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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am the parent of a young man of 20 yrs of age with Autism & Intellectual Impairment.

We should definitely restrict people with a disability from entering this country until we are able to provide appropriate services for the people with a disability who are already part of our community. It is inappropriate to allow entry to this country when we know that we are unable to adequately meet the needs of our own population.

Currently we have a shortage of public housing and in the State of Queensland. Although my son is now an adult and he is on a Disability support pension he is not eligible to be listed on the public Housing waiting list according to the State of Queensland. According to Disability Services Queensland he is not eligible for a Lifestyle Support Package to live independently. The advice that I have been given is that my son will only become eligible for these services when my husband and I are either incapacitated, dead or relinquish care of our son.

Of another concern is that people immigrating to this country are getting access to Public Housing when our own citizens are ineligible.

Please fix our the problems for our own community before we begin to take on the problems of other communities around the globe.