	2.17	4.84	93
Tennessee	1.74	2.15	4.67	116
Texas	2.10	2.21	5.81	99
Utah	2.28	2.38	5.97	71
Vermont	1.74	1.74	3.80	41
Virginia	2.36	2.34	6.34	108
Washington	1.59	1.98	3.91	115
West Virginia	2.55	2.49	7.09	65
Wisconsin	1.77	2.03	4.41	118
Wyoming	1.75	1.80	4.09	44
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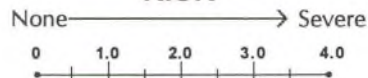
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26. Relate problems identified in the history and examination findings to a pathologic, pathophysiologic, or psychopathologic process.

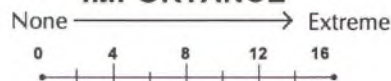
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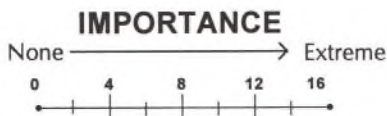
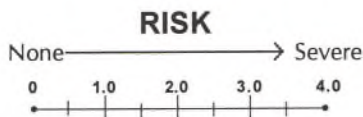
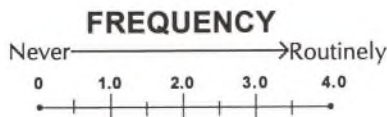
IMPORTANCE



STATE	DIAGNOSIS			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.05	2.43	8.36	102
Alaska	3.13	2.65	9.51	49
Arizona	3.06	2.48	8.31	101
Arkansas	2.91	2.66	8.70	89
California	3.07	2.59	8.87	222
Colorado	3.18	2.77	9.44	111
Connecticut	3.25	2.82	9.89	102
Delaware	3.24	2.73	9.58	33
D.C.	2.50	2.25	7.63	8
Florida	3.09	2.55	8.82	140
Georgia	2.95	2.57	8.67	85
Hawaii	3.03	2.70	9.06	70
Idaho	3.18	2.62	8.81	90
Illinois	3.29	2.97	10.29	111
Indiana	3.06	2.60	8.61	111
Iowa	2.93	2.46	7.70	71
Kansas	2.91	2.44	8.13	93
Kentucky	3.14	2.45	8.65	84
Louisiana	2.93	2.51	8.48	88
Maine	3.11	2.74	8.93	61
Maryland	3.14	2.86	9.76	91
Massachusetts	3.19	2.64	9.41	126
Michigan	2.69	2.47	7.50	114
Minnesota	3.12	2.75	9.19	124
Mississippi	2.84	2.12	7.11	71
Missouri	2.98	2.58	8.84	101
Montana	3.06	2.60	9.04	75
Nebraska	3.04	2.55	8.66	99
Nevada	3.22	2.73	9.37	82
New Hampshire	2.99	2.78	9.04	78
New Jersey	3.18	2.75	9.53	118
New Mexico	3.05	2.57	9.28	87
New York	3.01	2.63	8.68	142
North Carolina	3.29	2.70	9.48	114
North Dakota	2.98	2.56	8.24	79
Ohio	3.26	2.70	9.67	117
Oklahoma	2.96	2.53	8.34	74
Oregon	3.34	2.81	9.86	108
Pennsylvania	2.89	2.66	8.52	100
Rhode Island	3.20	2.78	10.08	48
South Carolina	2.61	2.33	7.28	89
South Dakota	2.89	2.58	8.32	94
Tennessee	3.08	2.66	8.77	119
Texas	3.18	2.59	9.55	99
Utah	3.24	2.54	9.33	69
Vermont	2.81	2.43	7.95	41
Virginia	3.31	2.79	10.00	110
Washington	2.86	2.46	7.68	114
West Virginia	3.08	2.64	8.35	65
Wisconsin	2.89	2.52	8.11	120
Wyoming	2.82	2.05	7.00	43
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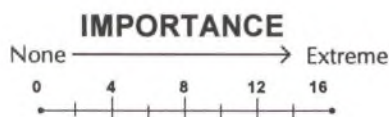
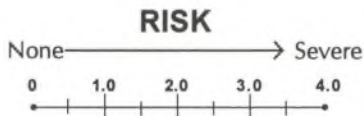
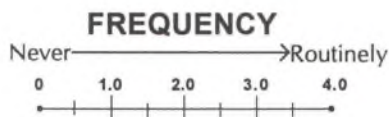
27. Distinguish between life-or health-threatening conditions and less urgent conditions using information from the history and examination findings.



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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
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Alaska	3.42	3.25	12.31	49
Arizona	3.43	3.04	10.84	102
Arkansas	3.38	3.07	11.30	89
California	3.24	3.20	11.21	224
Colorado	3.29	3.17	11.07	110
Connecticut	3.47	3.40	12.37	103
Delaware	3.39	3.18	11.56	32
D.C.	3.13	3.13	11.25	8
Florida	3.37	3.17	11.33	141
Georgia	3.28	3.21	11.31	85
Hawaii	3.03	3.01	10.32	69
Idaho	3.40	3.17	11.33	90
Illinois	3.61	3.33	12.38	112
Indiana	3.56	3.14	11.75	111
Iowa	3.51	3.17	11.41	71
Kansas	3.28	2.94	10.75	93
Kentucky	3.31	2.90	10.34	85
Louisiana	3.32	3.11	10.72	90
Maine	3.41	3.33	11.79	61
Maryland	3.43	3.39	12.27	92
Massachusetts	3.42	3.30	12.06	126
Michigan	3.06	2.91	9.64	113
Minnesota	3.44	3.36	11.82	125
Mississippi	3.11	2.58	9.11	71
Missouri	3.32	3.11	10.85	104
Montana	3.24	3.22	11.14	77
Nebraska	3.45	3.16	11.93	99
Nevada	3.48	3.24	11.35	82
New Hampshire	3.54	3.21	11.90	78
New Jersey	3.43	3.28	12.18	117
New Mexico	3.41	3.10	11.73	88
New York	3.40	3.17	11.33	142
North Carolina	3.66	3.28	12.48	114
North Dakota	3.25	3.19	10.84	80
Ohio	3.49	3.38	12.40	119
Oklahoma	3.33	3.03	10.84	73
Oregon	3.60	3.32	12.36	107
Pennsylvania	3.17	3.09	10.59	100
Rhode Island	3.28	3.16	11.54	48
South Carolina	3.15	3.03	10.10	88
South Dakota	3.35	3.25	11.83	92
Tennessee	3.40	3.32	11.68	120
Texas	3.49	3.12	12.11	99
Utah	3.42	3.19	12.00	70
Vermont	3.38	3.05	11.44	41
Virginia	3.58	3.39	12.49	111
Washington	3.38	3.05	10.85	116
West Virginia	3.33	3.05	10.56	66
Wisconsin	3.34	3.07	11.40	119
Wyoming	3.23	2.75	9.86	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.38	3.17	11.40	UNWEIGHTED
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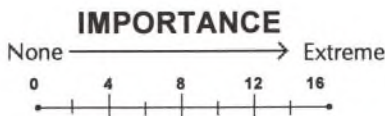
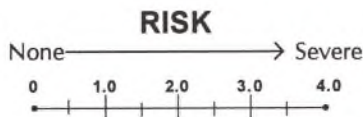
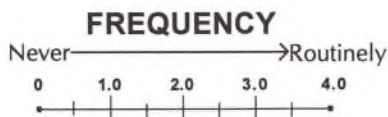
28. Predict the effectiveness of chiropractic care for the individual patient using information from the history and examination findings.



