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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** David Formosa

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In case anyone hadn't noticed, it is 2022. We do not NEED to torture sentient beings like we're still living in the dark ages. Please put an immediate stop to this secretive evil and barbaric practice!

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Australia needs to catch up to the EU by progressing to more humane ways of completing scientific testing without the use of animals. Scientific innovation in 2022 needs to change and recognise animals as sentient beings that should not be used for the purpose of education, testing of cosmetics, or other forms of research.

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I, as a citizen and taxpayer, do not support the use of animals. The method is outdated and does not align with the majority of Australia's views towards treatment of animals

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**Name:** Mrs Rissa Goodhue

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BREAKING: Parliamentary investigation into the use of animals in experimentation. Nearly two years ago medical experimentation survivors made an escape attempt from Royal Prince Alfred Hospital. Now, the NSW Parliament will inquire into the continued use of all animals for experimental purposes.

This is our chance to shine a light on an industry that has kept the truth hidden from the public for far too long-Alfred the baboon and his two female companions became the faces of taxpayer funded animal experimentation. He was recaptured and returned to a life where experiments will continue to be done on his body, against his will. The night of their escape I made them a promise: “We will take your story to Parliament my friends and force the world to listen.”

Thanks you to everyone

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**Name:** Victoria Warne

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Experimenting on animals is wrong and should be abolished.

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**Name:** Mick Moran

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Please stop the abuse of these beautiful beings

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kathri Dandis

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No sentient being ever deserved to be imprisoned and used for experiments. I think we have lost our way if we cannot see this and people who care have to sign petitions pleading for an end to this form of cruelty! Experimentation needs to be made illegal now not in the distant future.

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**Name:** Amanda Andrews

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Is this even a question? Animal experimentation simply needs to stop. It is not ok to subject any animal to an experiment . Ask yourself, would you volunteer for this experiment?



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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Lee Kingston

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Hello

I am writing to express my total abhorrence to the continuing barbaric experimentation practises carried out by NSW State Govt. upon animals. There is no discussion to be made, no reasons acceptable, no excuses valid. STOP this activity immediately.

Regards

Lee Kingston

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Animal experimentation is a barbaric and outdated practice. With modern science there are much more feasible and efficient alternatives to ensure adequate experimentation is done. These include invitro methods on human tissue cultures and advanced computer modelling techniques. These alternatives are far better models for humans than sentient beings whose DNA makeup is largely different. I encourage NSW to pave the way to abolish animal testing and adopt more scientifically appropriate alternatives.

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**Name:** Ms Devy Ahuja

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It is devastating that experiments on animals and it is absolutely brutal.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Dani Stevenson

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The use of animals in experimentation is cruel and unnecessary. The time has come to bring a swift and thorough end to this practice.

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Animals shouldn't be used for experimentation as they are sentient beings. They feel pain. They have emotions. They experience fear. They experience trauma. It is wrong to subject them to this. Humans experimented on other humans who like these animals were unable to defend themselves. It is considered barbaric that people subjected other people to this and it's been deemed as shameful and horrific. There will come a time when people will look back with shame on the evil cruelty animals are subjected to and eventually people will stop torturing other beings in the name of science and progress. How about it stops now.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Emmanuel Nulty

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I am shocked and horrified to discover that primates and other animals are still used for experimental purposes in Australia. I am amazed to find that this could be funded by the Australian taxpayer. I do not believe that the Australian voters support this treatment of animals or consider this use of taxpayer funds to be appropriate.

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It is 2022 and we shouldn't be torturing any animals.

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I simply want my disgust known for the monkeys and other animals being tested on, and I'm glad Emma is spear heading an investigation



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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Rhonda Ramsey

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I ask the NSW government to stop using animals for experiments. Animals kept in cages their whole life, suffering pain and despair. Animals are sentient beings.

Do not use ANY animals for experiments.

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We are living in times far more evolved than using primates, or any animals fir that matter, for experimentation. Please consider revising the out dated policies around this cruel and truly obscene practise.

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I'm absolutely disgusted to know animals are still in this day and age being experimented on. It's vile, cruel and has 0 proof that these experiments are in any way of any benefit to people. Our bodies and organs are completely different to any animal so as to why we are still torturing and abusing these poor defenceless animals for no purpose at all is beyond me. You are so backwards, still in the cavemen days to still be doing these horrendous things! Wake up, use AI and other forms of science to do good for people instead of harming these poor animals. Shame on you!

