

HB 175 -- Practice of Medicine

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This bill allows licensed health care practitioners to perform surgery using lasers, pulsed light, radio frequency, or medical microwave devices within their scope of practice and consistent with their training and education. A physician is allowed to delegate a procedure involving these devices to another person who is not a licensed physician but has the appropriate training to use the device. A person who uses lasers, pulsed light, radio frequency, or medical microwave devices and who is not a licensed physician must have appropriate documented training and education in the use of the device, be a licensed medical professional, and perform the procedure under the supervision of a licensed physician.