

Comments on the Patient Charter of Rights

The Council believed welcomed this document and will fill an need particular within public and private practice.

The Council's official submission includes several issues for consideration:

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Point 3: **Safety**

- under **care that is informed and clinically appropriate**

A reference could include 'evidence based or informed by research'

- under **care that is provided by the most appropriate health care professional**

At times there will be more than one type of health professional who fits this category hence the wording may need to be changed.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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