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**Name:** Ms Kerry Fitzgerald

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It is difficult to comprehend why we are having to fight for the freedom of other sentient beings. The day to day life of these animals is heartbreaking. Please, please ban experiments on animals. Thank you.

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**Name:** Ms Jennifer Geer

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Animal experimentation is outdated, cruel and unnecessary. It is beyond belief that it remains in practice. There are many alternatives now to using a live animal in experiments.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr James Arnold

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Dear Parliament,

There is no sound justification to make other non-human animals suffer in experimentation. They feel pain, they feel fear, they suffer. If you believe in equality amongst human races, human genders because there is no justification to treat them differently, then it stands to reason you must also afford non human animals the same equality. Equality of respect for their feelings which we know and clearly see are just as intense as ours.

The cruelty must end now.

Regards

James arnold

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Please end the use of animals in medical research and experiment ration. We have stem cells and tissue cultures we can use in their place. It's archaic and a national embarrassment. My university professor sits on a ethics committee and a research project burning live pigs was passed - to test methods of wound healing. This is a complete disgrace.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Pam Brandis

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The primate escapees, in Sydney a few years ago, shocked many. How these intelligent and sentient animals are abused for experimentation. It is a wake up call for our country to consider more humane methods such as simulators, computers and human tissue. We know the testing of drugs on animals can be grossly inaccurate for humans. Who can forget the many birth defects of thalidomide.



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I stand firmly against the use of animals for experimentation. Please outlaw this horrendous practice.

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**Name:** Mrs Stephanie Edwards

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PLEASE, this must stop immediately, it's barbaric, animals are not on this earth for us to torture. You should be testing on humans. Animals don't get a choice, people that test on animals are a disgrace. PUT A STOP TO THIS NOW PLEASE

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The use of animals on medical experiments is an outmoded method to quantify scientific outcomes. We have progressed to other non- animal forms of research in order to understand and gain knowledgeable on how medications or illnesses develop or can be cured for human purposes.

Animals are sentient beings who experience pain, fear and anxiety. To subject an animal to prolonged processes of experimentation which is painful, distressing and suffering is against our ethical responsibilities for all living species on our planet.

It is time to stop subjecting animals to animal experimentation.

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In today's world experimenting on living animals is totally unnecessary. It has been proven that results obtained from animal experiments are not the same when tested on humans. Please stop this torture now.

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**Name:** Mr Karl Augustine

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have spent years outside RPA vigils against animals in labs. 20 million animals killed each year in research and training. I am treble dosed. The vaccines contain no animal products and are vegan for covid19. I believe in science and facts not a science denier or a conspiracy theorists and definitely not against vaccinations. The message I used to get out prior to Anti Vaccination Conspiracy theorists was that 95% of drugs tested on animals fail when tested on animals and 85% success rate not using animals methods such as computer modelling invitro stem cell cadaver human trials healthy vegan life style opt out donor on licence.

No animal is saved by not being vaccinated only health of individual and vulnerable and society put at risk.

Primates in Sydney are tortured at \_\_\_\_\_ torture facility,  
and \_\_\_\_\_ and breeding facility at \_\_\_\_\_

Torture includes removing eyes from marmoset and xenotransplantation human hybrid pig chimera Heart into baboon at \_\_\_\_\_ . 

<https://www.smh.com.au/environment/conservation/baboons-used-in-frankenstein-like-experiments-in-sydney-20160120-gm9wa8.html>

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Alyssa Wormald

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I find it truly abhorrent and disturbing that animal experimentation is taking place in Australia. It causes me great distress to know that sentient animals are suffering pain, fear and torture when the results are so rarely even of value to human health given the physiological differences. It is inhumane in the extreme and so upsetting to think of the horrible lives these animals live followed by euthanasia. They have no opportunity to live naturally and express natural behaviours. We must move away from outdated practices that do not meet community expectations around animal welfare. It is up to the government to find modern and ethical solutions as the status quo is unbearable.

