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To whom it may concern,

I am surprised and disappointed at the proposed changes the Medical Board of Australia is considering in its Code of Conduct.

It seems that it bowing to pressures to be politically correct and not risk offending patients resulting in a reduced ability for doctors to give the best possible advice out of fear of offending them and being disciplined by the Board.

Patients need to know what is best for them medically even if they don't want to hear. At least then they are given a chance to act on the best medical advice. Wrong, potentially harmful beliefs need to be challenged not acquiesced to.

I hope the proposed changes are proceeded with.

Yours sincerely,  
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