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**SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 6641**

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**State of Washington**

**54th Legislature**

**1996 Regular Session**

**By** Senate Committee on Health & Long-Term Care (originally sponsored by Senators Thibaudeau, Moyer, Kohl and Hochstatter)

Read first time 02/02/96.

1       AN ACT Relating to unsupervised practice by dental hygienists; and  
2       creating a new section.

3       BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4       NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 1.** The department of health shall study the  
5       impact of allowing dental hygienists to practice unsupervised in  
6       community clinics. The department shall report back to the legislature  
7       by December 30, 1996.

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