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Dental Board of Australia

**RE: Public Consultation paper on definition of practice**

ACODS is satisfied with the new definition in your Option No. 2.

**“Practice means any role in which the individual uses their skills and knowledge as a health practitioner in their profession in any way that impacts on safe, effective delivery of health services”**

We support the change with the understanding that the above new definition will be inclusive and address the educational and research environments with the different roles that we function in at Schools of Dentistry

Yours sincerely



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