By the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; and Senators Wasserman Schultz, Peaden, Sanderson, Clary and Cowin

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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to continuing dental education;
3	amending s. 456.031, F.S.; providing an
4	alternative by which licensees may comply with
5	a general requirement that they take
6	domestic-violence education courses; amending
7	s. 456.033, F.S.; providing an alternative by
8	which licensees may comply with a general
9	requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education
10	courses; providing an effective date.
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12	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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14	Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 456.031, Florida
15	Statutes, is amended to read:
16	456.031 Requirement for instruction on domestic
17	violence
18	(3)
19	$\underline{(a)}$ In lieu of completing a course as required in
20	subsection (1), a licensee or certificateholder may complete a
21	course in end-of-life care and palliative health care, if the
22	licensee or certificateholder has completed an approved
23	domestic violence course in the immediately preceding
24	biennium.
25	(b) In lieu of completing a course as required by
26	subsection (1), a person licensed under chapter 466, who has
27	completed an approved domestic-violence education course in
28	the immediately preceding 2 years may complete a course
29	approved by the Board of Dentistry.
30	Section 2. Subsection (9) of section 456.033, Florida
31 '	Statutes, is amended to read:

456.033 Requirement for instruction for certain licensees on human immunodeficiency virus and acquired immune deficiency syndrome. --(9)(a) In lieu of completing a course as required in subsection (1), the licensee may complete a course in end-of-life care and palliative health care, so long as the licensee completed an approved AIDS/HIV course in the immediately preceding biennium. (b) In lieu of completing a course as required by subsection (1), a person licensed under chapter 466 who has completed an approved AIDS/HIV course in the immediately preceding 2 years may complete a course approved by the Board of Dentistry. Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001. STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR Senate Bill 1788 The Committee Substitute amends the AIDS/HIV continuing education requirements for certain health care professionals in s. 456.033, F.S., to provide a licensed dentist or dental hygienist the option of completing a course approved by the Board of Dentistry in lieu of an AIDS/HIV course for licensure renewal, if the licensed dentist or dental hygienist has completed an AIDS/HIV course in the immediately preceding 2