

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. 104
(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...

ACAPS PROVIDE WELL, BUT NO WAY DOES
IT HELP THE CARERS
THE ALLOWANCES WILL NOT FILL THE PETROL
TANK NOW.

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...

A CARER IS ON DUTY 24-7
COPING NOT ONLY WITH PHYSICAL AND
EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS BOTH FOR MYSELF
& MY PATIENT

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2. The barriers to social and economic participation for carers

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

BECAUSE OF CARING 24/7, I CAN'T
TAKE OTHER EMPLOYMENT TO HELP WITH
FINANCIAL PROBLEMS

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3. The practical measures required to better support carers

As a carer, I need help with ...

MORE MONEY & SUPPORT

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4. Strategies to assist carers to access opportunities and choices

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

AS 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