STATE	DIAGNOSIS (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.36	2.21	7.85	102
Alaska	3.38	2.35	8.66	50
Arizona	3.22	2.04	7.14	101
Arkansas	3.23	2.21	8.08	89
California	3.37	2.32	8.42	224
Colorado	3.39	2.17	7.92	109
Connecticut	3.49	2.25	8.47	103
Delaware	3.30	2.12	7.53	32
D.C.	3.50	2.38	8.75	8
Florida	3.23	2.13	7.27	143
Georgia	3.30	2.31	8.32	84
Hawaii	3.32	2.42	8.28	71
Idaho	3.34	2.22	8.18	89
Illinois	3.53	2.55	9.45	111
Indiana	3.38	2.32	8.70	109
Iowa	3.18	2.30	7.46	71
Kansas	3.23	2.00	7.42	93
Kentucky	3.41	2.29	8.44	84
Louisiana	3.16	2.13	7.22	90
Maine	3.33	2.31	8.13	61
Maryland	3.38	2.45	8.81	91
Massachusetts	3.33	2.29	8.25	126
Michigan	3.16	2.07	7.04	112
Minnesota	3.45	2.36	8.40	125
Mississippi	3.12	2.01	7.14	70
Missouri	3.44	2.47	8.84	104
Montana	3.36	2.31	8.49	74
Nebraska	3.40	2.24	8.49	98
Nevada	3.48	2.24	8.13	82
New Hampshire	3.15	2.04	7.32	77
New Jersey	3.27	2.27	8.00	119
New Mexico	3.18	2.27	8.16	87
New York	3.34	2.32	8.13	143
North Carolina	3.44	2.37	8.82	114
North Dakota	3.05	2.03	6.65	79
Ohio	3.31	2.20	7.97	116
Oklahoma	3.13	1.97	6.85	72
Oregon	3.46	2.13	7.72	108
Pennsylvania	3.11	2.21	7.58	100
Rhode Island	3.10	2.06	7.48	48
South Carolina	3.21	2.17	7.64	87
South Dakota	3.38	2.38	8.48	94
Tennessee	3.33	2.24	7.77	119
Texas	3.42	2.21	8.69	99
Utah	3.47	2.18	8.66	68
Vermont	3.14	1.95	7.12	41
Virginia	3.49	2.40	8.75	111
Washington	3.16	2.11	7.01	115
West Virginia	3.20	2.21	7.48	66
Wisconsin	3.16	2.20	7.82	117
Wyoming	2.91	1.93	5.66	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.31	2.23	7.99	UNWEIGHTED
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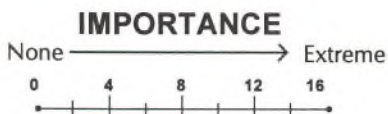
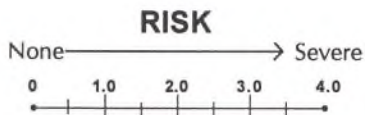
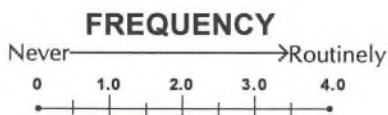
29. Refer patients to other health care practitioners based on information from the history and examination findings.



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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	2.51	2.61	6.98	103
Alaska	2.56	2.96	8.39	49
Arizona	2.42	2.70	6.89	101
Arkansas	2.44	2.84	7.55	89
California	2.72	2.84	8.36	226
Colorado	2.62	2.68	7.30	111
Connecticut	2.62	3.02	8.13	104
Delaware	2.55	2.76	7.88	32
D.C.	2.88	2.50	8.38	8
Florida	2.79	2.68	7.60	144
Georgia	2.49	2.85	7.58	85
Hawaii	3.03	2.87	9.04	71
Idaho	2.48	2.69	7.18	90
Illinois	2.53	2.93	7.79	112
Indiana	2.43	2.66	6.77	109
Iowa	2.61	2.82	7.48	71
Kansas	2.39	2.54	6.77	94
Kentucky	2.67	2.57	7.28	83
Louisiana	2.47	2.53	6.96	89
Maine	2.92	3.15	9.41	61
Maryland	2.70	2.93	8.43	90
Massachusetts	2.57	2.84	7.73	127
Michigan	2.40	2.55	6.48	112
Minnesota	2.46	2.78	7.26	125
Mississippi	2.71	2.25	6.83	70
Missouri	2.40	2.70	7.14	102
Montana	2.32	2.76	6.96	77
Nebraska	2.47	2.74	7.47	99
Nevada	2.33	2.76	6.85	81
New Hampshire	2.53	2.71	7.22	76
New Jersey	2.83	3.00	9.23	119
New Mexico	2.59	2.86	8.07	87
New York	2.59	2.84	7.59	143
North Carolina	2.65	2.80	7.81	114
North Dakota	2.29	2.64	6.48	79
Ohio	2.57	2.89	7.66	120
Oklahoma	2.37	2.61	6.96	73
Oregon	2.53	2.96	7.89	107
Pennsylvania	2.45	2.64	7.04	99
Rhode Island	2.94	2.76	9.15	48
South Carolina	2.44	2.58	7.24	87
South Dakota	2.53	2.89	7.68	94
Tennessee	2.48	2.82	7.56	117
Texas	2.67	2.65	8.46	98
Utah	2.46	2.64	7.22	68
Vermont	2.19	2.55	6.54	41
Virginia	2.64	3.00	8.44	111
Washington	2.41	2.78	7.12	115
West Virginia	2.55	2.76	7.90	63
Wisconsin	2.43	2.72	7.32	120
Wyoming	2.43	2.45	6.34	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	2.55	2.76	7.57	UNWEIGHTED
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30. Arrive at a diagnosis or clinical impression on the basis of history and examination findings.



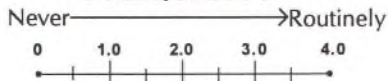
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	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
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Alaska	3.77	2.85	11.28	50
Arizona	3.50	2.50	9.30	101
Arkansas	3.54	2.64	10.01	88
California	3.63	2.75	10.68	221
Colorado	3.67	2.69	10.25	110
Connecticut	3.63	2.96	11.53	102
Delaware	3.58	2.55	10.03	32
D.C.	3.63	2.88	10.88	8
Florida	3.60	2.75	10.22	143
Georgia	3.56	2.73	10.26	84
Hawaii	3.65	2.83	10.51	71
Idaho	3.61	2.71	10.34	89
Illinois	3.79	2.86	11.12	111
Indiana	3.63	2.71	10.27	111
Iowa	3.63	2.80	10.39	71
Kansas	3.58	2.48	9.73	94
Kentucky	3.70	2.57	10.36	83
Louisiana	3.55	2.69	9.93	89
Maine	3.59	2.90	10.85	61
Maryland	3.65	3.02	11.63	91
Massachusetts	3.64	2.67	10.20	127
Michigan	3.25	2.40	8.50	113
Minnesota	3.67	2.73	10.88	120
Mississippi	3.37	2.27	8.44	71
Missouri	3.68	2.95	11.22	103
Montana	3.68	2.76	10.84	76
Nebraska	3.64	2.68	10.55	98
Nevada	3.67	2.71	10.17	82
New Hampshire	3.50	2.74	10.13	77
New Jersey	3.47	2.72	10.23	118
New Mexico	3.66	2.84	11.22	88
New York	3.65	2.90	10.88	143
North Carolina	3.68	2.84	10.97	113
North Dakota	3.54	2.55	9.23	80
Ohio	3.64	2.81	10.61	119
Oklahoma	3.58	2.54	9.74	73
Oregon	3.82	2.94	11.38	108
Pennsylvania	3.42	2.61	9.63	99
Rhode Island	3.78	2.96	12.00	48
South Carolina	3.31	2.51	9.59	86
South Dakota	3.52	2.67	10.36	92
Tennessee	3.73	2.78	10.79	117
Texas	3.58	2.63	10.79	97
Utah	3.68	2.79	11.23	69
Vermont	3.38	2.52	9.78	41
Virginia	3.74	2.92	11.21	112
Washington	3.58	2.58	10.01	113
West Virginia	3.56	2.76	10.42	64
Wisconsin	3.57	2.66	10.27	117
Wyoming	3.61	2.18	8.37	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.61	2.72	10.41	UNWEIGHTED
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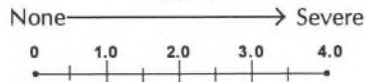
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31. Perform specific chiropractic examination procedures on patients with spinal or extra-spinal joint conditions.

