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INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Please complete this form for proposed amendment/s to the Portland Area Standards and Procedures (PASP), as amended.
2. Please provide a rationale for why this change is required. Refer to:

PASP Chapter 12. Amendments

Sec. 12.10.010. Effective Date. Amendments to the PASP may be adopted by this Board and shall become effective on the later of the effective date adopted by the Board or thirty days after the date upon which the amendment was adopted by the Board.

Sec. 12.10.020. Consideration at More Than One Meeting. The Board shall not take action on a proposed amendment to the PASP at the first meeting at which the amendment was proposed unless it first determines that:

- a. an emergency or other exigent circumstance exists;
- b. the amendment is necessary to correct an error in the PASP;
- c. the amendment does not have a substantive effect; or
- d. the amendment is necessary to assure compliance with law or regulation to which tribal health programs are subject.

3. Please use the instructions below to edit existing content. In an amendment, you change, delete, or add to the wording of a section. Note: if you recommend creating a new section, the Board will determine the actual citation.
 - a. Cite the section, sentence, or words that you want to change.
 - b. Strike through the content you wish to delete ("words to strike").
 - c. Highlight any additional content ("underline the word(s) you wish to add").
4. Consider the date amendment will be effective.

PASP Section Number	Existing PASP with Edits	ARC notes
Table of Contents Chapter 2. Sec. 2.30.270	Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF) Treatment Requirement a. Prerequisites. b. Dental Supervision. c. Training and Education. d. Preceptorship. e. Competencies.	Recommend removal of sec.2.30.270 due to the fact SDF is a fluoride treatment that falls under all relevant fluoride sections: Sec. 2.30.100 (b)(1) Sec. 2.30.110. (b)(1)(H)

		This sect. is not in the AK S&Ps
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Table of Contents Chapter 2. Sec. 2.30.280	<p>Antimicrobial Treatments</p> <p>a. Prerequisites</p> <p>b. Dental Supervision</p> <p>c. Training and Education</p> <p>d. Preceptorship</p> <p>e. Competencies</p>	<p>Recommend removal of sec.2.30.280 - antibiotics are covered in sec. 2.30.110(b)(1) (G)and (H) and 2.30.110 (b)(2)(C) and (3)(C)</p> <p>Barrier for the clinics that do not have access to antimicrobials</p> <p>This sect. is not in the AK S&Ps</p>
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Sec. 2.30.020. (a) (2)	<p>a) Minimum Requirements. A person who satisfies the requirements of subsection 2.30.020(b) [scope of practice prior to certification as a DHA; (employment)] may perform services of a certified dental health aide prior to being certified under this article to the extent the services are performed:</p> <p>(1) as part of training required for certification;</p> <p>(2) as part of a required preceptorship under sections 2.30.100(b) [PDHA I training & education requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.220(c)(1)(B) [sealant requirements; training, education & preceptorship; (sealants during training)] or (c)(2) [sealant requirements; training, education & preceptorship; (preceptorship)], 2.30.230(d) [dental prophylaxis requirements; (preceptorship)]; 2.30.240(c)(1)(D) [dental radiology requirements; training, education & preceptorship; (radiographs during training)] or (c)(2) [dental radiology requirements; training, education & preceptorship; (minimum 45 number radiographs)], 2.30.250(c) [dental assistant function requirements; (training, education & preceptorship)], 2.30.260(d) [ART requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.270 (d)[SDF requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.280(d) [Antimicrobials requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.400(b) [EFDHA I supervision, training and education requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.500(b) [EFDHA II training & education requirements;</p>	<p>Aligns with recommended removal of sections 2.30.270 and 2.30.280</p>

