

To: [Committee, Health \(REPS\)](#)
Subject: Form Submission - Inquiry into Long Covid and Repeated Infection Submission
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What is your experience of being a patient in Australia of long COVID and/or repeated COVID infections, particularly regarding diagnosis and treatment?: My experience was after my 2nd Pfizer vaccine taken November 2021 (My work said it was compulsory). I was sick for weeks and went down to 37 kilos. I took increased leave and kept getting very sick often also requiring me to take further leave. I quit my job in June 2022 and have been struggling financially ever since. I developed menopause symptoms a few weeks later and ended up in hospital in August 2022. Apparently my body was shutting down and my kidneys among other things were very low and I could've died had I gone 2 days later. I was diagnosed with Addison's disease. I believe very confidentially as I do not believe in coincidences, that this was a due to the covid-19 vaccine. I wish there's help for people like me.

What have the health, social, educational and economic impacts been for you, in relation to long COVID or repeated infection? Has there been an impact on your family or community?: I have all information from hospital to my disease which I was completely unaware of until I went to hospital.

What specific actions would you like to be taken in relation to Long Covid and Repeated infection, that would positively impact the situations you have outlined above? :

I would like the Inquiry to contact me to discuss privacy and confidentiality options for my submission: Yes