

CHAPTER 682

(House Bill 481)

AN ACT concerning

Dentistry - Practice of Dentistry Defined

FOR the purpose of providing that the practice of dentistry shall include the diagnosis or treatment of any disease, injury, malocclusion, or malposition of structures associated with a tooth, gum, or jaw, provided the service, operation, or procedure is included in certain curricula or residency programs.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health Occupations  
Section 4-101(1)(3)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1981 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health Occupations

4-101.

(1) "Practice dentistry" means to:

(3) Diagnose, treat, or attempt to diagnose or treat any disease, injury, malocclusion, or malposition of a tooth, gum, [or] jaw, OR STRUCTURES ASSOCIATED WITH A TOOTH, GUM, OR JAW IF THE SERVICE, OPERATION, OR PROCEDURE IS INCLUDED IN THE CURRICULA OF AN ACCREDITED DENTAL SCHOOL, OR IN -A- AN APPROVED DENTAL RESIDENCY PROGRAM OF AN ACCREDITED H SPITAL OR TEACHING INSTITUTION;

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 31, 1983.

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CHAPTER 683

(House Bill 655)

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