

1 AN ACT concerning dentistry.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Illinois Dental Practice Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 8.2 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 25/8.2 new)

7 Sec. 8.2. Prohibition on the use of mercury. A dentist,  
8 in normal circumstances, may not use mercury or a mercury  
9 amalgam in a dental procedure involving a person 8 years of  
10 age or younger or a woman who is pregnant.

11 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
12 becoming law.