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**West Los Angeles College  
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**To Whom It May Concern:**

**I am writing this letter in support of a baccalaureate degree being offered at West Los Angeles College.**

**I have been a practicing periodontist for 40 years and dental educator for the past 19 years. I have also been active in professional dental and education organizations and seen the trends in dental care and the need for changes in dental education. I was head of a trial, dental hygiene advanced utilization program at USC many years ago where Dental hygienists were able to administer local/block anesthesia, debride periodontal surgeries and suture the flaps upon closure. In essence, I have supported and encouraged an advanced comprehensive quality Dental Hygiene education.**

**A bachelor degree is essential for dental hygienists and all professionals to explore employment opportunities in today's environment. As the owner of a dental practice, I have many dental hygienists in my practice. A dental hygienist with a bachelor degree will improve their knowledge and employment opportunities, and give them a well-rounded education. I understand to work at West LA College, and many other educational institutions, a bachelor degree is also the minimum degree required for employment, so there is an important value to this degree.**

**The dental hygiene students at WLAC are already completing enough college credit for a bachelor degree but are being denied the degree and the opportunities afforded to those with a bachelor degree.**

**A bachelors program will allow your students to broaden their knowledge and scope in their dental hygiene clinical and academic endeavors.**

**Sincerely,**

**Thank you,**

**Dr Gary W. Green**



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I am writing to you in regard to the...  
Sincerely,  
David W. Baker

It has been a pleasure to work with you...  
I have been very impressed with the...  
level of service and attention to detail...  
that you and your staff have provided...  
I am sure that you will continue to...  
provide excellent service to your...  
clients.

I am writing to you in regard to the...  
I am sure that you will continue to...  
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Very truly yours,  
David W. Baker

