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The Honorable Micky Tripathi, Ph.D. MPP  
Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
330 C Street SW, 7th Floor Washington, DC 20201

RE: Draft U.S. Core Data for Interoperability (USCDI) version 5

Dear National Coordinator Tripathi,

On behalf of our 159,000 members, the American Dental Association (ADA) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments on draft USCDI version 5.

The **ADA supports the Corrected Applicable Standard Reference for Procedures: CDT**. We believe that change reflects our previous comments on USDCI and will help ensure dental procedures are accurately represented in all health information technology.

Please contact Rebekah Fiehn, Director, Coding and Dental Data Exchange, ADA Practice Institute at [fielnr@ada.org](mailto:fielnr@ada.org) as needed for any follow-up on this commentary.