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I am a Dentist.

Are you out of your mind?

How do you expect to maintain a high standard of patient care that can only be achieved through rigorous training required of a dentist whom I will add are **ACADEMICALLY** substantially more **INTELLIGENT**, which is used by **UNIVERSITIES** to select students (check our tertiary or OP scores). Are you then saying that Universities are wrong and so using this **BACKDOOR** approach to circumvent the proper standard of training? Most of you are probably obviously **NOT** Dentists and so ignorant of the tough but high standard and **FAIR** selection process that put a Dentist through at least a 5 year training process in order to achieve the required knowledge and clinical skill level necessary to provide overall **PROPER** patient care that you ask of the **DENTIST!**

So why lower the standard? For political reason if I may ask? Please do not change the goal posts to suit your interest at the expense of high standard of quality of care by Dentists who are **PROPERLY QUALIFIED BY RECOGNISED UNIVERSITIES**. Lets not forget we are get there through **MERIT** achieved in High School.

Regards,

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