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Dear Dr Horvath,

Thankyou for the opportunity to make a written submission regarding the questions raised in the discussion Paper on National Safety and Quality Accreditation Standards.

I am pleased to provide a submission which has been informed by the work undertaken by the "Victorian Taskforce on Violence in Nursing". The submission is attached.

Yours Sincerely,

Adjunct Professor Belinda Moyes
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