

Requested by Representative GREENLICK

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
A-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 561**

1 On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, line 2, after “679.025” delete the
2 rest of the line and insert “, 680.020 and 680.200; and declaring an
3 emergency.”.

4 On page 3, after line 27, insert:

5 **“SECTION 3.** ORS 680.200 is amended to read:

6 “680.200. (1) Upon application accompanied by the fee established by the
7 Oregon Board of Dentistry, the board shall grant a permit to practice as an
8 expanded practice dental hygienist to an applicant who:

9 “(a) Holds a valid, unrestricted Oregon dental hygiene license;

10 “(b) Presents proof of current professional liability insurance coverage;

11 “(c) Presents documentation satisfactory to the board of successful com-
12 pletion of an emergency life support course for health professionals, includ-
13 ing cardiopulmonary resuscitation, from an agency or educational institution
14 approved by the board; and

15 “(d) Presents documentation satisfactory to the board that the applicant
16 has:

17 “(A)(i) Completed 2,500 hours of supervised dental hygiene practice; and

18 “(ii) After licensure as a dental hygienist, completed 40 hours of courses,
19 chosen by the applicant, in clinical dental hygiene or public health sponsored
20 by continuing education providers approved by the board; or

21 “(B) Completed a course of study approved by the board that includes at

1 least 500 hours of dental hygiene practice, completed before or after gradu-
2 ation from a dental hygiene program, on patients described in ORS 680.205
3 while under the [*direct*] **indirect** supervision of a member of the faculty of
4 a dental program or dental hygiene program accredited by the Commission
5 on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association or its successor
6 agency.

7 “(2) A permit issued pursuant to subsection (1) of this section expires two
8 years following the date of issuance unless renewed on or before that date
9 by:

10 “(a) Payment of the renewal fee as set by the board;

11 “(b) Submission to the board of satisfactory evidence of completion of at
12 least 36 hours of continuing education;

13 “(c) Presentation to the board of proof of professional liability insurance
14 coverage; and

15 “(d) Completion of a survey developed by the board that measures the
16 success of the expanded practice dental hygienist program against baseline
17 data.

18 “(3) The board may refuse to issue or renew an expanded practice dental
19 hygienist permit or may suspend or revoke the permit of an expanded prac-
20 tice dental hygienist who has been convicted of an offense or been disci-
21 plined by a dental licensing body in a manner that bears, in the judgment
22 of the board, a demonstrable relationship to the ability of the applicant to
23 practice expanded practice dental hygiene in accordance with the provisions
24 of this chapter or ORS chapter 679, or who has falsified an application for
25 permit, or any person for any cause described under ORS 679.140 or
26 679.170.”

27 In line 28, delete “3” and insert “4”.

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