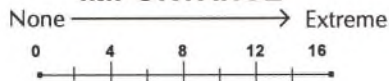
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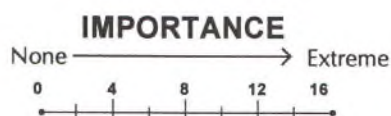
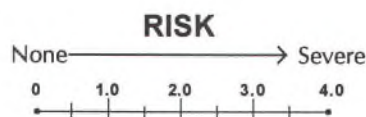
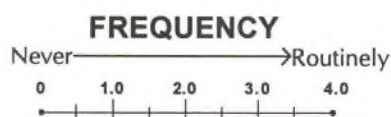
IMPORTANCE



STATE	CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.65	2.41	9.05	103
Alaska	3.90	2.50	10.35	49
Arizona	3.77	2.32	9.00	101
Arkansas	3.62	2.36	8.93	90
California	3.74	2.44	9.71	223
Colorado	3.90	2.46	9.66	111
Connecticut	3.71	2.66	10.64	102
Delaware	3.97	2.42	9.97	32
D.C.	4.00	2.38	9.50	8
Florida	3.76	2.46	9.59	143
Georgia	3.85	2.71	10.62	86
Hawaii	3.83	2.69	10.41	71
Idaho	3.77	2.49	9.61	90
Illinois	3.82	2.60	10.15	111
Indiana	3.78	2.54	9.99	110
Iowa	3.76	2.56	9.92	71
Kansas	3.59	2.18	8.72	93
Kentucky	3.73	2.38	9.26	85
Louisiana	3.75	2.46	9.74	88
Maine	3.85	2.61	10.32	60
Maryland	3.76	2.53	9.76	91
Massachusetts	3.87	2.59	10.22	129
Michigan	3.77	2.36	9.17	114
Minnesota	3.82	2.54	9.86	124
Mississippi	3.66	2.12	8.31	71
Missouri	3.67	2.47	9.55	102
Montana	3.87	2.47	9.79	76
Nebraska	3.78	2.55	10.09	100
Nevada	3.77	2.40	9.18	82
New Hampshire	3.74	2.59	9.85	78
New Jersey	3.76	2.57	10.15	118
New Mexico	3.71	2.52	10.15	88
New York	3.87	2.55	10.24	140
North Carolina	3.86	2.55	10.25	113
North Dakota	3.79	2.35	8.91	80
Ohio	3.68	2.44	9.74	117
Oklahoma	3.71	2.46	9.62	73
Oregon	3.76	2.59	10.18	106
Pennsylvania	3.68	2.59	10.06	99
Rhode Island	3.74	2.52	10.21	48
South Carolina	3.84	2.69	10.52	88
South Dakota	3.79	2.59	10.10	94
Tennessee	3.74	2.68	10.23	120
Texas	3.79	2.56	10.39	100
Utah	3.67	2.14	8.87	68
Vermont	3.62	2.24	8.80	41
Virginia	3.84	2.66	10.41	112
Washington	3.79	2.46	9.71	114
West Virginia	3.71	2.48	9.48	65
Wisconsin	3.76	2.48	9.74	120
Wyoming	3.82	2.18	8.36	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.77	2.49	9.79	UNWEIGHTED
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CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE

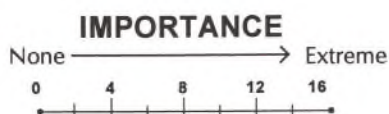
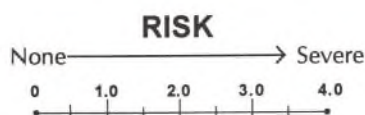
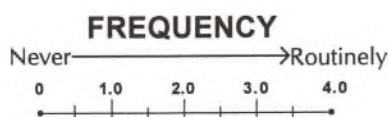
32. Utilize instruments unique to chiropractic or primarily in the chiropractic domain as part of the patient examination.



STATE	CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	2.22	1.48	4.24	103
Alaska	2.52	1.38	5.06	49
Arizona	2.10	1.34	3.88	102
Arkansas	2.29	1.31	4.03	88
California	2.11	1.43	4.25	222
Colorado	2.13	1.28	3.94	109
Connecticut	1.62	1.19	3.31	104
Delaware	2.36	1.42	4.36	33
D.C.	2.75	1.50	5.00	8
Florida	2.26	1.48	4.24	144
Georgia	2.31	1.66	5.30	86
Hawaii	2.34	1.45	4.41	71
Idaho	1.91	1.22	3.22	88
Illinois	2.20	1.48	4.48	110
Indiana	2.43	1.60	5.16	110
Iowa	2.34	1.55	4.87	71
Kansas	2.12	1.39	4.01	94
Kentucky	2.69	1.66	5.73	85
Louisiana	2.11	1.27	3.70	89
Maine	2.51	1.62	5.41	59
Maryland	1.82	1.20	3.07	91
Massachusetts	2.05	1.28	3.89	129
Michigan	2.43	1.43	4.37	115
Minnesota	2.03	1.42	3.81	123
Mississippi	2.77	1.64	5.04	71
Missouri	2.23	1.59	4.65	103
Montana	2.42	1.47	4.78	76
Nebraska	2.63	1.75	5.55	102
Nevada	2.48	1.61	4.94	82
New Hampshire	2.35	1.53	4.67	78
New Jersey	2.32	1.48	4.61	119
New Mexico	2.33	1.58	4.92	87
New York	2.24	1.38	4.26	142
North Carolina	2.49	1.64	5.22	114
North Dakota	2.25	1.46	3.99	80
Ohio	1.94	1.31	3.76	118
Oklahoma	2.67	1.61	5.50	72
Oregon	1.94	1.42	3.69	108
Pennsylvania	2.15	1.40	4.42	101
Rhode Island	1.82	1.26	3.55	49
South Carolina	2.63	1.66	5.70	87
South Dakota	2.14	1.51	4.05	94
Tennessee	2.38	1.51	4.82	119
Texas	2.38	1.53	5.49	98
Utah	1.82	1.06	2.71	69
Vermont	1.98	1.19	3.80	40
Virginia	2.13	1.34	3.77	112
Washington	2.49	1.35	4.61	114
West Virginia	2.45	1.61	5.09	65
Wisconsin	2.31	1.57	4.67	119
Wyoming	2.25	1.48	4.36	44
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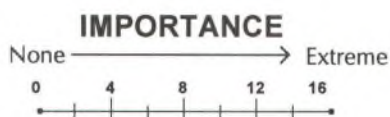
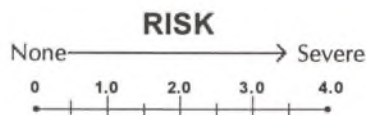
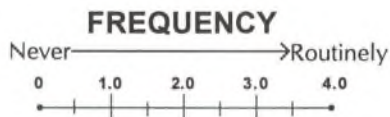
33. Determine the appropriate chiropractic case management or technique using information from a chiropractic examination.



STATE	CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.55	2.32	8.45	103
Alaska	3.81	2.31	9.37	49
Arizona	3.55	2.12	7.89	102
Arkansas	3.55	2.04	7.73	89
California	3.66	2.32	9.09	222
Colorado	3.72	2.26	8.74	109
Connecticut	3.39	2.36	8.50	103
Delaware	3.73	2.27	8.52	33
D.C.	3.75	2.25	8.63	8
Florida	3.57	2.32	8.69	143
Georgia	3.66	2.43	9.33	85
Hawaii	3.70	2.37	8.99	71
Idaho	3.61	2.19	8.64	86
Illinois	3.70	2.40	9.21	110
Indiana	3.61	2.45	9.12	111
Iowa	3.70	2.38	9.30	70
Kansas	3.52	2.17	8.62	93
Kentucky	3.47	2.29	9.02	82
Louisiana	3.57	2.20	8.27	88
Maine	3.75	2.41	9.47	60
Maryland	3.62	2.33	9.30	87
Massachusetts	3.66	2.35	8.94	127
Michigan	3.58	2.26	8.23	115
Minnesota	3.56	2.29	8.53	124
Mississippi	3.58	1.97	7.45	71
Missouri	3.68	2.39	9.33	102
Montana	3.76	2.37	9.37	76
Nebraska	3.64	2.29	8.89	100
Nevada	3.68	2.37	8.84	82
New Hampshire	3.59	2.41	9.25	76
New Jersey	3.58	2.38	8.95	119
New Mexico	3.55	2.34	9.11	88
New York	3.65	2.35	8.96	142
North Carolina	3.59	2.33	9.03	112
North Dakota	3.59	2.19	8.05	80
Ohio	3.45	2.15	8.27	116
Oklahoma	3.51	2.05	7.88	72
Oregon	3.65	2.30	8.76	107
Pennsylvania	3.52	2.24	8.52	100
Rhode Island	3.70	2.56	10.19	48
South Carolina	3.82	2.62	10.25	88
South Dakota	3.52	2.31	8.34	94
Tennessee	3.71	2.47	9.45	119
Texas	3.56	2.29	8.93	100
Utah	3.65	2.03	7.99	70
Vermont	3.33	2.17	7.93	41
Virginia	3.68	2.34	8.96	110
Washington	3.71	2.19	8.59	113
West Virginia	3.53	2.24	8.55	65
Wisconsin	3.52	2.16	8.30	118
Wyoming	3.52	2.02	7.18	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.61	2.29	8.77	UNWEIGHED
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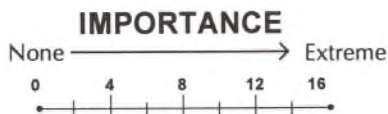
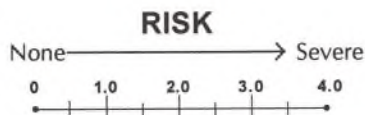
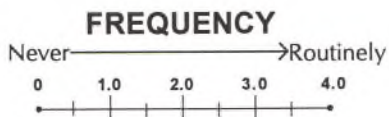
34. Perform chiropractic
adjustive techniques.



