

## Response ID [REDACTED]

Submitted to **Health Legislation Amendment (Data-matching) Bill 2019**

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### Introduction

**What is your name?**

**Name:**

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**What is your organisation?**

**Organisation:**

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**The Department of Health would like your permission to publish your consultation response. Please indicate your preference:**

I consent to my submission being published without personal identifiers such as name and organization.

### Stakeholder Consultation Questions

**1. Do you have concerns about this legislation with regard to privacy protections, the Privacy Act 1988 or the role of the Australian Information Commissioner?**

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Yes! How much more will you be cutting from GP funding, we make about \$8 per patient, and now you want to cut more

**2. Are there any additional agencies and entities that should be listed for potential disclosure of MBS and/or PBS information, or notification of compliance outcomes for public interest reasons?**

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yes centerlink

**3. Are there any other data sources that would be appropriate to match with MBS and/or PBS data for Medicare compliance purposes?**

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centrelink

**4. Are there any additional safety and quality concerns in the health system that could be addressed through access to other data?**

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yes over prescriber of pain medications and doctor shopping

**5. Should there be any other compliance purposes which should be permitted under the proposed legislation?**

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Yes, that patients are assigned to one GP practice, or another, and they shouldn't have the option to doctor shop.

**6. Are there adequate transparency and accountability mechanisms built in to the framework?**

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no

**7. If you have further comments, please provide them below.**

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