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We as a society are better than this. The archaic mistreatment of animals in the name of science must end now. Your constituents demand that all forms of animal abuse for any purpose be outlawed.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Joanna Allen

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These animals have feelings just as we do. It is not ok to torture and abuse when there are other ways of carrying out 'research' that does not involve the horrific suffering of defenceless animals. Many cases have been brought to light where staff have purposely humiliated, kicked, punched and abused animals in research labs. Animals being forced to inhale chemicals, being cut open, having chemicals put on their skin that burns, having muscle cut from their legs, all whilst being awake and with no form of pain relief. This has been hidden from the general public for far too long. I had no idea until recently the horrors that these poor living, breathing animals are forced to endure. They have feelings just like us, they feel pain, upset, hurt, fear and this needs to stop. Please help out an end to this.



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What's the difference between using animals for testing or children? They're both vulnerable and don't understand why they would have to endure such pain.

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**Name:** Mrs Natasha Foster

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Freedom for all animals held for Science experiments.

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**Name:** Miss Christine Webb

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STOP THIS NOW PLEASE

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It is absolutely cruel and barbaric that experimentation on animals is happening in Australia. It is devastating and heartbreaking that this precious primates made an escape from these cruel practices only to be returned and tortured for these cruel experiments. Please put a stop to this.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Araluen Freeman

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I've worked in medical research for over 10 years in NSW, and I refuse to be a part of any research that involves the use of animals. It's gotten to the point where I am unable to apply for around 70% of jobs in my industry.

Animals don't belong in laboratories. UNSW had to run a training course for staff and students to help them deal with the feelings of distress, guilt, shame, and discomfort that came with working with laboratory animals - we shouldn't be dealing with harming sentient beings beings at all. It is not all right, it is not acceptable, and at a fundamental level anyone with a shred of compassion will agree.

Scientists for the most part know that data from animal models does not translate to human applications, but often feel pressured to use animal models to get publications and research grants because it's the old school of thinking and scientists for the most part struggle for funding.

Please help us take animals out of the equation! We have so much technology at our disposal, and scientists need our support! The current pandemic clearly demonstrates both the importance for supporting science and the end to exploitation of animals. We can do this. We need to do this.

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**Name:** Ms Suzanne Hamilton

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I believe non human animals have a right to a life worth living. I believe they have right not to be imprisoned; not to be tortured and not to be killed.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Wendy Ducat

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Thank you for facilitating this inquiry. I find it abhorrent that animals are abused and tortured in the name of “science”. As a scientist myself I quickly learned there are many other humane and often more effective ways of investigating safety in science, medicine and healthcare. Please urgently stop animal experimentation and cruelty and invest in ethical, sustainable and environmental safe technologies. The time has come for new ways.

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**Name:** Bri Haddad

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Animals should not be used for experimentation. How is their life less valued than human life? We are aware of the mental effects keeping an animal in captivity causes, so why is this treated differently. It is far past time for a change. It is despicable as a human race we think our lives are worth the lost freedom of another, a living being who just wants to live free as much as we do. Please reconsider animal testing. I believe even you know that it is wrong.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ann Martello

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I live in the USA. I had the amazing pleasure of staying in your Country for 3 months. I left feeling sad returning home because I felt such warmth and care from all I interacted with in my travels. And of course, in awe of your wildlife.

I say all this because it is shocking to me that people in Australia would allow such barbaric experimentation and treatment of animals. These animals don't deserve to be forced into a life of torture and abuse!! There are trials that can be done on people, there are robots that are just like humans that can be used. Don't let this go on! The animals feel and hurt just like us so find alternative ways and stop the use of them for experimentation. The USA doesn't care, don't join them. Do something now to save them!

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Nat Munsie

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How is it possible that we are STILL subjecting animals to cruelty in 2022? There are other options available to a developed nation such as ours. Please free these animals from these experiments.

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**Name:** Mrs Celeste Manwaring

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The fact that our parliamentary members are so arrogant that they are ignorant to the plight of these innocent animals. We have no right as humans to be committing these atrocities on them..I look at these humans as evil!! As evil as the Germans involved in the crimes committed on the Jews during the first world war.. Have a good long think about this! Reflect THEN DO SOMETHING RIGHT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YOUR WELL PAYED LIVES.. I shouldn't have to up load files! You should be educated well enough to have a base knowledge on firstly the crimes of world wars and then the crimes of animal testing..

Ignorance isn't bliss.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Abby S

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Animals should no longer be used for experiments. This sort of thing is outdated and just plain cruel. these animals deserve to be let free or taken to a sanctuary so they can live the rest of their lives with there kind. Im sure there are more humane ways for experiments then monkeys, mice, rats, cats, dogs and rabbits don't need to be picked at and prodded at. We should be a world that respects and wants every living creature to have freedom and to live a happy and fulfilling life without cruelty. It's time for this kind of thing to end for good.

