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Dear Mr. Grovich

As a practicing dental hygienist for 20 years in the state of PA and actively involved in the dental hygiene profession it pleases me to see the changes in the regulations that are being reviewed. These changes are definitely positive movements to the existing "Access to Care" issue across the country. It's rewarding to see that the "Call to Action" is finally taking a active step after years of getting the legislation approved.

I appreciate all the time and energy the State Board of Dentistry as well as other organizations in the healthcare field have spent over the past years to get dental hygienists to this level of care for the public.

With respect,

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Faith is to believe what we do not see and the reward of this faith is to see what we believe - Augustine

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