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Subject: RE: Consultation on the draft Scope of Practice Registration Standard and associated Guidelines
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Greetings,

There proposed revision made to Scope of Practice have ruffled far too many feathers within the dental community to be ignored.

There is an 'exciting' generic objection letter to the revision of SoP that I have chosen not to copy and paste. In saying so, I would strongly suggest that you seek and survey a wider sample of the dental community; including the younger members of the profession. It is important to note that the younger generation of dental practitioners use different forms of media, specifically social media, in order to voice their concerns. In fact, if you do have the time, please draw your attention to 650-odd objects to the SoP from the undergraduate dental community.

<http://www.facebook.com/events/467704599975876/?fref=ts>

There are many more complex issues that come into play with these revisions to the SoP, including the potential for misinterpretation and enabling of a two-tiered dental profession, lowered standard of care and public safety.

'Allowing lesser trained individuals to perform extended scope of practice will be detrimental to public safety' - ADAVB.

Lastly, I would like to support the ADA and subsidiary's position regarding their consultation paper.

<http://www.ada.org.au/newsroom/article.documentid,598475.aspx>

<http://www.adavb.net/Portals/0/Submission/ADAVB-Submission-2013-06-19.pdf>

Kind Regards,
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