## **Brief submission**

Private and Public systems cove r different needs and should not be confused or integrated. I need a cataract op??? Private will do fine! I have a chronic intractible medical condition? Thank goodness for the Public System!

I see people who have gone private burdened with ongoing expenses ...an dbues who they come back to.

The systems are not dealing fairly with people, in not informing them clearly the benefits and disadvantages of going Private,

Medicare saves lives . It gives us specialists time and opportunity to investigate troublesome conditions without extra unexpected expenses for necessary investigations whereas Private expenses may deter the patient from continuing . Want any more????

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