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This is outrageous that we continue to turn a blind eye on the abhorrent use of innocent animals in testing. I am highly opposed and want the laws to change to not allow this use.

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The use of animals in scientific experimentation is barbaric. It is akin to animal abuse which in any other scenario would carry criminal charges.

Human life is not above all other life. And it is problematic that most humans have a god complex that keeps them thinking that we are better and more important than all other life. We need to do better.

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Animals are thinking, feeling beings. They are tortured and abused, and discarded when considered “no longer useful”. We owe them better. Blood is on our hands every time we subject animals to cruel experiments and turn them into objects. 95 out of every 100 drugs that pass in animals, fail in humans. Many tests are unnecessary. We owe them better.

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DO UNTO OTHERS AS U WANT DONE TO U

NOT UR BODY NOT UR CHOICE!@!!!!

STOP THIS HORRORRRRRRR



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**Name:** Mrs Angela Phoenix

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All experimentation on animals must be ended. First of all, such experiments comprise very poor science. Many results are simply not applicable to the human body. Countless drugs which have passed animal testing hurdles have failed in humans--sometimes with catastrophic results. (for example, thalidomide) Furthermore, animal experimentation is unnecessary, as has been proven by the fact that it was not used in the development of many covid vaccines. There are much more accurate methods available, such as organs-on-a-chip and other computer simulation models. Finally, even if animal experimentation yielded useful results, it would still be immoral in its horrific cruelty. It is the torture of millions of sentient beings who most certainly feel fear and pain, and nothing could justify this. I myself have diabetes and other medical problems, yet I do NOT support vivisection. NSW must force science into the future rather than letting it stagnate in the past, and this must include an ethical stance. Please ban animal experiments.

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**Name:** Ms Jude Lennox

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Please cease this cruelty on other animal species. From the many articles I have read, and footages viewed on this issue, it is beyond barbaric. We can do better than allowing this horrific practice to continue. End it, please.

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**Name:** Ms Kerry McGrath

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It's time to end vivisection in Australia, it's cruel and in some instances can be detrimental to humans

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Maria Ilardo

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Simply, all testing on animals must STOP. The life of an animal is worth no less than that of a human. Investments must be made in scientific and engineering sectors to research alternative methods to the current completely cruel acts on defenceless animals.

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I do not believe you should be using dogs or primates for any experiment. This is unethical and has shown to be cruel and cause unnecessary suffering. It's archaic and not effective in most situations. This is well documented as not being any benefit to humans. I'm sure it's expensive as well but I'm am appalled that animals are used for experiments due to the pain and suffering it causes. People who do and look after animals for experiments are not caring people and do not treat them well, they want to get the most out of their experiment. I believe animal tests miss the toxicity that occurs in humans.

Please put a stop to this unnecessary behaviour. If humans want to consent to experiments then use them not defenceless animals that are given no choice.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Donna Monaghan

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Animals are not genetically similar enough to humans for testing on them to be valid and accurate. We know shampoo hurts when it gets in our eyes. Now leave them alone!

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**Name:** Ms Natasha Schneider

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I believe there should be a parliamentary investigation into the use of animals in experimentation. And a total ban of it . It is unnecessary and barbaric. Animal's are sentient beings too. They think and feel, but communicate their emotions and feeling a bit differently to us, humans. They are innocent, and can't help themselves. We need to protect them, not use and abuse them.

Almoat two years ago, some medical experimentation survivors, made an attempt to escape from The Royal Prince Alfred Hospital. Alfred the baboon , and two female companion ,baboons , became the faces of taxpayer funded animal experimentation. Alfred was then recaptured, and returned to a horrible life of torment, where experiments continue to be done on his body, against his own will,and freedom. This needs a parliamentary inquiry, and to put a stop to this barbaric torture of unnecessary experimentation on animal's, especially. In all fields ( medical, cosmetic, etc).

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**Name:** Naomi Vanderweg

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In the modern tech-savy, science-booming era of 2022, there is no room or excuses as to why animal experimentation is still needed in any form!!

Such a cruel, unnecessary & outdated form of science!!



