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To whom it may concern,

I am currently a dental hygiene student and I am writing because I strongly support the changes being addressed in regards to Dental Hygiene in the state of Pennsylvania. These changes will allow dental hygienist to fulfill duties that they are extremely well educated for and it will help to improve access to dental healthcare across PA. I agree that dental hygienists should be allowed to administer anesthesia and take radiographs with the "level of supervision determined by the dentist and the RDH." I strongly recommend the "inclusion of free health clinics and non-profit clinics as sites for Public Health Dental Hygiene Practitioners to practice."

Thank You,

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