State Laws and Regulations Governing Dry Needling Performed by Physical Therapists in the US

Laws that govern physical therapists' ability to perform dry needling vary among the states. This map and the key below identify which state laws permit dry needling, which prohibit it, and which are silent on it.

Law permits PTs to perform dry needling (34 states and DC)

Law prohibits PTs from performing dry needling (7 states)
California  Colorado  Florida  Hawaii  Idaho  Kentucky  Maine

Law is silent on PTs performing dry needling (9 states)
Connecticut  Delaware  Georgia  Indiana  Iowa  Kansas  Maine  Massachusetts  Michigan  Minnesota

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