STATE	CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.88	2.48	10.21	100
Alaska	3.98	2.35	9.92	49
Arizona	3.97	2.29	9.19	102
Arkansas	3.95	2.26	9.11	90
California	3.90	2.40	9.82	221
Colorado	3.95	2.26	9.08	110
Connecticut	3.91	2.48	9.98	104
Delaware	4.00	2.39	9.58	33
D.C.	4.00	2.87	11.50	8
Florida	3.87	2.32	9.20	143
Georgia	3.95	2.48	10.06	84
Hawaii	3.99	2.34	9.32	71
Idaho	3.84	2.43	9.82	88
Illinois	3.94	2.49	10.02	111
Indiana	3.95	2.54	10.17	111
Iowa	3.97	2.61	10.35	71
Kansas	3.84	2.22	9.35	92
Kentucky	3.94	2.30	9.16	85
Louisiana	3.90	2.14	8.85	88
Maine	3.98	2.77	11.05	61
Maryland	3.88	2.33	9.46	89
Massachusetts	3.99	2.47	10.00	127
Michigan	3.97	2.37	9.54	114
Minnesota	3.94	2.46	9.77	124
Mississippi	3.92	2.00	8.18	71
Missouri	3.94	2.33	9.52	101
Montana	3.95	2.26	9.27	75
Nebraska	3.97	2.45	9.75	102
Nevada	3.99	2.29	9.16	82
New Hampshire	3.94	2.45	9.75	77
New Jersey	3.99	2.48	9.99	119
New Mexico	3.86	2.49	10.28	88
New York	3.92	2.32	9.34	141
North Carolina	3.97	2.56	10.37	114
North Dakota	3.97	2.29	9.08	80
Ohio	3.90	2.43	9.83	118
Oklahoma	3.93	2.43	9.88	73
Oregon	3.96	2.48	9.85	108
Pennsylvania	3.87	2.33	9.63	98
Rhode Island	3.78	2.42	10.13	47
South Carolina	4.00	2.67	10.82	88
South Dakota	3.94	2.53	10.15	94
Tennessee	3.99	2.57	10.34	119
Texas	3.88	2.26	9.58	97
Utah	3.86	2.18	8.90	70
Vermont	3.81	2.21	9.30	40
Virginia	3.99	2.39	9.54	112
Washington	4.00	2.57	10.46	114
West Virginia	3.97	2.59	10.29	66
Wisconsin	3.97	2.49	10.13	120
Wyoming	3.95	1.82	7.23	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES				
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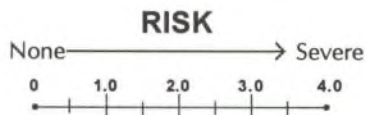
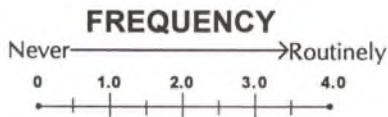
35. Update chiropractic examination procedures on subsequent visits to determine appropriate use of technique or case management.



STATE	CHIROPRACTIC TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.57	2.17	8.35	101
Alaska	3.63	2.35	9.29	49
Arizona	3.61	2.21	8.25	102
Arkansas	3.52	2.19	8.09	89
California	3.59	2.22	8.63	219
Colorado	3.69	2.20	8.57	108
Connecticut	3.64	2.43	9.37	103
Delaware	3.79	2.24	8.52	33
D.C.	3.50	1.75	6.50	8
Florida	3.66	2.31	8.95	141
Georgia	3.55	2.26	8.96	81
Hawaii	3.66	2.41	8.97	71
Idaho	3.63	2.23	8.48	89
Illinois	3.55	2.44	9.10	111
Indiana	3.46	2.28	8.92	106
Iowa	3.58	2.34	8.80	70
Kansas	3.41	2.09	7.81	94
Kentucky	3.56	2.20	8.27	85
Louisiana	3.44	2.21	8.46	87
Maine	3.82	2.48	9.73	60
Maryland	3.55	2.35	8.73	91
Massachusetts	3.62	2.29	8.89	123
Michigan	3.62	2.28	8.43	115
Minnesota	3.62	2.26	8.49	124
Mississippi	3.47	1.86	6.73	71
Missouri	3.61	2.35	9.09	102
Montana	3.62	2.37	8.86	77
Nebraska	3.50	2.30	8.65	100
Nevada	3.52	2.10	7.57	82
New Hampshire	3.51	2.32	8.97	75
New Jersey	3.59	2.33	8.70	118
New Mexico	3.49	2.21	8.48	87
New York	3.63	2.25	8.67	140
North Carolina	3.72	2.38	9.21	114
North Dakota	3.48	2.11	7.66	79
Ohio	3.50	2.31	8.96	116
Oklahoma	3.62	2.20	8.32	73
Oregon	3.62	2.37	8.96	106
Pennsylvania	3.55	2.30	8.86	99
Rhode Island	3.56	2.50	10.09	47
South Carolina	3.53	2.47	9.36	86
South Dakota	3.42	2.38	8.54	94
Tennessee	3.70	2.43	9.16	120
Texas	3.57	2.16	8.97	96
Utah	3.56	2.04	8.00	69
Vermont	3.24	2.05	8.03	40
Virginia	3.59	2.30	8.80	110
Washington	3.67	2.29	8.89	113
West Virginia	3.56	2.36	8.68	66
Wisconsin	3.52	2.26	8.39	120
Wyoming	3.57	1.93	6.84	44
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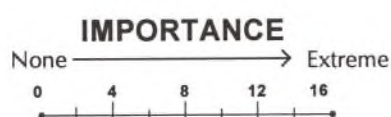
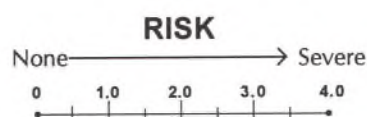
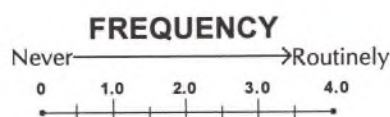
36. Evaluate the patient's condition to determine if procedures other than adjustive techniques may be indicated.



