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Hi,

I just wanted to add my name to the chorus of Australians demanding that the AHPRA rethink its moves to institute a punitive and discriminatory Code of Conduct designed to punish doctors like Dr. Van Gend if they express politically incorrect personal views that are deemed by your organisation to be discriminatory, even if these views are backed by medical evidence, are an expression of constitutionally-protected religious freedoms (cf. Section 116 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia (1900)) or are delivered in good-faith and expressed in a doctor's own time on their private social media account.

As a nurse and a person of faith I find this discriminatory idea to be chilling and immoral and as a result entirely unwarranted.

Regards,

Michael Davis.

