

Hi – I have looked at the paper provided. I think Option 4 is probably the best way forward. I accept that the number of applicants who have a criminal history that would affect their registration but if you are the one consumer who had an adverse outcome as the result of an applicant slipping through the net then clearly it is one too many.

I am also a bit confused about where this criminal history check fits and where the criminal history checks required by organisations (health, disability and aged care etc) – wouldn't these staff members also have to get these checks done on a regular basis and shouldn't these checks also include their overseas experience?

Regards
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