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Recognizes that acupuncturists licensed by the state engage in a system of medicine to maintain and promote wellness and to prevent, diagnose, and treat disease drawing upon the experience, learning, and traditions originating in East Asia, which include more than acupuncture alone.

Changes the state's professional designation of acupuncturists to East Asian medicine practitioners.

Incorporates current statutory provisions governing acupuncture, while recognizing treatments, methods, and techniques used in East Asian medicine.