	(preceptorship)], 2.30.550(d) [stainless steel crown placement requirements; (preceptorship)], 2.30.600(c) [DHAT training & education requirements; (preceptorship)];	
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Sec. 2.30.100 (b)	<p>b) Preceptorship. A dental health aide must, after completion of the requirements in subsection (a) of this section and under the direct supervision of a dentist, dental health aide therapist, or dental hygienist, (supervision duties may be distributed among multiple providers) satisfactorily complete a preceptorship, which must include satisfactory performance in the:</p> <p>(1) delivery of a minimum of 20 <u>topical</u> fluoride treatments;</p> <p>(2) delivery of a minimum of 40 oral hygiene sessions of which</p> <p>(A) a minimum of 10 must be with children under 6 years of age;</p> <p>(B) a minimum of 10 must be with patients between ages 6 and 14; and</p> <p>(C) a minimum of 10 must be with patients over age 14;</p> <p>(3) delivery of a minimum of 20 diet education sessions, including a minimum of:</p> <p>(A) 10 provided to the primary caregiver of children under age 6; and</p> <p>(B) 5 provided to an adult regarding the adult's own diet; and</p> <p>(4) delivery of a minimum of 20 antimicrobial treatments,</p> <p>(5) an additional 40 hours of relevant work experience.</p>	<p>"Topical" provides clarification from systemic fluoride treatments</p> <p>Removing antimicrobial treatments aligns with removal of sec.2.30.280</p> <p>Aligns with AK</p>
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Sec. 2.30.110. (b)	<p>b) Competencies. A certified primary dental health aide I must successfully demonstrate and maintain:</p> <p>(1) an understanding of:</p> <p>(A) basic dental anatomy;</p> <p>(B) caries disease process;</p> <p>(C) periodontal disease process;</p> <p>(D) infection control;</p> <p>(E) health care system access, including access to Medicaid and other third-party resources;</p> <p>(F) scheduling;</p> <p>(G) theory of prevention; and</p> <p>(H) fluoride as a drug and related issues;</p> <p>(2) competency in the following subjects:</p> <p>(A) <u>topical</u> fluoride treatments, including gels, foams, varnish, and mouth rinse;</p>	<p>(2)(A) "topical" fluoride treatments include "gels, foams, varnish, and mouth rinse"</p> <p>(E) the addition of the competencies included in the AK CHA Sections 2.20.110(b)(1), (3) through (12), (14) and (15) [CHA I competencies. These competencies are subject matter requirements in PASP Sec. 7.20.010. DHA</p>

	<p>(B)diet education; (C)oral hygiene instruction; (D)identification of potential dental problems and appropriate referrals; (E)[RESERVED for CHA/P] <u>the following community health aide competencies:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. <u>medical ethics, including patient confidentiality and patient rights;</u> ii. <u>dental health aide's legal coverage;</u> iii. <u>applicable state mandatory reporting requirements;</u> iv. <u>consent for treatment issues;</u> v. <u>introductory interviewing skills;</u> vi. <u>general health/wellness and disease processes;</u> vii. <u>infection and communicable diseases;</u> viii. <u>introductory anatomy and function of the human body;</u> ix. <u>introductory medical vocabulary/abbreviations;</u> x. <u>importance of thorough documentation of patient encounter;</u> <p>(F)dental health aide's general scope of work; and (G)basic life support; and (3)satisfactory performance of the following skills: (A)[RESERVED future CHAM]; (B)general medical history taking; (C)patient education including: (i)oral hygiene instruction; (ii)diet education; and (iii)explanation of prevention strategies, including fluoride and sealants; (D)tooth brush prophylaxis; (E)providing topical fluorides, including gels, foam, varnish, and rinses; (F)clean/sterile techniques; (G)universal precautions; and (H)hand hygiene.</p>	<p>Core Curriculum, adding here will align the PASPs.</p> <p>(3)(E) "topical" fluoride treatments include "gels, foams, varnish, and mouth rinse"</p>
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Sec. 2.30.210 (b)(3)	<p>(b)Competencies. In addition to meeting the requirements of section 2.30.110 [PDHA I supervision & competencies], a certified dental health aide II must successfully demonstrate and maintain: (1)The following skills: (A)an understanding and knowledge of dental anatomy; (B)an understanding and knowledge of caries and the periodontal disease process; (C)identification and knowledge of dental instruments and equipment; (D)an understanding of telemedicine technology; (E)dental charting; (F)problem-specific medical and dental history taking;</p>	<p>Aligns with removing SDF sections: Table of Contents Chapter 2. Sec. 2.30.270 2.30.270 (d)[SDF requirements; (preceptorship)], Sec. 7.20.150. Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF).</p>

