

Policy Type:	Ends Policies	
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GLOBAL END:

BCDHA EXISTS SO THAT OWNERS ARE ACTIVELY ENGAGED AND VALUE THEIR PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION. *

This is further interpreted in these subsequent Ends levels, in order of priority, as:

2.1 All members are actively engaged as owners.**

- 2.1.1 They have relevant opportunities to develop professionally.
- 2.1.2 They have a safe and healthy work environment.
- 2.1.3 They feel connected to their professional community.

2.2 The public recognizes dental hygienists as primary care providers.

- 2.2.1 The public is knowledgeable about dental hygienists and their unique contributions.
- 2.2.2 The public has access to dental hygiene care without barriers.

2.3 The profession continues to advance.

- 2.3.1 It actively supports the advancement of dental hygiene education.
- 2.3.2 It supports a diversity of careers within the profession.
- 2.3.3 It supports research to contribute to the dental hygiene body of knowledge.
- 2.3.4 It is a catalyst for growth and innovation.

2.4 Policy makers recognize dental hygienists as primary health care providers

- 2.3.5 Policy makers will recognize dental hygienists as integral to the health care system.
- 2.3.6 Policy makers include dental hygienists in developing and implementing healthy public policy.

*...for a reasonable return on the investment of our resources

** includes current, student, retired and non-practicing