

SB129_L.006

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee_____
DateCommittee on Health and Human Services.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB09-129 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 7, strike "who:" and substitute "who,
2 WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE PERSON'S EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND
3 EXPERIENCE:";

4 line 15, strike "CASTS;" and substitute "CASTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF
5 FABRICATING A PERMANENT RECORD OF THE PATIENT'S PRESENT
6 CONDITION; AS A VISUAL AID FOR PATIENT EDUCATION, DENTAL HYGIENE
7 DIAGNOSIS, AND DENTAL HYGIENE TREATMENT PLANNING; AND TO
8 PROVIDE ASSISTANCE DURING FORENSIC EXAMINATION;";

9 line 21, strike "AND SECTION 12-35-125".

10 Page 3, line 1, strike "ORDERS AND ADMINISTERS" and substitute
11 "ADMINISTERS";

12 after line 2, insert the following:

13 "SECTION 2. 12-35-124, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended
14 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

15 **12-35-124. What constitutes practicing unsupervised dental**
16 **hygiene.** (1.5) A DENTAL HYGIENIST SHALL STATE IN WRITING AND
17 REQUIRE A PATIENT TO ACKNOWLEDGE BY SIGNATURE THAT ANY
18 DIAGNOSIS OR ASSESSMENT IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING
19 NECESSARY DENTAL HYGIENE SERVICES ONLY AND THAT IT IS
20 RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION, OR ANY
21 SUCCESSOR ORGANIZATIONS, THAT A THOROUGH DENTAL EXAMINATION



1 BE PERFORMED BY A DENTIST TWICE EACH YEAR."

2 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

3 Page 4, line 3, strike "ORDERS AND ADMINISTERS" and substitute
4 "ADMINISTERS";

5 after line 4, insert the following:

6 "SECTION 4. 12-35-127, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended
7 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

8 **12-35-127. Dental hygienist examinations - license -**
9 **endorsement - liability insurance.** (4) A DENTAL HYGIENIST SHALL
10 PROVIDE PROOF OF PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE IN THE AMOUNT
11 OF NOT LESS THAN FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS PER CLAIM AND AN
12 AGGREGATE LIABILITY LIMIT FOR ALL CLAIMS DURING A CALENDAR YEAR
13 OF NOT LESS THAN THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS."

14 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

15 Page 4, line 16, strike "ORDER AND".

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