



Legislative Updates (Feb 2009)- you may want to check into these bills and related issues this month...

Editors' Note: Feel free to send in ideas for this corner, addressed to info@aaaom.com. The following notes have been excerpted from a few of the e-mails of the Legislative and Legal Affairs Committee of the OAAOM- Margaret Sanger (Chair), Stuart Greenleaf, Pat Murphy, Peter Martin, Gonzo Flores, Al Theme and Stephen Kafoury (our Lobbyist).

◇Stuart and Al have proposed changes, below, to the following bill. It deals primarily with changing statute language pertaining to substance abuse.

<http://www.leg.state.or.us/09reg/measures/hb2000.dir/hb2049.intro.html>

◇This one is short, but potentially very important. Please take a look and share your thoughts on appropriate action for us to take. This would be the "discussion" section. When we reach something nearing a consensus, we'll take a vote. HB2129

<http://www.leg.state.or.us/09reg/measures/hb2100.dir/hb2129.intro.html>

◇To read the letter and add your name, please visit *(This one is from the last month.)*

<http://www.petitiononline.com/ACAMYES/petition.html>

"Presidential Petition for Incorporation of Integrative CAM into U.S. Health Care Policy"

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