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To Whom It May Concern

Thank you for your continued consultations re registration of Chinese Medicine practitioners.

I have two concerns:

In the latest paper regarding recording of patient notes. I believe that the notes are best kept in English, or if recalled that they are translated by a Board registered translator at the practitioners cost so that they can not be illegally altered during translation.

Secondly, though having studied Traditional Chinese Acupuncture, there are a number of practitioners who practise acupuncture in a Western Medicine manner. Is this considered within the registration process? If a western medical trained doctor or nurse undertakes an accepted course in acupuncture will they also have to comply with the proposed Chinese Medicine registration or with their own registration board?

Kind regards

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