From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Dawn Roberson</u>

Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local]

Sent: Tuesday, May 17, 2016 3:59 PM To: Sunset Advisory Commission

Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: STATE BOARD DENTAL EXAMINERS SBDE

First Name: Betty

Last Name: Garrity

Title: Texas Citizen

Organization you are affiliated with: Retired

Email:

City: Amarillo

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: Staff Report unavailable at this time

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

Dental services are not actually available to the everyday person, nor does insurance cover anything even if you were able to obtain it reasonably.

My opinion is that when you cannot even get a simple cleaning "necessary to protect teeth" for less than a \$1,000.00 or form a permanent relationship with a dentist, it is unconscionable. After almost 3 years of searching I personally am ordering a Cavitron Ultrasonic Cleaning system from China to use on myself. If I ever need anything cosmetic I will go to Mexico or Europe where dentist consider their work an ethical profession

Dentistry is not a science they simply do what they know how to do as far as their education took them, which is all different levels apparently. It is the patients body, their teeth and their money their decisions... they should have an opinion and say so in all matters however you are simply told by the dentist what he is going to do, sometimes and sometimes it's a total surprise.....but your never ask what you think or feel, or would like to do...

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree