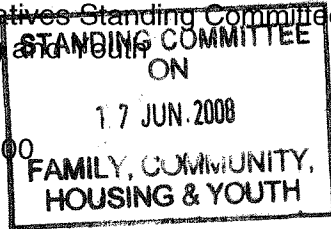


Committee Secretary
Inquiry into Better Support for Carers
House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family,
Community, Housing and Youth
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Submission No. 91

(Inq into better support for carers)

A.O.C. 23/6/08



Dear Secretary

I wish to make a submission to the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family, Community, Housing and Youth's Inquiry into Better Support for Carers.

I am submitting to the Inquiry because...

I am a ^{young} carer of my mother who experiences mental & physical illness

More information is attached on a separate sheet

1. The role and contribution of carers in society

As a carer, I feel that my role is...

helping my mother because she can't always help herself

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2. The barriers to social and economic participation for carers

As a carer, I face the following problems ...

difficulty paying school fees, medical costs, extra curricular activities (ie acting classes)

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3. The practical measures required to better support carers

As a carer, I need help with ...

financial help
home help & care for mum when I
am at school and she is unwell

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4. Strategies to assist carers to access opportunities and choices

I think the Government can better help carers by ...

the above

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Thank you for taking my views into consideration as part of the Committee's Inquiry. I look forward to reviewing any recommendations you make to improve life for carers in Australia.

Yours sincerely

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Print your name

12/06/08

Date