

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

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**Support Improved Dental Care**  
**Cosponsor H.R. 3109**

Dear Colleague,

Access to dental products is essential to preventing tooth decay and dental disease in future years.

H.R. 3109 would include dental products in Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) to increase access to these products. As you know, FSAs are tax advantaged accounts set up through an employer to allow pre-tax earnings to be set aside to be used for medical expenses.

The bill allows for the purchase of products used to diagnose, cure, mitigate, treat, or prevent the onset of tooth decay, periodontal diseases, and tooth, gum, or mouth conditions. Items commonly accepted to be included in this provision are tooth brushes, dental floss, fluoride and anti-cavity rinses, etc.

We urge you to cosponsor this bill and allow for better prevention of dental decay and disease. If you have any questions or would like to cosponsor, please contact Megan Spindel (Lewis) at [megan.spindel@mail.house.gov](mailto:megan.spindel@mail.house.gov) or x53501 or Charla Penn McManus (Pascrell) at [charla.mcmanus@mail.house.gov](mailto:charla.mcmanus@mail.house.gov) or x55751.

Sincerely,



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