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TITLE: 'Exploring the enablers and barriers of minimal intervention dentistry within a public dental program for children'

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DISCUSSION: This project will expand on the learning that a one-day educational program on Minimal Intervention Dentistry (MID) and the International Caries Classification and Management System (ICCMS) positively influenced the rate of selected dental treatment services.

A qualitative evaluation approach for this work will identify the enablers and barriers for the provision of best practice for preventive focused dental services.

The project outcomes will inform recommendations to support dental practitioners to practice in an evidence-based way in a community dental agency, leading to better outcomes for patients, both in terms of high quality care and optimising oral health outcomes.