



Page 2: About your submission

Q1

First name

jatinder

Q2

Last name

bachu



Q4

Are you primarily based in New Zealand or overseas?

Overseas,
If overseas, where?:
UK

Q5

Company/organisation name

Rodericks Dental Partners

Q6

In what capacity are you making this submission?

Registered oral health practitioner

Page 3: About your submission

Q7

What is your profession?

Dentist

Q8

Please enter your Dental Council Person ID, if applicable

22207

Page 4: Proposed registration pathways

Q9

Yes

Do you believe the proposed changes will help reduce barriers to registration for suitably trained overseas practitioners?

Q10

Please tell us why:

yes, but again no case workload needs to be presented and this is a concern from a safety point of view

Page 5: Introduction of the proposed 'Competent authority - registration' pathway

Q11

Oppose

Do you support the introduction of the 'Competent authority - registration' pathway?[Click to learn more about the proposed pathway](#)

Q12

Please tell us why:

people will use this pathway to obtain registration easier than having to sit exams which will evidently lower standards and when the workforce is already steadily growing in numbers we do not need overseas dentists we need to focus on training our own.

Page 6: Introduction of the proposed 'Comparable health system' pathway

Q13

Oppose

Do you support the introduction of the 'Comparable health system' pathway for dentists?[Click to learn more about the proposed pathway](#)

Q14

Please tell us why:

people will use this pathway to obtain registration easier than having to sit exams which will evidently lower standards and when the workforce is already steadily growing in numbers we do not need overseas dentists we need to focus on training our own. no reciprocal agreements in place either. complaints will rise as overseas dentists will not adhere to the same standards that we uphold. as someone who has been through the process of the DCNZ comparable experience pathway it is not fair or right for an overseas practitioner to come over without having to present cases and competency in their respected fields.

Page 7: Introduction of the proposed 'Teaching and research' pathway

Q15

Oppose

Do you support the introduction of the 'Teaching and research' pathway? Click to learn more about the proposed pathway

Q16

Please tell us why:

people will use this pathway to obtain registration easier than having to sit exams which will evidently lower standards and when the workforce is already steadily growing in numbers we do not need overseas dentists we need to focus on training our own.

Page 9: Proposed removal of requirement for a medical degree for oral medicine specialist registration

Q17

Oppose

Do you support removing the requirement for a medical degree for oral medicine specialist registration in New Zealand, subject to the relevant medical training and clinical experiences being embedded into the specialist training programme? Click to learn more about the proposed changes.

Q18

Respondent skipped this question

Please tell us why:

Page 10: Proposed removal of requirement to register in dental technology before registering in CDT

Q19

Oppose

Do you support removing the requirement to register in dental technology before registering in clinical dental technology? Click to learn more about the proposed changes.

Q20

Respondent skipped this question

Please tell us why:

Page 11: Proposed changes to the New Zealand registration examination requirements

Q21

Support

Do you support the proposed changes to the New Zealand registration examination requirements? Click to learn more about the proposed changes.

Q22

Respondent skipped this question

Please tell us why:

Page 12: Proposed administrative changes to the prescribed qualifications

Q23

General dental practice

Do you have feedback on the proposed administrative changes to prescribed qualifications for any of the scopes of practice, as reflected in the draft Gazette notices?

Q24

Please tell us your feedback. When discussing multiple scopes, please indicate clearly which scope of practice you are referring to in your comment.

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Page 13: Proposed fees for the new registration pathways

Q25

No

Do you find the proposed fees for the new registration pathways reasonable?Proposed fee notice

Q26

Please tell us why or why not?

should be more to ensure applicants can not apply over and over again

Page 14: Thank you for your time

Q27

Is there any additional feedback you would like to share on the consultation?

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