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**Name:** Ms Suzanne Meli

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I wanted to donate my brain and/or body to science to help the medical students but no university could confirm that they had no animal testing so I declined. So very sad that I had to decline. Needs to change

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Please consider other options available. Animals kept in these horrific and stressful conditions and experiments cannot be a representation of humans. Animals are initial purchased from wild with another danger of pandemic. Completely unnecessary risks and torture.

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**Name:** Miss Alanah Jackson

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Stop animal abuse. End the suffering of innocent animals

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Parliamentary investigation into the use of animals in experimentation. This is unnecessary, cruel, and not worthy of the Australian Government. These experiments are outdated and produces false results when compared to human physiology. It is time to shut this down and move on to using animal free technology in the medical and cosmetic industries. There also needs to be more transparency. This goes on behind closed doors. Why is this? Is it because you know it is wrong. No use of animals in experimentation.

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The time for animal testing for any purpose should end. This practice is cruel and unnecessary in many situations. It is well known that some forms of testing are performed on animals who have no similarity to humans, making test results unreliable and therefore this needs to stop. I believe animals need much more protection than they get, please consider making some serious changes for animal welfare.

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In the year 2022 humans are still abusing animals, the horrific cruelty inflicted on animals is abhorrent and unnecessary. Animals are not put on this planet to be treated with such vile cruelty. Animals are sentient beings, they feel pain just as humans do. The experiments on animals causes severe pain and suffering, often resulting in a slow painful death. We are supposed to share this planet with other beings ,not harm them. Locking them up, burning them, burning their eyes, torturing them, inflicting serious pain externally and internally and watching them suffer is inhumane. I don't know how any human can carry out these experiments. They obviously lack compassion. There's so much knowledge nowadays about animals and how they feel, why is this archaic practice still happening. Put a stop to the use of All animals being experimented on.. I have watched videos of some experiments, it was shameful to mankind.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Bee Morgan

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Humans are human. Animals are Animals. The results of often unbelievably cruel experiments on innocent creatures cannot be acceptable anymore now it is proven they are not accurate.

This industry needs to be put under intense scrutiny immediately.

The enormous amounts of Australian dollars spent on grants for these abominable practices will be used in more up to date methods to test on voluntary humans.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Fardin Pelarek

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We need an inquiry into the barbaric practice of using primates for experimental psuedo science.

Is it effective? Is it ethical? Is it a responsible use of taxpayer money?

Is this industry transparent on the kinds of outcomes/injuries/suffering these primates endure/experience?

Are there better alternatives to animal experimentation?

These are the questions that need to be addressed in this inquiry.



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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animals need freedom, they are not experiments!

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No 70

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation is wrong. Please stop this cruel practice.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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In relation to the experimentation on animals I feel that in this regard there is no moving forward in this backward mentality.

The constant ill treatment and subjection of needless harm to the animals is unacceptable.

It is nothing but down right cruelty and needs to stop.

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No 72

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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It's my strong belief that all animal experimentation should be stopped, it's cruel and inhumane.

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No 73

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Tracy Kelly

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Animal experimentation is a thing of the past. A national disgrace, a practise largely condemned by an ever growing compassionate public. There is no need for animals to be exploited in this manner any longer! With the advancements in modernised testing animal experimentation should and must end! There is 'no excuse for abuse'!

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Rachel Frearson

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Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – despite the use of public funds, we have never been able to obtain from the NSW Government how much taxpayer money is being given to this industry or what sort of experiments are being funded. This is outrageous and these experiments are barbaric and no longer necessary. It must end and the public should have a right to know what their money is being spent on and why!

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Iann Chai

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I do not believe it is ethically nor morally right to continue to use animals to be experimented not exploited in this current age of civilization. Please make the correct decision to allow primates to live their natural lives free from invasively exposed to chemicals and other harm.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lisa Weeks

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I am making a submission about experiments on animals and the fact that the laws need to change. Animal experimentation in this country needs to stop. It is such an outdated, barbaric practice and it need to stop now. As a taxpayer i am sickened to the stomach that my hard earned money funds animal experimentation in Australia. I did not sign up for that. Please make a change for the better and make this happen. Animals do not deserve this treatment and its time for the Australian public to speak up now. Together we will put an end to animal atrocity's in this country including experiments on animals in research facilities across the country. Thank you for your time Lets make a change for the better



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No 77

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Chantal Eldridge

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Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – despite the use of public funds. All animal experimentation is wrong and must be stopped.