	<p>(G)basic knowledge of relationship between medical conditions and oral health;</p> <p>(H)basic management of dental emergencies;</p> <p>(I)proper handling and sterilization of instruments; and</p> <p>(J)disinfection of the operatory;</p> <p>(2)satisfactory performance of the following skills:</p> <p>(A)intra- and extra-oral photographs, if equipment is available; and</p> <p>(3)meeting the requirements of one or more of the following sections:</p> <p>(A)2.30.220 [sealant requirements];</p> <p>(B)2.30.230 [dental prophylaxis requirements];</p> <p>(C)2.30.240 [dental radiology requirements];</p> <p>(D)2.30.250 [dental assistant function requirements];or</p> <p>(E)2.30.260 [ART requirements]</p> <p>(F)2.30.270 [SDF requirements].</p>	
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Sec. 2.30.270	<p>Sec. 2.30.270. Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF) Treatment Requirements.</p> <p>(a)Prerequisites. A dental health aide may be certified under this section to perform SDF treatment under the conditions set forth in subsections (b) through (d) of this section, provided the dental health aide satisfies the requirements of sections:</p> <p>(1)2.30.200 [PDHA II training & education requirements] and 2.30.210 [PDHA II supervision & competencies];</p> <p>(2)2.30.300 [DHAH training, education, & licensure requirements] and 2.30.310 [DHAH supervision & competencies];</p> <p>(3)2.30.400 [EFDHA I supervision, training, & education requirements] and 2.30.410 [EFDHA I supervision & competencies]; or</p> <p>2.30.500 [EFDHA II training & education requirements] and 2.30.510 [EFDHA II supervision & competencies], and 2.30.220 [sealant requirements], 2.30.230 [dental prophylaxis requirements], and 2.30.240 [dental radiology requirements].</p> <p>(b)Dental Supervision.</p> <p>(1)The dental health aide may perform SDF only after consultation with a dentist or dental health aide therapist (exception is the dental health aide hygienist who must be supervised by a dentist) who has reviewed appropriate dental records regarding the patient, which may include radiographs and intra-oral photographs.</p> <p>(2)SDF may be performed under this section by a dental health aide under the general supervision of a dentist or dental health aide therapist (exception is the dental health aide hygienist who must be supervised by a dentist) provided the dental health</p>	<p>Recommend removal of sec.2.30.270 - SDF is a fluoride treatment that falls under all relevant fluoride sections: Chapter 2. Article 30. Sec. 2.30.100 (b)(1) Sec. 2.30.110. (b)(1)(H) (add all the sections here)</p> <p>A separate section is not needed.</p> <p>Aligns with AK S&Ps</p>

	<p>aid has met the requirements of all of the requirements of this section, including successful completion of the requirements of section 2.30.200(b) [PDHA II training & education requirements; (community-based dental practice course)].</p> <p>An expanded function dental health aide I or II who has not completed the requirements of section 2.30.200(b) [PDHA II training & education requirements; (community-based dental practice course)] may perform ART under this section only under the direct or indirect supervision of a dentist or dental health aide therapist.</p> <p>(c) Training and Education. The dental health aide must have satisfactorily completed one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) a Board-approved course in SDF that satisfies the requirements of section 7.20.150 [SDF]; (2) a course in SDF offered by an accredited school of higher education; or a course in SDF offered or approved by IHS, including the course "Early Childhood Caries (ECC) and Midlevel Providers: An Expanded Role for Hygienists and Therapists." <p>(d) Preceptorship. A dental health aide must, after completion of the requirements in subsection (c) of this section and under the direct supervision of a dentist, satisfactorily complete a preceptorship during which the dental health aide satisfactorily performs SDF on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) a minimum of 10 patients, of whom a minimum of 5 must be children under 4 years of age; and (2) a minimum of 50 teeth <p>(e) Competencies. In addition to meeting all other requirements of this section, a dental health aide may only perform SDF if the dental health aide successfully demonstrates and maintains:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) an understanding of and following dental orders; (2) reviewing medical history and identifying contraindications for performing SDF; (3) identifying cases appropriate for SDF; (4) understanding when the patient should be referred to a dentist; (5) explaining SDF procedure and responding to questions from patient regarding SDF; (6) proper patient and provider safety procedures, including proper use dental instruments; (7) isolating and drying the tooth/teeth; (8) placing SDF; and (9) recognizing potential and actual procedural complications and consulting appropriately with the dentist. 	
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Sec. 2.30.280	<p>Sec. 2.30.280. Antimicrobial Treatments.</p> <p>(a) Prerequisites. A dental health aide may be certified under this section to perform</p>	Recommend removal of sec.2.30.280 - antibiotics are covered

