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Good Afternoon Cal/OSHA Research and Standards Health Unit,

Thank you for your attention regarding the adverse health affects of surgical plume for patients and OR staff. I feel strongly that without Cal/OSHA regulations, Hospitals and Surgical Centers will not use smoke evacuation to protect workers. I hope in any future hearings physicians will be present so your unit can question them about their resistance to using smoke evacuation in surgeries.

Thank you for your efforts.

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