While I question the practice of abortion in almost all circumstances, I definitely believe it is wrong to consider abortion for the purpose of selecting the sex of a baby. While some may believe it is appropriate,

- It is not a necessary medical procedure for the life and health of the mother or baby
- So it is not an appropriate use of government funds, and should not receive a Medicare benefit.

On the News every day we are told of the struggle to meet the budget – to provide funding for essential healthcare, schooling, etc; we should definitely not be funding any unnecessary medical procedures.