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## **VETOES**

- (2) "Licensed dental hygienist" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, a holder of:
  - (i) A general license to practice dental hygiene; or
  - (ii) A teacher's license to practice dental hygiene.
- [(j)] (K) (1) "Licensed dentist" means, unless the context requires otherwise, a dentist who is licensed by the Board to practice dentistry.
- (2) "Licensed dentist" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, a holder of:
  - (i) A general license to practice dentistry;
  - (ii) A limited license to practice dentistry; or
  - (iii) A teacher's license to practice dentistry.
  - (L) "PATIENT OF RECORD" MEANS A PATIENT ON WHOM A DENTIST HAS:
    - (1) TAKEN A COMPLETE MEDICAL HISTORY;
    - (2) COMPLETED A CLINICAL EXAMINATION;
    - (3) RECORDED ANY PATHOLOGICAL CONDITIONS; AND
    - (4) PREPARED A TREATMENT PLAN.
  - [(k)](M) (L) "Practice dental hygiene" means to:
    - (1) Perform a preliminary dental examination;
- (2) Perform a complete prophylaxis, including the removal of any deposit, accretion, or stain from the surface of a tooth or a restoration;
  - (3) Polish a tooth or a restoration;
- (4) Chart cavities, restorations, missing teeth, periodontal conditions, and other features observed during preliminary examination, prophylaxis, or polishing;
  - (5) Apply a medicinal agent to a tooth for a prophylactic purpose;
  - (6) Take a dental X ray; or
- (7) Perform any other intraoral function that the Board authorizes by a rule or regulation adopted under § 4–206 of this title.
  - [(1)] (N) (M) "Practice dentistry" means to:
- (1) Be a manager, a proprietor, or a conductor of or an operator in any place in which a dental service or dental operation is performed intraorally;
- (2) Perform or attempt to perform any intraoral dental service or intraoral dental operation;