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Attorney Wucinski,

I am writing to you today in support of Proposed Rulemaking Regulations 16-4955 for Physician Assistants in Pennsylvania as currently written (proposed).

I graduated from King's College in 1993 and practiced primary care for underserved residents of Pennsylvania at a Federally Qualified Health Center full time for 14 years and then part-time for an additional 12 years after becoming full-time faculty at the King's College PA Program. The proposed changes help to reduce the administrative burden for PA/Physician teams to serve the residents of Pennsylvania and by doing so helps to increase access to care. The changes will complete the process of enacting the regulations for Act 79 of 2021 which modernized the Medical Practice Act for PAs working under the State Board of Medicine.

I appreciate the time and energy spent by the Board of Medicine and the Pennsylvania Society of PAs to write these proposed regulations.

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