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No 78

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Elise Margulis

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Please stop animal experimentation! It is unconscionable & morally reprehensible!

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No 79

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Victoria Graham

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Animal testing is abhorrent. Organisations like <http://www.mawa-trust.org.au/> (Medical Advances Without Animals) are where you should direct focus. Their results are more valid and abstain from inflicting loneliness, misery and fear.

Only through kindness and wisdom can a society evolve.

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No 80

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Experiments on animals have not shown to be useful for humans and should be banned. They are cruel and unnecessary

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No 81

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Valli Gent

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I feel there are other ways to test products instead of testing on defenceless beautiful creatures, maybe prisoners. Testing on animals are not given a choice and is cruel, please consider some other choice!

Thank you

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Viktoria Vazorka

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Medical experimentation on innocent animals is one of the most hidden animal abuse industries. Even though public funds are being used, we have never been able to obtain from the NSW Government how much money the taxpayers like me is giving to this industry without having any control over it or what sort of experiments are being funded.

As a taxpayer I do not wish to support or fund this cruel industry. It is time to ban medical animal experimentation for good!

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No 83

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Michelle Setaro

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Please, it is past time to stop using taxpayer dollars on irrelevant and secretive experiments on sentient beings. Please enact a Research Modernization Act that doesn't experiment on suffering animals. The general public opposes government funding on this irrelevant and exploitive nonsense and cruelty. We do not need to use animals anymore.

Kind regards,

Michelle

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No 84

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Susan Querze

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Please stop the use of all animals in research/experiments. It's horrific torture to the animals and it's a regressive, unreliable and sadistic. Stem cell research is reliable. It uses human tissue not animals. Please ban all animals in experiments. It's the right thing to do. It's the safe thing to do.



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Dr Bill Westerman

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I object to any animal, whether primate or other species, being experimented on. If scientists want to test their drugs on someone, then let them test the drugs on themselves on other willing humans.

It has been shown that testing on another species does not give results that are relevant to humans. also, no animal should be confined to cages.

If the scientists think that it is acceptable, then let them try being confined in a cage for even one night.

I think you will find that they would choose not to experiment on another species, if they would not be prepared to undergo such confinement and the subsequent suffering this treatment causes.

In summary, testing drugs on another species is irrelevant and cruel. I ask you to stop all experimentation on any animals, immediately.

The scientists can go to PCRM, Physicians Committee For Responsible Medicine, to find humane alternatives.

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No 86

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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To Whom It May Concern

I write in the Hope that you seriously consider putting a considered and an immediate stop to animal testing in NSW .. which could then become a benchmark for the recognition and protection of animals/ primates from the tortures of being used for testing.

Surely their attempted escape speaks to your minds as well as to your hearts?!?

Sincerely

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No 87

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please ban medical testing on animals. It is cruel, painful and unfair. There must be some other way of testing new medicines and procedures without this barbaric practice.

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No 88

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Linda Pemberton

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Please modernize experimentation. We do not need to torture animals for relevant science.  
Please stop funding these absurdities.

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No 89

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Beverley Chong

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No medical experiments and living animals.

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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To whom it may concern,

a lot of experiments can now be done without the involvement of live animals. I do understand that some times there is no choice but I urge you to put pressure on laboratories to minimize the number of animals having to go through this torture.

there is no fundamental difference between man and animal in the ability to feel pleasure and pain, happiness and misery.

(Charles Darwin )

with kind regards

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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As a concerned constituent, I am well aware that in this day and age there are better ways to test chemicals and medicines than to use animals.

You will have noticed that consumption practices have changed due to concern about animal cruelty, and the public is well aware that vivisection and animal testing is cruel and unnecessary.

Please legislate to ban this barbaric practice.

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I believe the whole animal testing space is hidden and horrific. Whether it's for medical testing, cosmetic or other, no beautiful sentient beings should not be subjected to a life of pain and suffering in this day and age. There are plenty of willing humans who would undertake testing-use them! These archaic and disturbing practices need to cease immediately. If the public knew what was being done to these animals there would be riots.

Who are the government protecting? We vote in the government, they need to listen to us...not who gives them the most money.



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Please do not allow cruel experiments on animals! Thank you !!

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Concerning the horrendous use of animals for experimentation. I thought this horrible practice had stopped but I was very unhappy and horrified to read that it is still going on. I understand that medical research is important, but surely, this can be done without the use of animals who end up suffering and then killed.

