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Ethel

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.

As a Carer, I feel that my role is

Watching Ever on the alert
that he may fall of which he has many

I face the following problems ...

It is hard to make him see a
D^r when he isn't well sometimes he
drops his medication & doesn't bother to take it

I need help with ...

Gardening. My husband is not
a social type he is 90. It takes me
a lot to get him on his feet he sits nearly all
Day

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

More Respite Centres & More
Home for Low income people
& the homeless

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