

Pennsylvania Society of Physician Assistants

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Board Counsel Dana Wucinski State Board of Medicine P.O. 69523 Harrisburg, PA 17106- 5923

Dear Board Counsel Dana Wucinski,

Act 70 of 2021 modernized the Medical Practice Act for PAs working under the State Board of Medicine. Passage of that Act removed certain restrictions on physician assistant practice to provide improved patient access, greater autonomy for PAs and more efficient care teams.

The PSPA supports the Proposed Rulemaking 16-4955 in reference to Physician Assistants as written, to implement the regulations for Act 70 as published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin.

Our organization has worked over the past several years to modernize our regulatory language to improve the delivery of patient care by the Physician / PA teams. Pennsylvania physician assistants look forward to filling the gap and providing the much needed health care for the citizens of our Commonwealth.

Sincerely,

Robert Ross, PA-C

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President