The coalition has tried to privatise health care since it was introduced in the seventies.

Most countries have admired Australia's Health Care system and have warned against privatisation.

Privatising will only create community inequity and only those who can afford it will be cared for. Profits from private Health Care providers will go to the shareholders and this will effect quality of care and services.

All Australians should have accessibility to quality Health Care and our Government should place this above budget concerns. If they need to fund it in the future then they should try and recover taxes through multinational companies profits sent offshore.

Another way to efficiently fund our Health Care system is to eliminate State Control and introduce a Commonwealth Health Service. This would reduce costs and inefficiencies.

There is a lot of waste in our State system.

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