

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1211**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Harriette L. Chandler*

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the sustainability of public health dental hygienists through adequate reimbursements.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Harriette L. Chandler</i>	<i>First Worcester</i>	
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>	
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>	<i>2/5/2019</i>
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	<i>2/27/2019</i>

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By Ms. Chandler, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1211) of Harriette L. Chandler, Louis L. Kafka, James K. Hawkins and Sal N. DiDomenico for legislation relative to public health dental hygienists. Public Health.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1165 OF 2017-2018.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to the sustainability of public health dental hygienists through adequate reimbursements.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Section 51 of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended in line 60 by striking out, “by Medicaid but except as required by federal
- 3 Medicaid law, shall not seek reimbursement from any other insurance or third party payor.”