

Health and Environment Committee

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To the committee

Please note that many Australian citizens such as myself (female aged 60, supporter of science and self-responsibility with health) are very concerned at the response by state governments to the virus issue that is now into its tenth month. The chief health officer of any state, should have powers that are relevant to all our lives – not just small groups of susceptible individuals. Susceptibility (age, lack of exercise, obesity, metabolic syndrome, dietary issues, existing illness) is the main factor in the influence of the virus. Copying other countries political responses is not good enough to make decisions over all our lives, even if the main stream media and social media with questionable associations is screaming for action. Science must be adhered to – not commercial health interests. A death rate of under 1/10,000 is common for many situations and not a reason to decimate our social, economic and family lives.

There are many studies indicating that there are treatments (eg Ivermectin), dosing of Vitamin D (5000 iu per day for immune system protection – eg the Cordoba study) and many respected scientists who are showing evidence based statistical data that masks and lockdowns do more harm than they do provide help (The Great Barrington Declaration – top world immunologists from Stanford, Oxford and Harvard universities, providing evidence and asking to be heard by governments). Our young people deserve better. There is a growing negative attitude towards the sick and the elderly that is not healthy in itself. Focussed treatment and limitations of movement for susceptible people is a reasonable response to a new virus but this susceptible group are not all the population and probably no more than 20-40% of the total group. It is not democratic to hurt a large group of people to protect (if indeed there even is any real protection) a smaller group of people. Healthy immune systems will provide generalised immunity over time – nature will prevail given a targetted, specific, sensible approach. Many citizens are not watching mainstream media, nor trusting their own governments, which in time is likely to cause deeper problems.

You are in a very important place in time and history – make your decisions from data supplied by reputable science, not from business or bureacrats with interests associated to business.

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Acting on behalf of myself - I work in alternative health and I fully support science.