

Submitted to About the Act and Code Review  
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I have been chronically unwell since 2017- 2018.I was diagnosed with ME/CFS and fibromyalgia and rheumatoid arthritis.I function at 40% I push myself so I can live a meaningful life and contribute to society as a fundraising consultant for a small number of charities that include probono work.many sufferers are bedridden bless them.my private insurance does not cover compensating me fir my condition but it would if my diagnosis was MS.not to minimise the seriousness of MS and the impact on sufferers but studies have shown that people with MECFS are poorer than fir sufferers of MS. Also even though the Select Committee has agreed and recommended MECFS be recognised as a dosability there is no funding from Whaikaha for amazing charities supporting sufferers such as [www.cvisupport.org.nz](http://www.cvisupport.org.nz) and they struggle even after 40+ years supporting sufferers.

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## Topic 1: Supporting better and equitable complaint resolution

1.1 Did we cover the main issues about supporting better and equitable complaints resolution?

Please add your response below:

Yes

1.2 What do you think of our suggestions for supporting better and equitable complaint resolution, and what impacts could they have?

Please add your response below:

Good

1.3 What other changes, both legislative and non-legislative, should we consider for supporting better and equitable complaint resolution?

1.3 changes - supporting better and equitable complaint resolution:

Dont know

## Topic 5: Minor and technical improvements

5.1 What do you think about the issues and our suggestions for minor and technical improvements, and what impacts could they have?

Please add your response below:

Dont know

5.2 What other minor and technical improvements, both legislative and non-legislative, should we consider?

Please add your response below:

Dont know

5.3 What are your main concerns about advancing technology and its impact on the rights of people accessing health and disability services?

Please add your response below:

5.4 What changes, both legislative and non-legislative, should we consider to respond to advancing technology?

Please add your response below:

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