



Faculty of Dentistry, University of Otago submission on the follow-up consultation: proposed changes to the working relationship requirements for oral health practitioners with dentists, and the practising conditions for dental hygiene activities

The Faculty of Dentistry, University of Otago acknowledges the Council's change of position in regards to the need for a mandated professional relationship as part of scope of practice requirements for dental therapists, dental hygienists and orthodontic auxiliaries, and oral health therapists, and stands by the comments made in its initial submission in the first consultation round on this issue in December 2020 (regarding both the professional relationship requirements for oral health practitioners and dental hygiene practising conditions).

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