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To: medboardconsultation

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## To whom it may concern,

It has come to my attention that what has been medical, is now being driven by what is cultural. I'm sure many would have grave concerns about that. What is culture to one will be different to others, therefore this blanket approach will be offensive for both doctors and clients.

It would be less upsetting when applying the best methods of medicine available to all who need them. This has worked well in the past, and is a fair way for everyone to get the best service. Afterall, doctors are trained to deliver quality outcomes.

Recognition of harsh treatments, mainly to children, should have a tight lid on any possibility of introduction. Young people are born for a purpose and their life must not be tampered with lest this opportunity be lost.

Please consider adopting a spirit of excellence when documenting procedures to follow, so that patients are cared for accordingly.

Yours sincerely,

