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Abortion should not be funded since medicare funding should be strictly limited to health procedures, tax payers should not be funding decisions based purely on cultural or personal preference. Every child, regardless of their gender of what their parents wanted, should have the right to live a life which will not happen if parents are 'rewarded' for aborting their own child. The law should protect the unborn baby, not put it in jeopardy. By providing medicare funding of sex-selection abortions it will contribute to the increase of the unethical act.