## Inquiry into Elder Abuse in Queensland

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## **Submitter Comments:**

My Mother is being financially & emotionally by her husband. He has isolated her from her family & friends. He is narcissistic and has power of attorney financially & medically. He won't put her into care (L4 Dementia & several strokes) but does not provide appropriate care for her (physio, speech etc), she never leaves the house! He changes carers regularly if they complain about care he provides. He threatens legal action against anybody who challenges him on care for my Mother. He advertises on FB for carers! He self manages her care package & all financial decisions. My Mother is non verbal and now relies on a wheelchair. I have submitted my concerns to many government agencies who say they are powerless as I don't have evidence! I don't have evidence as he has isolated her from me (I live around the corner).