

**HEALTH INSURANCE AMENDMENT (MEDICARE FUNDING FOR CERTAIN TYPES OF
ABORTION) BILL 2013**

I support the above Bill to remove Medicare funding from the abhorrent practice of abortion for sex selection.

The use of Medicare funding should only be for health issues. It should not be for a person to choose to have an abortion for anything other than a health issue for the mother. Health insurance premiums are expensive and contributors should not have to support medical procedures that are not health related.

On moral grounds, all human life is precious, including a living fetus. Australian laws should not facilitate abortions other than in critical health issues.

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