



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

DENTAL HYGIENE APPRECIATION DAY

WHEREAS: Dental hygienists, as licensed oral health care professionals, actively promote oral health care and prevention of oral disease. There are currently more than 7,500 registered dental hygienists in Georgia; and

WHEREAS: As preventive specialists dental hygienists contribute to the oral health of patients and provide an essential service to benefit citizens' overall well-being; and

WHEREAS: Dental hygienists give their time and effort to provide oral health care to individuals of need, such as children, senior citizens, low-income individuals, and individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS: These services are essential in dental offices, public health facilities, schools, long-term care settings, hospitals, private organizations, and research facilities for providing the best possible health care for all citizens; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim February 10, 2022 as DENTAL HYGIENE APPRECIATION DAY in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 11th day of January in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Two.



B. P. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Mantua Kipetrich

CHIEF OF STAFF