§3111. Definitions

As used in this chapter, unless the context indicates otherwise, the following terms shall have the following meanings. [PL 1979, c. 555, §2 (NEW).]

1. Board. "Board" means the Board of Examiners in Physical Therapy as created in section 3112. [PL 1979, c. 555, §2 (NEW).]

2. Direction. "Direction" means continuing verbal and written contact by a physical therapist with a physical therapist assistant including periodic on-site supervision adequate to ensure the safety and welfare of the patient. [PL 1979, c. 555, §2 (NEW).]


4. Physical therapist assistant. "Physical therapist assistant" means a person who assists in the practice of physical therapy. [PL 1979, c. 555, §2 (NEW).]


6. Practice of physical therapy. "Practice of physical therapy" means the rendering or offering to render any service involving physical therapy for a fee, salary or other compensation, monetary or otherwise, paid directly or indirectly. [PL 1979, c. 555, §2 (NEW).]

7. Referral. "Referral" means the request of a doctor of medicine, surgery, osteopathy, podiatry or dentistry to a physical therapist to accept one of his patients for treatment. [PL 1983, c. 468, §9 (AMD).]

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