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

I support the regulation allowing DOs to delegate prescribing to PAs. PAs have been safely prescribing in Pennsylvania since the mid 1990s. These rules will give DOs the same right as MDs to improve care for their patients.

Signature: *Rich DePalma* OMS II

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