Scientists say they treat the animals humanely but how can subjecting them to experiments be called 'humane'? It;s like pig, cattle, sheep and chicken farmers saying they treat their animals humanely only to have them slaughtered for human consumption.

I deplore the animal livestock trade and anything that causes innocent animals any suffering to suit human needs, desires etc. Please put a stop to this. The saying 'you can tell the ethical nature of a society by the way it treats its animals' rings true. Australia would not be considered a very ethical society.

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No 95

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lynn Popay

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Please consider up to date ways of research and leave archaic animal use in the past where it belongs.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Mark Cutler

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As we enter the 21st Century, it really is time to look hard at the earth, it's inhabitants and the creatures under our influence and ask ourselves can we do better?

I truly believe that we can, and bringing an end to animal cruelty in all of it's forms must be a priority.

Animal experimentation is a particularly cruel, and unnecessary practice in these times.

We can do better than this, now is the time to end this outdated practice!

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Chloe-Nicole Bignoux

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Please do not go ahead with this. Animal experiments are outdated, unreliable and cruel.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Greg Hansen

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So many of us were heartbroken when the media released footage of baboons that had escaped while in transit for animal testing . This footage was distressing and I still can't get that image out of mind nor ever will .

These animals are intelligent , fully sentient beings as we are . They feel emotion. They respond to action taken for or against them . When they are mistreated or used in this way we break a moral code that know no boundaries or exceptions . Worldwide and in this country there is large and growing abhorrence to this treatment . These animals have a moral right to live their lives as they were born to . I cannot urge the NSW Parliament strongly enough to protect these wonderful animals from animal experimentation which is torture . Please , join in doing something infinitely worthwhile and deserving . For the love of God .

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Sacha Zunic

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To whom it may concern, I am writing this submission to you in the hope that it will be considered when the time arrives to investigate the legislation surrounding this issue.

I am a counsellor, mental health and homeless health worker and have been working in the social services sector for many years.

I am also a long time vegan and animal lover.

I have to admit to being naive and shocked when I learned that the educational institution where I recently completed my Masters Degree allows animal experimentation.

I am appalled at any animal testing and experimentation and I urge you and also the University of Sydney to put all measures in place immediately to stop this barbaric and unnecessary practice.

The evidence (which I know will be provided) shows without any shadow of a doubt that animal experimentation is unreliable, cruel and only benefits particular industries who make vast amounts of money from punishing and torturing defenceless animals.

It is our moral and ethical responsibility to provide safety and kindness to those who have no voice for themselves.

I implore and urge you to please change this barbaric legislation and enact strong punishment for those who do not abide by this new legislation.

Many thanks,

Sacha

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No 100

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Sandra Condon

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I am disgusted at people and hateful companies still testing on animals.

They are all sentient beings. If any testing is required for products for human use, these products should be tested on human beings! NOT innocent animals !

It achieves nothing and serves no purpose.

The extreme suffering and ultimate deaths caused to these animals are reprehensible!

**STOP ALL ANIMAL TESTING IMMEDIATELY !!**



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No 101

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Iris Toren

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In the name of compassion and decency, please bring an end to animal experimentation.

The exploitation and torture of sentient beings is wrong. Alternative and superior methods exist.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Kristine Lobley

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Thank you for making a stand against all types of experimentation on animals. Australia should aim to be a country of high ethical standards that protect the rights of animals from being subjected to such abuse, torture, pain, isolation and death. Animals are sentient beings, intelligent and do not belong in any research facilities, nor being bred for such purposes. Please, stand with Australians who want to see an end to this abhorrant practice.

Thankyou

Kristine Lobley

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No 103**

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Cecilia Smith

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Madam and sir, if you would not agree to an experiment being done on an animal that you love - ie your pets, you cannot in all conscience agree to this horror happening to any other animal. We are civilised beings with the ability to see wrong. This horror must stop! End animal experimentation NOW!

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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In the end this is to respect their animal rights. Basically they are mammiferous same as all of us humans, they suffer just like us and there's nobody to uphold their very own rights to be free from incarceration and vile injections at will, trafficking their living bodies to see the result from their own pain and other horrific transformations, in the name of progress. STOP their pain. They are also human.

Thank you to represent us with this truth, and consideration for our animals. It is in our hands to act.