STATE	SUPPORTIVE TECHNIQUE			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.49	2.25	8.33	102
Alaska	3.73	2.42	9.46	50
Arizona	3.54	2.24	8.27	102
Arkansas	3.52	2.23	8.85	87
California	3.67	2.36	9.08	224
Colorado	3.76	2.34	8.96	111
Connecticut	3.62	2.36	9.37	100
Delaware	3.76	2.39	9.18	33
D.C.	3.25	2.38	8.50	8
Florida	3.65	2.32	8.78	143
Georgia	3.51	2.26	8.14	86
Hawaii	3.66	2.51	9.31	71
Idaho	3.58	2.23	8.35	89
Illinois	3.70	2.43	9.12	112
Indiana	3.54	2.42	9.00	111
Iowa	3.65	2.49	9.42	71
Kansas	3.51	2.16	8.29	94
Kentucky	3.64	2.16	8.36	83
Louisiana	3.59	2.27	8.54	89
Maine	3.57	2.28	8.62	60
Maryland	3.63	2.36	8.85	91
Massachusetts	3.65	2.10	7.96	129
Michigan	3.30	2.13	7.65	114
Minnesota	3.66	2.34	8.73	124
Mississippi	3.47	2.05	7.67	70
Missouri	3.69	2.50	9.68	103
Montana	3.60	2.26	8.40	78
Nebraska	3.48	2.17	8.03	101
Nevada	3.67	2.28	8.54	82
New Hampshire	3.40	2.13	7.62	78
New Jersey	3.38	2.13	8.10	115
New Mexico	3.62	2.38	9.10	89
New York	3.57	2.38	9.11	141
North Carolina	3.73	2.37	9.43	111
North Dakota	3.51	2.21	8.01	80
Ohio	3.55	2.44	9.02	119
Oklahoma	3.64	2.26	8.93	71
Oregon	3.68	2.42	9.08	108
Pennsylvania	3.33	2.17	7.93	100
Rhode Island	3.60	2.54	9.88	49
South Carolina	3.35	2.27	8.42	88
South Dakota	3.61	2.38	8.67	95
Tennessee	3.72	2.38	9.06	119
Texas	3.57	2.27	9.11	99
Utah	3.60	2.22	8.42	71
Vermont	3.50	2.17	8.12	41
Virginia	3.63	2.32	8.76	112
Washington	3.40	2.25	8.16	115
West Virginia	3.61	2.30	8.41	66
Wisconsin	3.40	2.15	7.76	120
Wyoming	3.64	2.00	7.56	43
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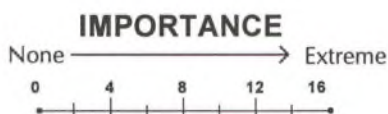
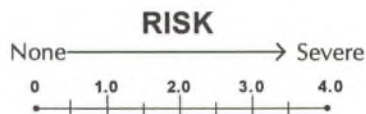
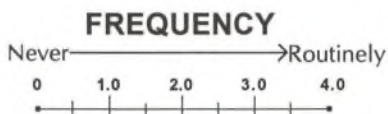
37. Determine indications or contraindications for the use of a supportive technique.



STATE	SUPPORTIVE TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.41	1.59	5.77	101
Alaska	3.79	1.69	6.40	52
Arizona	3.48	1.71	6.04	103
Arkansas	3.52	1.55	5.68	88
California	3.59	1.43	5.30	221
Colorado	3.65	1.69	6.30	108
Connecticut	3.60	1.49	5.44	104
Delaware	3.67	1.48	5.56	32
D.C.	2.75	1.50	5.50	8
Florida	3.58	1.54	5.56	143
Georgia	3.33	1.64	5.42	85
Hawaii	3.46	1.35	4.96	68
Idaho	3.49	1.87	6.59	88
Illinois	3.77	1.63	6.04	112
Indiana	3.43	1.82	6.47	109
Iowa	3.62	1.61	5.70	71
Kansas	3.43	1.51	5.43	94
Kentucky	3.45	1.53	5.42	83
Louisiana	3.54	1.23	4.30	90
Maine	3.51	1.20	4.45	60
Maryland	3.63	1.61	5.84	92
Massachusetts	3.52	1.53	5.47	127
Michigan	3.18	1.51	4.99	111
Minnesota	3.58	1.44	5.28	123
Mississippi	3.40	1.52	5.49	71
Missouri	3.47	1.54	5.70	100
Montana	3.47	1.76	6.25	77
Nebraska	3.38	1.77	5.98	101
Nevada	3.55	1.54	5.43	82
New Hampshire	3.36	1.67	5.85	78
New Jersey	3.33	1.54	5.21	117
New Mexico	3.53	1.80	6.59	90
New York	3.45	1.55	5.59	139
North Carolina	3.69	1.59	5.96	114
North Dakota	3.50	1.65	5.89	80
Ohio	3.48	1.54	5.52	120
Oklahoma	3.59	1.74	6.47	73
Oregon	3.47	1.73	6.09	107
Pennsylvania	3.24	1.43	4.74	102
Rhode Island	3.46	1.48	5.67	48
South Carolina	3.27	1.38	4.43	89
South Dakota	3.51	1.72	6.02	95
Tennessee	3.61	1.49	5.48	119
Texas	3.42	1.41	5.15	100
Utah	3.58	1.74	6.21	71
Vermont	3.43	1.69	6.28	40
Virginia	3.58	1.51	5.51	112
Washington	3.10	1.50	4.92	111
West Virginia	3.52	1.61	5.95	65
Wisconsin	3.20	1.68	5.51	119
Wyoming	3.34	1.55	5.09	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.48	1.57	5.61	UNWEIGHTED
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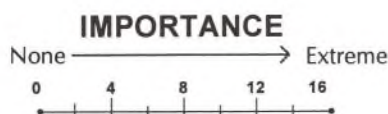
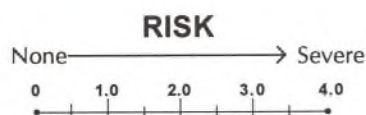
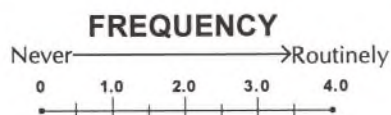
38. Perform treatment procedures other than
adjustive techniques in
the management of
patient care.



STATE	SUPPORTIVE TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.08	1.91	6.96	100
Alaska	3.35	2.13	7.69	49
Arizona	2.95	1.69	5.53	100
Arkansas	3.19	1.91	6.99	88
California	3.24	1.92	6.87	222
Colorado	3.43	2.07	7.40	110
Connecticut	3.30	2.12	7.71	103
Delaware	3.09	2.03	5.91	33
D.C.	2.25	2.13	5.38	8
Florida	3.26	1.99	7.01	144
Georgia	2.97	2.02	6.72	85
Hawaii	3.32	1.97	6.96	71
Idaho	3.36	1.94	7.01	88
Illinois	3.31	2.21	7.64	112
Indiana	2.96	1.82	6.07	110
Iowa	3.04	1.85	6.08	71
Kansas	3.10	1.90	6.77	94
Kentucky	3.10	1.92	6.70	83
Louisiana	3.10	1.92	6.06	90
Maine	3.20	1.95	7.08	60
Maryland	3.33	2.09	7.26	90
Massachusetts	2.97	1.70	5.88	128
Michigan	2.37	1.58	4.53	114
Minnesota	3.30	2.08	7.13	123
Mississippi	2.88	1.79	6.06	69
Missouri	3.07	2.06	6.83	103
Montana	3.01	1.86	6.17	77
Nebraska	3.00	1.82	6.05	100
Nevada	3.32	1.85	6.57	82
New Hampshire	2.77	1.81	6.13	78
New Jersey	2.80	1.86	5.97	118
New Mexico	2.96	1.84	6.26	88
New York	2.94	1.86	6.04	142
North Carolina	3.37	2.07	7.51	113
North Dakota	3.01	1.96	6.21	80
Ohio	3.24	2.09	7.34	119
Oklahoma	3.28	1.95	6.90	73
Oregon	3.10	1.88	6.58	107
Pennsylvania	2.95	1.94	6.57	101
Rhode Island	3.42	2.12	7.84	49
South Carolina	2.57	1.92	6.24	86
South Dakota	3.13	1.99	6.74	93
Tennessee	3.18	2.04	7.00	118
Texas	3.01	1.88	6.61	99
Utah	3.39	1.96	6.97	71
Vermont	2.79	2.00	5.76	41
Virginia	3.48	1.98	7.19	111
Washington	1.94	1.63	3.95	114
West Virginia	3.29	1.88	6.80	64
Wisconsin	2.56	1.84	5.60	120
Wyoming	3.25	1.52	5.40	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.07	1.92	6.54	UNWEIGHTED
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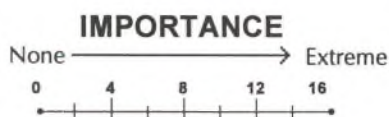
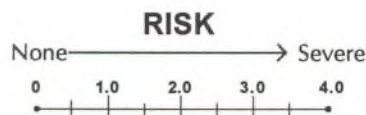
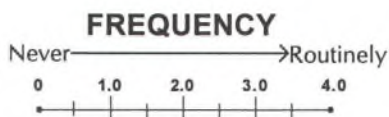
39. Refer patients to a physical therapist, massage therapist, nutritionist or other health care practitioner based on patient's condition.



