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Charles P. Fasano, D.O.
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Dear Dr. Fasano:

As a physician assistant student at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, I am writing this letter to say that I support the proposed osteopathic prescribing regulations for physician assistants. I believe that the regulations should be worded exactly the same way as the allopathic regulations to avoid any confusion in clinical practice.

As a student, prescribing regulations under osteopathic physicians will make it easier for me to stay and practice after graduation as a physician assistant in the state of PA. This will increase patients access to care because physician assistants will be able to practice to the full extent of their training. Thank you.

Signature: *Jennifer Davidson*

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