

State	Surgery/Procedure Scope	BMA, Lipo, Spinal Approved?	URL
Alaska	Procedures prohibited other than "removal of foreign objects from external tissue" and venipuncture	No	<a href="https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/portals/5/pub/naturopathystatutes.pdf">https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/portals/5/pub/naturopathystatutes.pdf</a>
Arizona	May administer subcutaneous, intramuscular and intravenous substances.	No	<a href="http://apps.azsos.gov/public_services/Title_04/4-18.pdf">http://apps.azsos.gov/public_services/Title_04/4-18.pdf</a>
California	May administer subcutaneous and intramuscular injections and intravenous injections after undergoing additional training. May not suture or perform biopsies. May not administer general or spinal anesthesia or perform any surgical procedure.	No	<a href="http://leginfo.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=BPC&amp;division=2.&amp;title=&amp;part=&amp;chapter=8.2.&amp;article=4">http://leginfo.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=BPC&amp;division=2.&amp;title=&amp;part=&amp;chapter=8.2.&amp;article=4</a>
Colorado	May not perform surgical procedures, including surgical procedures using a laser device or use general or spinal anesthetics, other than topical anesthetics. May perform minor office procedures defined as: the repair, care, and suturing of superficial lacerations and abrasions; (b) The removal of foreign bodies located in superficial tissue, excluding the ear or eye; and (c) Obtaining and administering saline, sterile water, topical antiseptics, and local anesthetics...	No	<a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B-K5DhxXzJzLWkyTENTmZ4ZEU/view">https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B-K5DhxXzJzLWkyTENTmZ4ZEU/view</a>
Connecticut	Minor office procedures or IV use not specified in the practice act. May administer subcutaneous, intramuscular and intravenous substances. Injections may not puncture the thoracic, abdominal, pelvic, cranial, or spinal cavities.	No	<a href="https://www.cga.ct.gov/current/pub/chap_373.htm">https://www.cga.ct.gov/current/pub/chap_373.htm</a>
Hawaii	May perform minor office procedures if specially certified through NPLEX	No	
Kansas	Can perform "Minor office procedures" which means care incidental to superficial lacerations and abrasions, superficial lesions and the removal of foreign bodies located in the superficial tissues, except eyes, and not involving blood vessels, tendons, ligaments or nerves. "Minor office procedures" includes use of antiseptics, but shall not include the suturing, repairing, alteration or removal of tissue or the use of general or spinal anesthesia. Minor office procedures does not include anesthetics or surgery.	No	<a href="http://www.ksbha.org/statutes/booklets/naturopath.pdf">http://www.ksbha.org/statutes/booklets/naturopath.pdf</a>
Maine	May not Perform surgical procedures except those office procedures authorized by this chapter (then does not specify anything in the statute to authorize any procedures).	No	<a href="http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/statutes/32/title32_sec12522.pdf">http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/statutes/32/title32_sec12522.pdf</a>
Massachusetts	Procedures prohibited	No	<a href="https://malegislature.gov/Bills/189/S2335.pdf">https://malegislature.gov/Bills/189/S2335.pdf</a>
Minnesota	A naturopathic doctor registered under this chapter shall not perform surgical procedures using a laser device or perform surgical procedures beyond superficial tissue.	No	<a href="https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/cite/147E.05">https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/cite/147E.05</a>
Montana	Cannot "perform surgical procedures except those minor surgery procedures authorized by this chapter", but then that definition is found nowhere in the legislation.	No	<a href="https://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/37/26/37-26-301.htm">https://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/37/26/37-26-301.htm</a>
New Hampshire	"Can perform "Minor office procedures" which means care incident to superficial lacerations and abrasions, and the removal of foreign bodies located in superficial structures, not to include the eyes. It shall include the use of antiseptics in connection with such procedures but shall not include the alteration or removal of tissue. Cannot perform surgical procedures.	No	<a href="https://www.nhand.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/NH-ND-Laws.pdf">https://www.nhand.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/NH-ND-Laws.pdf</a>
North Dakota	Cannot perform a surgical procedure. No authorization to perform minor office procedures.	No	<a href="https://www.legis.nd.gov/cencode/t43c58.pdf">https://www.legis.nd.gov/cencode/t43c58.pdf</a>
Oregon	No surgery deeper than the "deep superficial fascia".	No	<a href="https://www.oregon.gov/obnm/rules/CompleteOAR.4.2018.pdf">https://www.oregon.gov/obnm/rules/CompleteOAR.4.2018.pdf</a>
Pennsylvania	Not licensed, but registered. These issues not dealt with in registration authorization.	No	<a href="https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/billInfo/billInfo.cfm?sYear=2015&amp;sInd=0&amp;body=H&amp;type=B&amp;bn=516">https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/billInfo/billInfo.cfm?sYear=2015&amp;sInd=0&amp;body=H&amp;type=B&amp;bn=516</a>
Rhode Island	Cannot perform surgical procedures except those minor office procedures. Cannot perform surgical procedures involving the eye, ear, tendons, nerves, veins or arteries extending beyond superficial tissue.	No	<a href="http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText/BillText17/HouseText17/H5474.pdf">http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText/BillText17/HouseText17/H5474.pdf</a>
Vermont	Only minor procedures associated with naturopathic childbirth.		<a href="https://legislature.vermont.gov/statutes/fullchapter/26/081">https://legislature.vermont.gov/statutes/fullchapter/26/081</a>
Utah	Minor office procedures	No	<a href="https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r156/r156-71.htm">https://rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r156/r156-71.htm</a>
Washington State	Minor office procedures	No	<a href="https://app.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=18.36A.040">https://app.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=18.36A.040</a>
Washington, DC	Cannot perform surgical procedures, except for minor office procedures. These are not defined further.	No	<a href="https://code.dccouncil.us/dc/council/code/titles/3/chapters/12/subchapters/VI-A/">https://code.dccouncil.us/dc/council/code/titles/3/chapters/12/subchapters/VI-A/</a>