STATE	SUPPORTIVE TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	1.90	1.75	4.03	101
Alaska	2.50	2.17	6.32	50
Arizona	2.09	1.60	4.17	100
Arkansas	1.62	1.44	3.02	88
California	2.18	1.72	4.45	225
Colorado	2.64	1.65	4.78	111
Connecticut	2.28	1.70	4.77	102
Delaware	2.06	1.64	3.69	32
D.C.	2.63	1.50	4.00	8
Florida	2.28	1.66	4.51	140
Georgia	2.21	1.85	4.92	85
Hawaii	3.23	2.10	7.11	71
Idaho	1.90	1.62	3.59	87
Illinois	1.92	1.89	4.43	111
Indiana	1.87	1.60	3.76	110
Iowa	1.96	1.80	4.51	69
Kansas	1.77	1.69	3.82	93
Kentucky	2.13	1.77	4.36	84
Louisiana	1.64	1.52	2.96	90
Maine	2.07	1.90	4.80	61
Maryland	1.95	1.55	3.91	90
Massachusetts	2.14	1.64	4.03	127
Michigan	1.93	1.68	3.63	114
Minnesota	1.83	1.80	3.94	123
Mississippi	1.82	1.42	3.27	70
Missouri	1.83	1.65	3.70	102
Montana	1.79	1.54	3.31	77
Nebraska	1.64	1.62	3.44	101
Nevada	1.89	1.66	3.59	82
New Hampshire	2.17	1.73	4.36	77
New Jersey	2.17	1.62	4.36	118
New Mexico	2.34	1.85	5.08	88
New York	1.98	1.90	4.31	141
North Carolina	2.05	1.91	4.96	113
North Dakota	1.60	1.70	3.01	79
Ohio	2.07	1.76	4.27	119
Oklahoma	1.70	1.50	3.38	73
Oregon	2.16	1.80	4.37	107
Pennsylvania	2.06	1.68	4.08	99
Rhode Island	2.44	1.78	5.33	48
South Carolina	1.85	1.65	3.90	87
South Dakota	1.64	1.59	3.20	95
Tennessee	1.87	1.70	4.02	119
Texas	2.14	1.68	4.76	98
Utah	1.56	1.68	3.16	67
Vermont	2.19	1.64	4.22	41
Virginia	2.09	1.63	3.93	111
Washington	2.41	1.94	5.34	113
West Virginia	2.00	1.71	4.09	65
Wisconsin	1.90	1.73	3.98	119
Wyoming	1.86	1.43	3.37	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	2.03	1.71	4.17	UNWEIGHTED
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40. Monitor the effectiveness of non-adjustive techniques or therapeutic procedures.

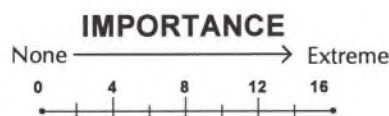
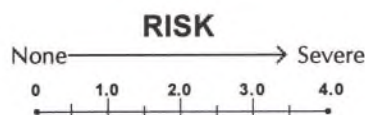
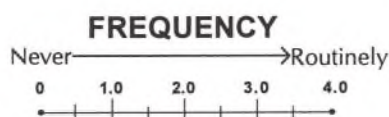


STATE	SUPPORTIVE TECHNIQUE (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.07	1.91	6.76	102
Alaska	3.58	2.23	8.84	49
Arizona	2.98	1.71	5.75	102
Arkansas	3.23	1.89	7.02	88
California	3.28	1.96	7.09	223
Colorado	3.45	2.02	7.31	111
Connecticut	3.41	2.17	8.32	101
Delaware	3.30	1.88	6.36	33
D.C.	2.13	1.75	4.75	8
Florida	3.32	1.97	7.27	142
Georgia	2.98	2.08	7.12	83
Hawaii	3.34	2.17	7.80	69
Idaho	3.24	1.90	6.90	88
Illinois	3.40	2.20	7.90	112
Indiana	3.05	1.89	6.45	112
Iowa	3.25	2.10	7.69	70
Kansas	2.76	1.70	5.92	92
Kentucky	3.19	1.93	6.80	84
Louisiana	3.41	2.10	7.71	89
Maine	3.21	1.98	7.20	61
Maryland	3.23	1.87	6.69	90
Massachusetts	2.98	1.93	6.75	126
Michigan	2.44	1.60	4.73	112
Minnesota	3.21	1.94	6.74	122
Mississippi	2.71	1.75	6.14	70
Missouri	3.07	2.15	7.52	102
Montana	2.88	1.86	5.99	78
Nebraska	2.96	1.73	5.82	99
Nevada	3.27	2.00	7.34	80
New Hampshire	3.00	1.88	6.65	78
New Jersey	2.81	1.85	6.22	118
New Mexico	3.28	2.10	7.80	88
New York	3.10	2.03	7.11	142
North Carolina	3.41	2.16	7.94	113
North Dakota	2.85	1.86	6.10	78
Ohio	3.13	2.04	7.18	118
Oklahoma	3.24	1.91	6.89	73
Oregon	3.39	1.98	6.88	108
Pennsylvania	2.97	1.89	6.74	99
Rhode Island	3.14	1.98	7.26	47
South Carolina	2.78	1.97	6.50	88
South Dakota	2.91	1.79	5.67	92
Tennessee	3.13	2.04	6.96	120
Texas	2.98	1.91	7.04	99
Utah	3.26	2.03	7.03	71
Vermont	2.81	1.98	5.98	40
Virginia	2.46	2.11	7.84	111
Washington	2.53	1.66	5.00	115
West Virginia	3.09	1.95	6.65	66
Wisconsin	2.82	1.89	6.19	119
Wyoming	3.18	1.77	6.07	44
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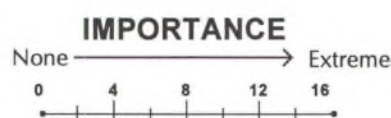
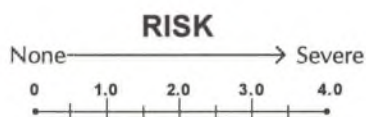
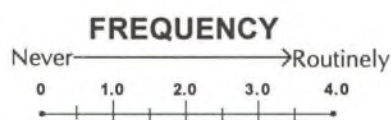
41. Discuss alternative courses of action with patient based on assessment of patient's condition.



STATE	CASE MANAGEMENT			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.15	2.13	7.24	100
Alaska	3.21	2.35	8.02	50
Arizona	3.09	2.07	6.76	100
Arkansas	3.13	2.19	7.03	90
California	3.24	2.33	7.85	227
Colorado	3.38	2.41	8.23	111
Connecticut	3.26	2.41	8.20	105
Delaware	3.18	2.24	7.12	33
D.C.	2.88	2.50	7.75	8
Florida	3.27	2.27	7.65	141
Georgia	3.19	2.58	8.42	86
Hawaii	3.35	2.52	8.70	71
Idaho	3.13	2.12	6.99	88
Illinois	3.19	2.42	8.00	112
Indiana	3.21	2.23	7.59	112
Iowa	3.23	2.25	7.59	71
Kansas	3.15	2.19	7.05	95
Kentucky	3.22	2.27	7.68	85
Louisiana	3.13	2.35	8.02	89
Maine	3.20	2.51	8.23	61
Maryland	3.21	2.37	7.93	92
Massachusetts	3.21	2.33	7.91	127
Michigan	2.98	2.25	7.16	115
Minnesota	3.08	2.23	7.07	123
Mississippi	3.05	2.00	6.58	71
Missouri	3.20	2.45	8.30	103
Montana	3.03	2.33	7.53	78
Nebraska	3.09	2.27	7.24	102
Nevada	3.05	2.27	7.18	82
New Hampshire	3.04	2.29	7.27	78
New Jersey	3.02	2.37	7.47	119
New Mexico	3.24	2.48	8.54	89
New York	3.06	2.45	8.00	141
North Carolina	3.22	2.33	7.84	115
North Dakota	2.91	2.14	6.35	80
Ohio	3.06	2.42	7.92	119
Oklahoma	3.18	2.14	7.39	72
Oregon	3.12	2.42	7.87	108
Pennsylvania	3.06	2.42	7.68	100
Rhode Island	3.44	2.73	9.63	48
South Carolina	2.83	2.17	6.76	87
South Dakota	3.14	2.43	8.01	93
Tennessee	3.02	2.43	7.59	120
Texas	3.30	2.34	8.49	98
Utah	3.21	2.27	7.65	69
Vermont	3.12	2.20	7.02	41
Virginia	3.17	2.50	8.37	112
Washington	2.96	2.24	7.13	116
West Virginia	3.14	2.47	8.08	65
Wisconsin	2.99	2.25	7.08	119
Wyoming	3.05	1.95	6.28	43
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.14	2.32	7.65	UNWEIGHTED
	3.15	2.34	7.64	WEIGHTED

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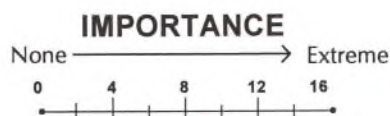
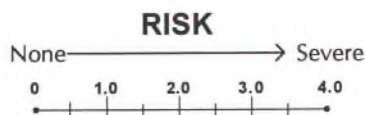
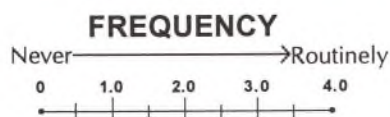
42. Recommend and/or arrange for services of other health professionals when patient's condition warrants.



