

Submissions Response Field

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More access to Doctors in the Bush. The issue with Nursing Posts and unmanned hospitals is that in REAL emergency situations, the Nurse Practitioner, or Registered/Enrolled Nurse does not have the same skill set as a Doctor, which is why there is such a difference in Mortality rate, living in the Bush. The industries of Farming and Mining are amongst the most dangerous, therefore accidents that occur are often extreme, and require Doctor intervention, not just Nurse intervention. The roads are more dangerous, with higher speeds, Road trains and Wildlife, as well as poor quality roads. A Doctor or more Doctors is very necessary. People should not be made to suffer because they chose to Farm, and provide Food for Australians. They should have access to services. Most importantly, more Doctors.