

Summary of Decisions

From the Dental Council meeting in September 2021

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The Dental Council (Council) is the statutory body constituted under the Health Practitioners Competence Assurance Act 2003 (the Act) to maintain the health and safety of members of the public by providing mechanisms to ensure that health practitioners are competent and fit to practise. Council endeavours to keep its key stakeholders up to date with key decisions.

This document is a summary of Council's decisions from the meeting held in September 2021.

Updated policies

Council reviewed several updated policies and agreed that the following policies would be rescinded, as they have been replaced with either other existing policies, the [Standards Framework](#) or legislation:

- Compliance with codes of practice and Council statements
- Disclosure of information on OHPs
- Registration of dental advisors, managers, teachers and researchers
- Restoration to the dental register

In addition, the following policies were updated to reflect current practice and approved by the Council:

- [New Zealand Dental Registrations Examination Policy](#)
- [Competence review policy](#)