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I disagree with the new submission which says that all periodontal instruments should be validated, it is both labour-intensive and time consuming.

I estimate that it will now take 15 minutes of a patient's appointment time to do this. Implementing the system is an increased cost, which is going to have to be passed on to the patient.

It will no longer be possible to treat people in half an hour appointments. The appointment times will have to be extended this increased cost will make hygiene unaffordable for many.

With these increased protocols and stress that is involved I would not recommend this profession as a career any more.

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