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Dear Dr. Fasano:

I am a physician assistant practicing in the Division of Orthopaedic Surgery at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. I am writing to support prescribing authority for physician assistants practicing with osteopathic physician supervisors.

I currently safely and effectively prescribe medicines for patients without an osteopathic physician supervisor, and physician assistants who work in other settings have the same training. My prescribing is considered very helpful to our patients and to the physicians with whom I work.

Thank you for your time and dedication to this matter. Please feel free to contact me with questions at any time.

Sincerely,

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