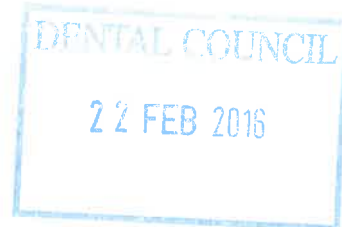


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Attention: Marie Warner



Dear Marie

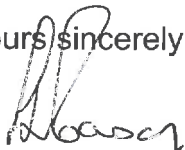
Consultation on proposed entry level competencies for dental specialities

Questions to be answered:

1. Do you understand the reason why we have developed the proposed competences and how we are going to use them? **YES**
2. Is there any content that you think should be changed or deleted in the proposed competencies? **Not from what we understand**
3. We are proposing that the competencies be reviewed in five year time with the option to review earlier if needed. Do you agree? **Agree and also believe the ability to review earlier makes sense with the rate of emerging knowledge and technology.**
4. Do you have any other comments?

This development is timely and makes the process for specialist registration transparent for Australasia under the Trans-Tasman Mutual Recognition Act 1997.

Yours sincerely



Peter Robinson

Chief Clinical Advisor