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The Council of State Governments  
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**RE: Support for the Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact**

Dear Mr. Logsdon,

On behalf of GoTu, we write to express our strong support for the Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact. In partnership with the American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA), we're proud to raise awareness around this initiative and advocate for the professionals we serve. Together, we're committed to taking action that improves work-life balance, increases mobility, and builds a more sustainable future for dental professionals.

As the largest dental talent marketplace in the U.S., GoTu is dedicated to advancing the profession by fostering flexibility, opportunity, and access to care. Our platform connects 100,000+ dental professionals with 35,000+ offices, facilitating over 400,000 shifts. Through this work, we've seen firsthand how regulatory barriers can limit mobility, restrict job opportunities, and deepen workforce shortages.

The Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact is a crucial step toward modernizing licensure for dental professionals. By facilitating multistate practice, the Compact will help address staffing shortages, improve patient access to care, and create new ways of working for a profession that cannot simply shift to remote work. While other industries have adapted through flexibility in location, dental professionals must be present to provide care- yet they, too, deserve greater mobility, expanded career opportunities, and the ability to take their skills where they are needed most, including for military families and those relocating for personal or professional reasons.

We commend the Compact's commitment to preserving each state's authority over licensure and scope of practice while streamlining the process for qualified professionals to practice across state lines. This balance ensures that patient safety remains a priority while allowing for a more dynamic and responsive dental workforce.

As a company dedicated to innovation in dental workforce solutions, GoTu strongly supports the adoption of the Dentist and Dental Hygienist Compact. We believe this initiative aligns with our mission to create a more efficient, accessible, and flexible dental workforce, ultimately benefiting both professionals and the patients they serve. Thank you for your leadership in advancing this important initiative. We look forward to supporting the Compact's implementation and working together to enhance mobility and access within the dental profession.

Sincerely,

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**Ed Thomas**

Co-Founder & Co-CEO

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