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Please accept this letter expressing strong support for Rulemaking 16A-4633 to enable the inclusion of Public Health Dental Hygienist (PHDHP) into both primary care and school based health centers in order to dramatically improve the oral health of Pennsylvania's low-income children and adolescents. With adoption of this rule, Education Plus Health would integrate a PHDHP into all 14 of its School Based Health Centers in Title one schools to improve utilization of preventive oral health care and entry into a medical home.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this support. Thanks in advance. Julie

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