

Page 2: Information about the person or organisation completing this submission

Q1 This submission was completed by:

Name

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Q2 Are you making this submission

as a registered practitioner

Q3 Please tell us which part of the sector your submission represents

a registered dentist or dental specialist

Page 3: Area one: new core recertification programme

Q4 What, if anything, do you like about our proposed core recertification programme?

I feel there is nothing wrong with our current programme

Q5 Is there anything about our proposed core recertification programme you would change?

Yes,

Please explain.:

The proposal is way over the top . There are more compliance and time and costs for no gain in quality . I would think that at the moment all Otago graduates are very competent . Where we struggle is different culture and standards from overseas graduates even though they have done a block course . Maybe they need to be mentored more . Who is going to do this .

Q6 Do you support our proposal to change the recertification cycle to 12 months?

No

Q7 Do you think our proposed core recertification programme should include a requirement for practitioners to complete an online open-book assessment of their technical and clinical knowledge and skills?

No

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Q8 If a proposal about an online open-book assessment of a practitioner's technical and clinical skills and knowledge is supported, how often should practitioners be required to complete an assessment?

Respondent skipped this question

Q9 Do you have other proposals about our proposed core recertification programme you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Respondent skipped this question

Page 4: Area two: support for new registrants

Q10 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for supporting new registrants?

In the past the new registrants would be mentored by their employers .

I think that worked well .possibly new registrants may not be able to work sole charge in a dental practiseb

Q11 Is there anything about the draft proposals for supporting new registrants you would change?

Yes,

Please explain.:

Mentoring all registrants is time consuming and more paperwork . We are already overwhelmed with formalities.

Q12 Do you think the proposed two year minimum period for the mentoring relationship is:

just right

Q13 Do you think all new registrants should participate in a mentoring programme, or are there some new registrants who should not be required to participate in a mentoring programme?

No

Q14 Do you have other proposals about supporting new registrants you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Respondent skipped this question

Page 5: Area three: addressing health-related competence decline concerns

Q15 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns?

Respondent skipped this question

Q16 Is there anything about the draft proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns you would change?

Respondent skipped this question

Q17 Do you have other proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Respondent skipped this question

Page 6: Area four: addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours

Q18 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours?

Respondent skipped this question

Q19 Is there anything about the draft proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours you would change?

Respondent skipped this question

Q20 Do you have other proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Respondent skipped this question

Page 7: Final thoughts and comments

Q21 Do you have any other comments, suggestions or information you want to share with us about the draft proposals for improving our approach to recertification?

The system as it is works well . Only a minority of clinicians fall below the accepted standard of care . To make the majority of clinicians do all the extra compliance is over the top and attention should be directed at supporting and directing the minority who don't measure up .

There are complaints procedures in place to identify these individuals ,
