Just an FYI to All members and their staff. This is a new law that requires child abuse training that will go into effect 90 days after the legislature adjourns.

Title 22: HEALTH AND WELFARE Chapter 1071: CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES AND CHILD PROTECTION ACT: Training requirement. A person required to make a report under subsection 1 shall complete at least once every 4 years mandated reporter training approved by the Department - All dentists, hygienists, EFDA's and dental assistants are mandatory reporters.

Below is a link to DHHS' website that provides information regarding mandated reporting and training opportunities -DHHS will update this page with more detail once the law becomes effective which is 90 days after the legislature adjourns.

http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ocfs/cps/