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To whom it may concern,

I and my husband are elders living in Tasmania - Cygnet, some 60km from the nearest hospital. I have been increasingly concerned about the growing issue of quality hospital care overcrowding and under-staffing and this is certainly a huge issue for all of us growing older far from hospital care.

I cannot understand why Australia, with its aging population is so slow to allow immigrants with medical qualifications in their own countries and / or a willingness to train and work here, to both be welcomed to move here and to be able to transfer their qualifications without suddenly having to retrain or start to work way below their qualifications and experience level. This would address the refugee crisis worldwide and solve an immediate crisis in this country.

It seems to me that both Tasmania and the whole country could solve this incredibly serious issue with some adjustments in thinking and legislation.

Our lives are at stake.

Thank you for bringing this issue to our attention. I urge you to seriously consider my suggestions.

Sincerely,

Jaiia Earthschild