
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 447-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (f) to read as follows:
3 "(f) No person shall practice dental hygiene, either
4 gratuitously or for pay, or shall offer or attempt so to
5 practice, or shall advertise or announce publicly or privately
6 as being prepared or qualified so to practice without having a
7 license as provided in this section. The original or a copy of
8 the certificate of licensure shall be prominently displayed at
9 all times in the workplace where the dental hygienist is
10 employed or practices. A dental hygienist's pocket
11 identification card shall be readily available for viewing upon
12 request to ensure the license is current. A licensed dental
13 hygienist shall practice only under the supervision of a
14 licensed dentist as provided in this chapter; provided that a
15 licensed dental hygienist shall administer under the direct
16 supervision of a licensed dentist only those categories of
17 intra-oral block anesthesia listed in the course content
18 submitted to the board pursuant to subsection (a)."



- 1 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 2 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



Report Title:

Dental Hygienists; Display of License

Description:

Requires a dental hygienist's certificate of licensure to be prominently displayed in the workplace. Requires a dental hygienist's pocket identification card to be available for viewing upon request. (SB2013 HD2)

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