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To who it may concern,

Further deregulation of OHTs allowing them to practice independently is a terrible idea.

I currently work overseas and I constantly see patients who have only seen a hygienist for years and then they come to me (I'm a dentist) in an emergency situation and the level of undiagnosed treatment is appalling. These patients are suffering because all they do is see a hygienist who doesn't have the knowledge to evaluate the whole dentition - but the patient does not know this.

Regards

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