STATE	CASE MANAGEMENT (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.07	2.70	8.71	101
Alaska	3.17	2.62	9.34	50
Arizona	3.05	2.60	8.54	101
Arkansas	3.18	2.66	9.06	89
California	3.34	2.76	9.56	227
Colorado	3.28	2.78	9.72	108
Connecticut	3.42	2.92	10.36	104
Delaware	3.36	2.52	8.79	33
D.C.	3.13	2.25	7.75	8
Florida	3.36	2.64	9.04	143
Georgia	3.08	2.86	9.28	86
Hawaii	3.48	2.86	10.10	71
Idaho	3.40	2.72	9.78	88
Illinois	3.16	2.81	9.30	112
Indiana	3.13	2.67	8.75	111
Iowa	3.25	2.83	9.59	71
Kansas	3.16	2.59	8.68	95
Kentucky	3.27	2.52	8.68	84
Louisiana	3.12	2.58	8.46	90
Maine	3.57	2.95	10.90	61
Maryland	3.26	2.72	9.30	91
Massachusetts	3.19	2.71	9.18	127
Michigan	2.88	2.50	7.57	115
Minnesota	3.17	2.70	9.11	122
Mississippi	3.25	2.23	8.04	71
Missouri	3.24	2.88	9.77	104
Montana	3.06	2.65	8.51	77
Nebraska	2.90	2.64	8.11	101
Nevada	3.22	2.82	9.11	82
New Hampshire	3.05	2.63	8.60	78
New Jersey	3.04	2.75	9.18	119
New Mexico	3.27	2.88	9.85	89
New York	3.34	2.80	9.57	143
North Carolina	3.34	2.85	9.91	115
North Dakota	3.14	2.66	8.86	80
Ohio	3.43	2.88	10.29	119
Oklahoma	3.00	2.46	8.14	73
Oregon	3.30	2.81	9.65	108
Pennsylvania	3.16	2.50	8.55	99
Rhode Island	3.58	2.98	11.08	48
South Carolina	2.97	2.56	8.60	86
South Dakota	3.27	2.88	10.00	95
Tennessee	3.16	2.89	9.45	120
Texas	3.28	2.84	10.32	99
Utah	3.31	2.92	10.01	70
Vermont	3.07	2.46	8.00	41
Virginia	3.38	2.96	10.29	112
Washington	3.10	2.64	8.87	116
West Virginia	3.39	2.67	9.53	64
Wisconsin	3.04	2.64	8.63	120
Wyoming	3.05	2.27	7.64	42
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.21	2.72	9.23	UNWEIGHTED
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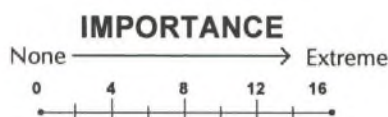
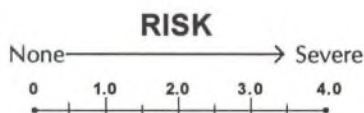
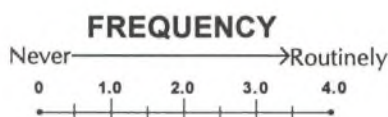
43. Modify or revise case management as patient's condition improves or fails to improve.



STATE	CASE MANAGEMENT (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.73	2.64	10.00	102
Alaska	3.65	2.71	10.92	49
Arizona	3.62	2.45	9.15	101
Arkansas	3.60	2.54	9.52	89
California	3.71	2.61	9.97	225
Colorado	3.75	2.72	10.39	111
Connecticut	3.77	2.92	11.52	103
Delaware	3.70	2.39	9.00	33
D.C.	3.50	2.50	9.38	8
Florida	3.62	2.71	10.15	141
Georgia	3.53	2.83	10.31	86
Hawaii	3.70	2.82	10.62	71
Idaho	3.71	2.57	9.78	89
Illinois	3.71	2.75	10.41	111
Indiana	3.60	2.61	9.83	111
Iowa	3.79	2.75	10.70	71
Kansas	3.54	2.46	9.19	95
Kentucky	3.57	2.49	9.55	83
Louisiana	3.49	2.54	9.38	90
Maine	3.75	2.89	10.98	61
Maryland	3.72	2.77	10.41	92
Massachusetts	3.76	2.70	10.43	127
Michigan	3.56	2.50	9.23	115
Minnesota	3.54	2.53	9.26	122
Mississippi	3.56	2.12	8.14	71
Missouri	3.68	2.71	10.47	102
Montana	3.59	2.68	9.87	77
Nebraska	3.65	2.80	10.62	101
Nevada	3.55	2.63	10.13	79
New Hampshire	3.64	2.59	9.76	78
New Jersey	3.54	2.68	9.84	118
New Mexico	3.60	2.63	10.25	87
New York	3.63	2.71	10.16	141
North Carolina	3.65	2.72	10.32	114
North Dakota	3.60	2.54	9.39	80
Ohio	3.74	2.73	10.50	119
Oklahoma	3.50	2.36	9.14	71
Oregon	3.65	2.63	10.01	106
Pennsylvania	3.66	2.75	10.27	100
Rhode Island	3.79	2.83	10.79	48
South Carolina	3.54	2.55	9.92	86
South Dakota	3.55	2.74	10.28	93
Tennessee	3.60	2.74	10.40	118
Texas	3.64	2.73	10.49	99
Utah	3.70	2.66	10.14	70
Vermont	3.66	2.66	10.15	41
Virginia	3.80	2.96	11.50	111
Washington	3.66	2.62	9.73	116
West Virginia	3.59	2.83	10.63	65
Wisconsin	3.55	2.57	9.41	120
Wyoming	3.43	2.32	8.18	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.64	2.65	10.05	UNWEIGHTED
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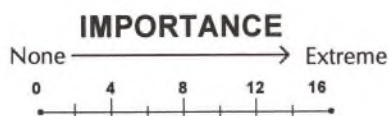
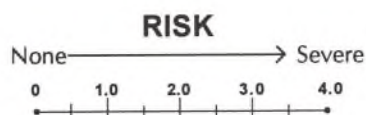
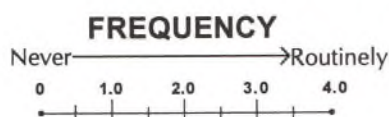
44. Encourage patient to make appropriate changes in habits or lifestyle that will result in prevention of reoccurrences or improvement of health.



