

**WAC 182-556-0200 Chiropractic services for children.** (1) The medicaid agency pays only for chiropractic services:

(a) For clients who are:

(i) Under age twenty-one; and

(ii) Referred by a screening provider under the healthy kids/early and periodic screening, diagnosis, and treatment (EPSDT) program.

(b) That are:

(i) Medically necessary under WAC 182-500-0070, safe, effective, and not experimental;

(ii) Provided by a chiropractor licensed in the state where services are provided; and

(iii) Within the scope of the chiropractor's license.

(c) Limited to:

(i) Chiropractic manipulative treatments of the spine; and

(ii) X-rays of the spine.

(2) Chiropractic services are paid according to fees established by the agency using methodology set out in WAC 182-531-1850.

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