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The new hygiene regulations are long overdue! This is a great way to finally get the recognition this profession deserves. We are educated for over two years to be hygiene professionals and taught how to ethically treat the public. It is about time the public gives us the credit we deserve. Nurses have the respect of the public with the same education we have- now maybe we will be perceived as more than just tooth pickers! Way to go Dental Hygienists! We have the knowledge and the background --let's put it into action.