Dear Sir/Madame,

I am writing to ask for your help regarding the closure of the Chronic Disease Dental Scheme. I am a young person suffering chronic illness and on a disability pension. I MUST see the dentist every 4 months but without the CDDS I can't afford to see my family dentist. I am currently on a MINIMUM 2 year waiting list at my local public dentist but I can not wait that long. Please can you help get the CDDS back so many people desperately need this. I have set up a facebook page to give support and info to people like me -<u>http://www.facebook.com/ChronicDiseaseDentalScheme?ref=hl</u>

A lot of pensioners and ill people are now suffering in silence because we can't protest in the streets, all we can do is email politicians and plead for help.

PLEASE help us. This is not something affecting a small group - it is affecting a huge group of people but they just don't know how to fight for it.

Thank you kindly for reading my email. Kindest regards, Anya

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