

Thank you for the opportunity to attend this meeting.
I have only one thought and that concerns the consequences of obesity and smoking----chronic wounds. To speed recovery and **prevent recurrence** of these all wound specialists educate their clients however dressings and compression socks and stocking are usually self funded and without these devices the patient stays in the system and consumes valuable resources so I would like to see dressings and wound devices such as compression therapy funded--available on the PBS
Thankyou for passing these thoughts on

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