

10th April 2013.

Senator John Madigan.
c/- ~~Public~~ Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600.

Dear John,

We support the Health Insurance Amendment 2013 and in particular reject all medicare funding for certain types of abortion especially when the termination is carried out solely because of the gender of the foetus.

There are many reasons for rejecting this use of Medicare funds. The main reason is that Medicare should not be used to provide funds for any killing of innocent children in any form of abortion. If abortion is not bad enough the reason for wanting to chose a child's gender through abortion is one of the most abhorrent means of trivialising the dignity of the child. If the child is a human being at the ages of 5, 10 or 17 why cannot it be recognised that the child in the womb is a living child with all the dignity that goes with the 5, 10 or 17 year old child. Every concession to allowing abortion brings humanity down a slippery slope leading to forms of murder and killing that are more and more gruesome than anything witnessed before in the history of our civilisation. This amendment is about stopping a bad thing from getting worse.

Yours faithfully,

James Grieshaber,

PATRICIA GRIESHABER