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Subject: Public Consultation – Health checks for late career doctors

Greetings!

I was going to use the supplied template but would have needed more time then it's worth to convert it into editable format.

At age 65, I can see this on the horizon for me.

I don't mind a biennial or even annual checkup with my GP but wonder at the proposal to use occupational health specialists. Where will they be found and how much will it cost, especially if they realise that they have a group forced to utilise them?

I suspect if that is implemented, I'll just retire from medicine and do something else.

The safest way for the Medical Board to protect the community from doctors is just to have no doctors, and there is already a dire shortage.

Regards,

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