

SENATE No. 667

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Joanne M. Comerford

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act improving access to dental care in the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Joanne M. Comerford</i>	<i>Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester</i>	
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	<i>1/25/2019</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/29/2019</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>	<i>1/29/2019</i>
<i>Daniel M. Donahue</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>Marcos A. Devers</i>	<i>16th Essex</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>Mindy Domb</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>	<i>2/1/2019</i>
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	<i>2/5/2019</i>

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By Ms. Comerford, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 667) of Joanne M. Comerford, Jason M. Lewis, Thomas M. Stanley, Mary S. Keefe and other members of the General Court for legislation to improve access to dental care in the Commonwealth. Health Care Financing.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act improving access to dental care in the Commonwealth.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the
2 contrary, the dental enhancement fee for community health centers and hospital-licensed health
3 centers as specified in the January 1, 2018 version of the MassHealth Community Health Center
4 Manual, subchapter 6, as code D9450 shall be increased by no less than \$15 in fiscal year 2020.