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Hello

I am a rural GP who has worked in remote indigenous communities since 2003. I have seen the effects that an underfunded and under staffed health system has on the health indices of our First Nation's people. I fully endorse the effort to recognise rural doctors with the requisite training as Rural Generalists. I expect this would entice more doctors to make the move to work and live remotely across Australia. This will undoubtedly contribute to closing the gap and bringing competent medical care to those who most need it.

Regards

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