

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1010

Chapter 10, Laws of 2015

64th Legislature
2015 Regular Session

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS--REFERRAL OF MEDICAL CASES--OPTOMETRISTS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/24/2015

Passed by the House February 9, 2015
Yeas 96 Nays 0

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 8, 2015
Yeas 49 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved April 17, 2015 10:40 AM

JAY INSLEE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1010** as passed by House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BARBARA BAKER

Chief Clerk

FILED

April 17, 2015

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By House Health Care & Wellness (originally sponsored by Representatives Johnson, Cody, Harris, Moeller, Manweller, Walsh, Clibborn, Robinson, Tharinger, Riccelli, Rodne, Short, Gregerson, and Buys)

READ FIRST TIME 02/03/15.

1 AN ACT Relating to referral of medical cases to occupational
2 therapists; and amending RCW 18.59.100.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.59.100 and 1999 c 333 s 3 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 An occupational therapist shall, after evaluating a patient and
7 if the case is a medical one, refer the case to a physician for
8 appropriate medical direction if such direction is lacking. Treatment
9 by an occupational therapist of such a medical case may take place
10 only upon the referral of a physician, osteopathic physician,
11 podiatric physician and surgeon, naturopath, chiropractor, physician
12 assistant, psychologist, optometrist, or advanced registered nurse
13 practitioner licensed to practice in this state.

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