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I have been receiving medical care from a naturopathic physician for more than two decades. He is able to order blood tests to properly diagnose health conditions. When the appropriate treatment is a prescription drug I must then schedule a session with an MD to obtain a prescription for the medicine. This causes a delay and additional cost for the appropriate treatment. Since naturopathic physicians are trained to properly use prescriptive medications when necessary, and many other states have allowed this with good results, please allow this in Connecticut. With proper qualification and monitoring public health would be protected and enhanced. Please make this regulatory change. Thank you.

Sincerely,
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