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THE CANADIAN DENTAL HYGIENISTS ASSOCIATION
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Shaping public policy to advance the dental hygiene profession and improve the health of Canadians.

END #2

Supporting dental hygienists as integral members of the health care team.

END #2.1

Helping to build and support healthy and respectful workplaces

END #3

Promoting the value of professional dental hygiene care to the public.

END #4

Helping to build a body of professional knowledge and research.

END #5

Developing the profession's leaders for today and tomorrow.

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