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Dear Dr. Fasano:

My name is Tim Koah and I am a PA student in the class of 2009. I fully support the proposed osteopathic prescribing regulations for Physician Assistants. These prescribing regulations should be worded exactly the same as the allopathic regulations to avoid any confusion in clinical practice. PA's have been safely prescribing under the supervision of allopathic physicians for years. Access to care will be improved because PA's currently supervised by DO's will be able to practice to the full extent of their training.

Signature: *Timothy Koah*

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