



## **College of Osteopaths**

### **Abusive or Aggressive Behaviour**

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The College operates a zero-tolerance policy and therefore does not tolerate any aggressive, threatening or violent behaviour towards our staff or students.

Types of unacceptable behaviour are as follows:

- Threatening or intimidating behaviour to staff or students
- Verbal abuse towards staff or students
- Any physical violence towards staff or students
- Racial abuse and sexual harassment
- Causing damage or stealing from the Teaching Clinic premises

Anyone deemed to have breached this policy will be sent a letter from the Teaching Clinic Manager advising that this behaviour will not be tolerated.

Any future violation of this policy will result in the removal of the patient and no further treatment at any of the College of Osteopath's clinics will be available.