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Dear Dr. Charles P. Fasano:

I fully support the proposed osteopathic prescribing regulations for physician assistants. Physician Assistants have been safely prescribing under the supervision of allopathic physicians for years. It should be up to the individual physician to decide whether his/her PA will prescribe and which drugs the PA should prescribe. Under this model, the physician assistant can work with the supervising physician to ensure patient safety. This will also allow for better patient care by allowing PAs who are supervised by DOs to practice to the full extent of their training. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Leanne Marada, PA-C

CC: Basil L. Merenda, Commissioner, Bureau of Professional & Occupational Affairs

Governor Edward G. Rendell

