

**LSU HEALTH CARE SERVICES DIVISION  
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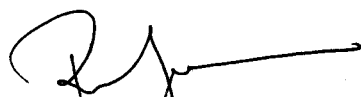
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CATEGORY: Judicial/Legal Mandate

CONTENT: Dental Work on Minors  
R.S. 14:93.2.2

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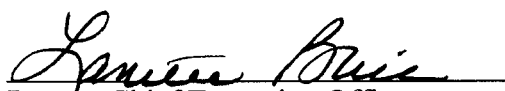
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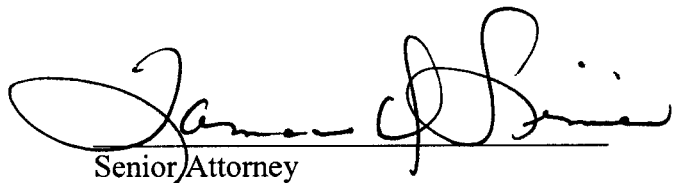
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I. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE, SCOPE, APPLICABILITY OF POLICY

(A) Purpose and Scope

It is the policy of the LSU Health Care Services Division (HCSD) to comply with Act 1101 of the 1995 Regular Session of the Legislature in providing dental work on minors involving placement of gold fillings, crowns, and dentures without parental or guardian consent.

(B) Applicability

This policy will apply to all facilities under the jurisdiction of the LSU Health Care Services Division who provide dental services to the public.

II. POLICY OF THE HCSD

It is unlawful for any person to replace a tooth or part of a tooth or associated tissue by means of a filling, cap, or crown made of any gold substance on any person under the age of eighteen without the consent of the parents or guardian of such person.

A release shall be obtained from the minor's parents or guardian prior to replacing a tooth or part of a tooth or associated tissue by means of a filling, cap, or crown made of any gold substance.

This release shall be filed in the minor's medical record.

III. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION

In accordance with R.S. 14:93.2.2, whoever violates the provisions of this Section shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars nor more than five thousand dollars.

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