From: Paula

Sent: Wednesday, 20 May 2015 10:08 PM

**To:** medboardconsultation

Subject: Registered medical practitioners who provide cosmetic medical and surgical procedures

## Dear Reviewer,

This submission is delivered with an objective and genuine outlook resulting from personal experience. I am a professional 51 year old female.

I have undergone cosmetic procedures in both a beauty salon and in a cosmetic surgeons practice and therefore feel confident in my current choice.

The professional nurse practitioner who attends my local beauty salon has provided me with extensive information regarding any procedure I have undergone (laser and injectables). The information includes the process, costs, complications and side effects and take home information.

It was noticeably more extensive than that provided by the cosmetic doctor.

Between this attention to detail and the ability to conduct an initial skype consultation with the doctor, I feel my medical needs are more than adequately met.

I don't believe I am at risk as I observe a high standard of hygiene practice at the salon and I am aware that it is health department regulated.

I am completely confident in the skill level of my visiting nurse practioner and believe that this skill is holistic and therefore more valid than the mere location of the treatment.

I am concerned about the agenda behind this alleged perceived risk.

As a resident in regional Victoria I would be significantly impacted should gluttony (disguised as risk) achieve an unjustified result.

Regards