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Working weekends is often not a choice for shift workers like midwives and nurses but weekends are still a time for family and as such are precious. For myself I choose casual employment so that I don't have to work weekends and I choose to forgo the penalties in favour of having weekends off. I'm thankful that there are those who want to work the weekends because of the penalties and so there are staff in the hospitals.

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