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Hello

I am writing on behalf of my family to express my deep sadness that the government is considering funding through Medicare for gender-selective abortion! For so many reasons!

This practice reinforces gender inequality: just look at countries like China or India and see the evidence. Please acknowledge the hypocrisy of claiming on one hand the right of women to end a pregnancy, and on the other hand, their right to end that human being's life because (as happens in so many nations around the world) that yet to be born child is also a woman! Such a double standard!

All abortion is legalised murder of children who would otherwise be born, and who have no right to save themselves. Surely this is a fundamental human right. It is time to draw the line and take a courageous, even-if-politically-incorrect stance against this all too common, too-unquestioned practice.

In fact, the gender issue simply amplifies the question that is really needing to be asked around this whole debate:

Should a child's life be ended for any reason at all, let alone their gender? Does any child have a right to live because they are born with a particular set of genitals? Sounds absurd, doesn't it. Probably because it is.

Please represent our views in this debate

Sincerely

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