STATE	CASE MANAGEMENT (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.73	2.25	8.81	100
Alaska	3.81	2.37	9.90	48
Arizona	3.64	2.02	7.66	101
Arkansas	3.71	2.32	8.83	90
California	3.75	2.30	8.87	225
Colorado	3.67	2.27	8.48	111
Connecticut	3.75	2.54	9.68	104
Delaware	3.70	2.15	8.44	32
D.C.	3.63	2.50	9.25	8
Florida	3.69	2.17	8.19	142
Georgia	3.78	2.26	8.66	86
Hawaii	3.77	2.32	8.83	71
Idaho	3.66	2.10	7.85	88
Illinois	3.69	2.46	9.36	111
Indiana	3.60	2.27	8.57	110
Iowa	3.63	2.38	8.77	71
Kansas	3.59	2.14	8.07	95
Kentucky	3.72	2.27	8.64	85
Louisiana	3.70	2.19	8.31	90
Maine	3.69	2.67	10.03	61
Maryland	3.68	2.22	8.24	92
Massachusetts	3.72	2.33	8.94	127
Michigan	3.54	2.06	7.44	115
Minnesota	3.62	2.27	8.41	123
Mississippi	3.67	1.89	7.25	71
Missouri	3.72	2.38	9.12	103
Montana	3.56	2.27	8.39	77
Nebraska	3.68	2.34	8.80	101
Nevada	3.67	2.18	8.13	82
New Hampshire	3.62	2.29	8.55	78
New Jersey	3.68	2.32	8.69	119
New Mexico	3.55	2.32	8.77	88
New York	3.80	2.53	9.68	143
North Carolina	3.69	2.33	8.79	115
North Dakota	3.56	2.21	7.95	80
Ohio	3.68	2.25	8.41	120
Oklahoma	3.59	2.12	8.08	72
Oregon	3.76	2.35	9.02	108
Pennsylvania	3.62	2.31	8.58	99
Rhode Island	3.67	2.35	8.73	48
South Carolina	3.58	2.18	8.31	87
South Dakota	3.62	2.42	9.01	94
Tennessee	3.63	2.39	8.92	120
Texas	3.73	2.35	9.33	99
Utah	3.72	2.35	8.99	70
Vermont	3.80	2.17	8.43	40
Virginia	3.71	2.38	9.25	110
Washington	3.66	2.20	8.28	115
West Virginia	3.74	2.33	9.08	65
Wisconsin	3.60	2.16	8.09	119
Wyoming	3.64	1.93	7.05	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.68	2.28	8.64	UNWEIGHTED
	3.69	2.30	8.62	WEIGHTED

CASE MANAGEMENT

45. Maintain written record of problem(s), goals, intervention strategies, and case progress.



STATE	CASE MANAGEMENT (Cont.)			Number Reporting
	Frequency	Risk Factor	Importance	
Alabama	3.49	2.24	8.24	101
Alaska	3.69	2.35	9.32	50
Arizona	3.54	2.27	8.39	100
Arkansas	3.52	2.34	8.63	90
California	3.55	2.22	8.37	223
Colorado	3.48	2.26	8.09	111
Connecticut	3.62	2.53	9.63	104
Delaware	3.91	2.42	9.52	33
D.C.	3.63	2.00	7.75	8
Florida	3.59	2.46	9.20	142
Georgia	3.40	2.37	8.73	85
Hawaii	3.58	2.51	9.36	70
Idaho	3.42	2.24	7.99	89
Illinois	3.48	2.45	8.88	112
Indiana	3.42	2.48	8.90	112
Iowa	3.59	2.39	8.83	71
Kansas	3.40	2.15	8.02	94
Kentucky	3.34	2.33	8.25	85
Louisiana	3.48	2.21	8.27	90
Maine	3.59	2.48	9.07	61
Maryland	3.52	2.41	8.85	91
Massachusetts	3.64	2.40	9.03	128
Michigan	3.33	2.18	7.81	113
Minnesota	3.31	2.35	8.26	122
Mississippi	3.37	2.03	7.10	72
Missouri	3.63	2.53	9.55	103
Montana	3.37	2.36	8.51	77
Nebraska	3.41	2.25	8.08	101
Nevada	3.50	2.23	8.36	80
New Hampshire	3.45	2.33	8.41	78
New Jersey	3.32	2.37	8.59	118
New Mexico	3.40	2.47	9.02	89
New York	3.33	2.41	8.40	143
North Carolina	3.65	2.37	8.90	115
North Dakota	3.59	2.35	8.59	80
Ohio	3.44	2.43	8.75	118
Oklahoma	3.30	2.13	7.72	72
Oregon	3.71	2.49	9.55	107
Pennsylvania	3.53	2.40	8.89	99
Rhode Island	3.69	2.42	9.08	48
South Carolina	3.49	2.38	8.80	88
South Dakota	3.45	2.34	8.28	95
Tennessee	3.53	2.44	8.91	120
Texas	3.51	2.33	8.87	101
Utah	3.39	2.38	8.58	69
Vermont	3.61	2.07	7.83	41
Virginia	3.69	2.71	10.11	112
Washington	3.53	2.29	8.42	116
West Virginia	3.32	2.24	8.03	64
Wisconsin	3.38	2.29	8.20	120
Wyoming	3.25	1.98	6.73	44
NATIONAL AVERAGES	3.49	2.35	8.62	UNWEIGHED
	3.49	2.35	8.53	WEIGHED

ACTIVITIES: Write-in Section (Survey Page 13)

In this essay section of the survey, respondents were asked to describe other essential activities (those which did not appear elsewhere in the survey activity section) which they use in their practice, and which they consider to be absolutely essential to the health or safety of their patients.

It should be noted that a majority of comments provided by respondents in this section were not directly related to activities performed in their practices. Rather, respondents tended to provide comments that reflected their opinions on issues confronting the chiropractic profession, the nature or intent of the job analysis survey, or an endorsement of a particular technique or a personal approach to practice.

Many of the respondents emphasized the desirability of good bedside manner with statements such as, "Take time to listen to the patient," and, "Care about your patients." Other comments reflected the respondents' inability to completely describe their practices within the framework of the survey instrument. At least one respondent from each state indicated that he/she referred patients to a hospital or radiology center for X-ray examination and/or a radiological report of findings.

Procedures noted one or more times by survey respondents were categorized and tabulated by individual state. The procedural categories, which have been summarized or paraphrased for ease of reference, appear in the box at the right.

The tables on the following two pages provide a breakdown of these response procedures by individual state. In order to utilize the tables, refer to the number(s) indicated and the corresponding procedures shown in the box on this page.

SUMMARY OF 'OTHER ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES' (As noted by survey respondents)

1. Instruct patient on appropriate exercise technique.
2. Inspect/clean office equipment and facilities.
3. Consult with patient regarding examination findings.
4. Educate patient on the chiropractic approach to health care.
5. Perform deep muscle therapy.
6. Educate patient on proper spinal hygiene.
7. Analyze patients' nutritional requirements/counsel patients on proper nutrition.
8. Require patient to sign appropriate consent to treatment and waiver forms.
9. Develop and implement office safety program/procedures.
10. Perform appropriate vertebral artery screening procedures prior to initiating treatment.
11. Use appropriate screening, shielding and radiation protection/reduction procedures during x-ray examination.
12. Request and review patient's prior health records.
13. Perform appropriate pain control procedures.
14. Contact patients at home after initial treatment.
15. Develop a protocol for referral if patient doesn't respond to treatment.
16. Consult with other health care providers when a presenting and/or concurrent condition is outside the scope of chiropractic practice.
17. Educate patient on stress management techniques.
18. Write patient reports for Workers' Compensation and/or other insurance providers.
19. Perform manipulation under anesthesia.
20. Provide adequate training for office staff/technicians.

STATE	OTHER ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES
Alabama	1, 2, 3, 4
Alaska	5
Arizona	1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16
Arkansas	10, 11, 15
California	1, 4, 6, 7, 12, 16
Colorado	4, 8, 10, 13
Connecticut	1, 6, 7
Delaware	14, 15, 16
D.C.	16
Florida	1, 16
Georgia	8, 12, 14
Hawaii	1, 16
Idaho	16
Illinois	1, 3, 17
Indiana	8, 11, 16
Iowa	4, 10
Kansas	1, 7, 16
Kentucky	1
Louisiana	1
Maine	3, 7, 16
Maryland	4, 10, 11, 16
Massachusetts	1, 4, 10, 14, 16
Michigan	3, 4, 8
Minnesota	4, 10, 18, 20
Mississippi	-
Missouri	8, 14

STATE	OTHER ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES
Montana	1, 5
Nebraska	1, 5, 6, 7, 10, 16, 18
Nevada	1, 7, 10, 11
New Hampshire	1
New Jersey	1, 4, 16
New Mexico	8, 16
New York	1, 9, 16, 17
North Carolina	4, 11, 16
North Dakota	16
Ohio	1, 8, 11, 16
Oklahoma	4
Oregon	4, 7, 11, 16
Pennsylvania	6
Rhode Island	-
South Carolina	4, 5
South Dakota	10
Tennessee	10, 11, 16
Texas	13, 14, 15, 16, 19
Utah	2, 3, 4, 9, 16
Vermont	16
Virginia	1, 6, 7
Washington	4, 15, 16
West Virginia	-
Wisconsin	1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 16, 17, 20
Wyoming	1, 6, 11