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General Comment

Neurofeedback and other neurologically related treatments do a lot to improve thousands of peoples lives every year. The number of people doing neurofeedback is growing by leaps and bounds. Since I began doing neurofeedback 6 years ago, I believe there are four times as many people, doing neurofeedback in the Chicago area. Most of these people are psychologists and neuropsychologists. These are highly educated people who would not being adding neurofeedback to their practice if there were no evidence for its effectiveness or if they had not found good results with their clients. The people doing the work need liability insurance for these appplications like any other kind of therapy they do such as psychotherapy.

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