



May 7, 2009

**CCGPP to Release Thoracic Chapter for Review and Comment**  
***Comment Period on Cervical Chapter to end May 15***

The Council on Chiropractic Guidelines and Practice Parameters (CCGPP) will post “CHIROPRACTIC MANAGEMENT OF THORACIC SPINE CONDITIONS: A Literature Synthesis Draft” for review and commentary at [www.ccgpp.org](http://www.ccgpp.org) on May 21, 2009. The comment period will remain open until July 20, 2009. This chapter was written by CCGPP Commission member Jeffrey R. Cates, DC, MS, and his team. It is the eighth chapter to be released in the ongoing best practices initiative of the CCGPP, as commissioned by its founding organizations. It should be noted this chapter represents only the literature synthesis, and future projects are planned to translate the evidence into useful information for the DC practice to be published in its final form as the Clinical Chiropractic Compass.

Please be reminded the comment period for an evidence synthesis on "REPORT ON THE NECK PAIN TASK FORCE LITERATURE SYNTHESIS-DRAFT" will end May 15, 2009.

Comments on these documents should be submitted in an electronic format to [ccgpp@sc.rr.com](mailto:ccgpp@sc.rr.com) and include a discussion of the conclusions, submission of additional literature for review, and editorial suggestions.

Thank you for your participation in the comment period, as well as your continued support of the CCGPP's iterative best practices process.

Sincerely,

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