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Subject: Consultation-Registered medical practitioners who provide medical and sugical procedures

To Whom it May Concern,

I been seeing Trish Matheson for my injectable cosmetic treatments for over 7 years, I went to her after seeing Dr in the Melbourne CDB for fillers and such.

I saw Dr for Aquamed and Botox.

I stopped seeing DR when the Aquamed became infected and I had to have surgery to have it removed from my nasal fold.

I was recommended to see Trish through a beauty Clinc in Canterbury and under the knowledge of my local Doctor.

I was happy with her results so continued to see her.

Trish is great and honest and doesn't try to talk me into procedures that I don't need.

I go to Trish when I think I need fillers and she sees me and tells me that I am not ready yet for more and sometimes sends me away without having anything done.

I have been to cosmetic/plastic surgeons who have tried to talk me into procedures that I didn't even go to see them for. As an example, I wanted a lower face lift and the Doctor tried to suggest that I should have a rhinoplasty as well!!!

If doctors become involved in this process it is going to increase the cost of already pricey procedures and people will not have as much done. I know I will not be able to afford to go as often.

I believe backyard people are in every profession and if you have not done your research well and are happy to see these dodgy people then that is your misfortune.

Nobody should see someone inexperienced for any medical procedures especially ones that are performed on the face.

All the beauty Clinc's that I have gone to look very well maintained and I feel safe going to them. I am always well informed in regards to the procedures I am receiving and would not consider going ahead with the treatment if I wasn't.

I have found the Nurse's very thorough in regards to my current and past medical history.

I would hate to see the current practice change as I feel it would change the access that people have and put it out of our price range as many surgical procedures are.

Once again this would put it out of reach for us and once again we would be watching the rich and famous have the benefit of what is becoming a forever growing business.

For myself I get these treatments done as it is lower in cost with less down time.

Regards