	<p>antimicrobial treatments under the conditions set forth in subsections (b) through (d) of this section, provided the dental health aide satisfies the requirements of sections:</p> <p>(1) 2.30.200 [PDHA II training & education requirements] and 2.30.210 [PDHA II supervision & competencies];</p> <p>(2) 2.30.400 [EFDHA I supervision, training, & education requirements] and 2.30.410 [EFDHA I supervision & competencies]; or</p> <p>(3) 2.30.500 [EFDHA II training & education requirements] and 2.30.510 [EFDHA II supervision and competencies].</p> <p>(b) Dental Supervision.</p> <p>(1) The antimicrobial treatment procedure must have been ordered by a dentist or dental health aide therapist prior to the performance of the procedure.</p> <p>(2) Antimicrobial treatment performed under this section must be carried out under the direct or indirect supervision of a dentist or dental health aide therapist unless the dental health aide has successfully completed the requirements of section 2.30.200(b) [PDHA II training & education requirements; (community-based dental practice course)].</p> <p>(c) Training and Education. The dental health aide must have satisfactorily completed one of the following:</p> <p>(1) a Board-approved course in antimicrobial treatments that satisfies the requirements of section 7.20.110 [dental prophylaxis];</p> <p>(2) a course in antimicrobial treatments offered by an accredited school of higher education; or</p> <p>(3) a course in antimicrobial treatments offered or approved by IHS, including "Clinical Periodontics for the Dental Assistant."</p> <p>(d) Preceptorship. A dental health aide must, after completion of the requirements in subsection (c) of this section and under the direct supervision of a dentist, dental health aide therapist, or licensed dental hygienist, satisfactorily complete a preceptorship during which the dental health aide satisfactorily performs a minimum of 40 antimicrobial treatments of which:</p> <p>(1) a minimum of 10 must be performed on children under 8 years of age; and</p> <p>(2) a minimum of 10 must be performed on adults.</p> <p>(e) Competencies. In addition to meeting all other requirements of this section, the dental health aide must understand and successfully demonstrate and maintain the following competencies and skills:</p> <p>(1) understanding and following dental orders;</p>	<p>in sec. 2.30.110(b)(1) (G) and (H) and 2.30.110 (b)(2)(C) and (3)(C)</p> <p>Barrier for the clinics that do not have access to antimicrobials</p> <p>This sect. is not in the AK S&Ps</p>
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	<p>(2) reviewing medical history and identifying contraindications for performing antimicrobial treatments;</p> <p>(3) understanding when the patient should be referred to a dentist prior to carrying out antimicrobial treatments;</p> <p>(4) explaining antimicrobial treatment procedure and respond to questions from patient regarding antimicrobial treatment;</p> <p>(5) proper patient and provider safety procedures; and</p> <p>(6) proper use of antimicrobials for safety of patient and provider;</p> <p>(7) [RESERVED]</p>	
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Sec. 7.20.020	<p>(a) Subject Matter. A primary oral health promotion and disease prevention course must address the following topics:</p> <p>(1) introduction to caries disease process;</p> <p>(2) introduction to periodontal disease process;</p> <p>(3) theory of oral health promotion and disease prevention;</p> <p>(4) fluoride as a drug and related issues, including toxicity;</p> <p>(5) topical fluoride treatments, including gel, foam, varnish and rinse;</p> <p>(6) silver diamine fluoride (SDF), including benefits and esthetics;</p> <p>(7) nutritional counseling; and</p> <p>(8) oral hygiene instruction.</p>	Recommend removal of “including gel, foam, varnish and rinse” – the word “topical” is inclusive of all types of topical fluoride treatments

Committee reviewed and recommended changes – date	
Committee will present at next PACCB – confirmation date	
Committee recommended PASP amendment – effective date	

The completed amendment form and all attachments may be submitted by email to paccb@npaihb.org. Please email PACCB staff if you have any questions – thank you

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