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No 106

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Inge Rheinberger

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It is not acceptable any more in our present times with science having reached ways for medical research that it is not necessary to use and abuse animals in the most horrific ways. We now know that animals feel, just like you and I, pain and it is ethically and morally wrong to continue such outdated barbaric ways of finding new medicines for our society.

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All animals, fish and birds are sentient beings. They are as capable of feeling as their human counterpart, even if they do not express it in the same way. They should be treated with dignity and respect, and experimenting on them, and hurting them, especially for the sake of profit, should be totally forbidden. In these days of technology, surely we do not need to harm another being in order to learn anything.

As well, like humans, animals, fish and birds are part of nature's clever, balanced and super-efficient ecosystem; if we subjugate animals (fish and birds) to inhumane treatment such that we would never accept for ourselves, we are in effect, greatly disturbing that balance.

Animals, fish and birds deserve much better from us.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Sandra Handley

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For the life of me I Dont know why we have to experement on ANY animals..

They have no voice.. They cant say NO..

Im sure people with cronic conditions would eagerly volunteer to help with these trials..

I know I would..

How can you sleep at night..

Submission  
No 110

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kay Podmore

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Although humans often benefit from successful animal research, the pain, the suffering, and the deaths of animals are not worth the possible human benefits. Therefore, animals should not be used in research or to test the safety of products. First, animals' rights are violated when they are used in research.



**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Barbaric experiments have been conducted on animals for so long now I wonder what we can possibly garner from them anymore. We treat them as if they are expendable for our expense and that their lives are worth so much less than a humans. Just last week Elon Musks company neuralink had to defend itself over the cruel death of a monkey they had implanted a chip into so it could control tech with its mind. This is truly ridiculous this is not advancements it is a society that has truly lost its way. With all the technology we have now we can create organs on a printer so why are we still sacrificing sentient creatures who have not been given a say in this. It horrifies me and I know I am not alone. We as humans have to realize we do die, none of us want to but it is the cycle of life and we should not be trying to extend our lives at the expense of another. End this horrible practice no more creatures should ever have to undergo a life in a laboratory ever again.

Submission  
No 112

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation for medical purposes is an absolute waste of time and money. Animal models mostly do not translate into humans. The exploitation and cruelty inflicted on animals is totally unnecessary and unacceptable in this day and age.

Submission  
No 113

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Ban testing

Submission  
No 114

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am very much against the use of any animal in a medical research experiment and this disgusting practice must stop. Some of the experiments conducted in the name of science are simply not right as animals have rights too and experiments end in the death of these animals in a most inhumane way and must be stopped now.

Submission  
No 115

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Debbie Taylor

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Animals are not here to be used and abused!

Submission  
No 116

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Catherine Sims

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Please stop testing on animals. They are beings with emotions and want to be free to live their lives. Testing is torture for them. Please consider alternatives.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Vineta Dixon

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Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – despite the use of public funds, we have never been able to obtain from the NSW Government how much taxpayer money is being given to this industry or what sort of experiments are being funded. My concerns are the cruelty of animal experimentation and exploitation of INNOCENT animals and the fact that what is happening in this sector is hidden from the public.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Rae-lee Diamond

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Dear Parliamentarians,

I urgently ask you to stop all animal harming scientific research across Australia, so that all policies and legislation can be brought up to date with the current state of awareness we have. Countless research studies have demonstrated that these animals are sentient beings, capable of feeling sadness, fear, pain, loneliness, happiness and enjoyment. They are helpless and completely vulnerable to being used and abused by us, the apparently more intelligent sentient being. We can't unknow what we all now know about the intelligence and sentience of mammals, even fish. Nor can we unknow that the results of countless horrific harm to animals in research studies, do not transfer over to humans. So I ask you, why does it continue?

Regards,

Rae-lee Diamond



Submission  
No 119

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Anne Dunne

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To the Parliament of NSW

The abuse of animals is not acceptable and never has been and never will be. The use of Taxpayers money to do so is quite obscene. If it wasn't cruel it would not be kept super secret. It's about time things changed permanently for animals in this country and we put a stop to animal experimentation.

Submission  
No 120

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please - no animal should be subjected to experiments. Think carefully about this and vote to have this stopped. Thank you.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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The use of primates and other animals in medical research in New South Wales needs detailed and urgent review. ANY instance of animal distress must be abolished or at the very least be authorised and monitored by an independent ethics and animal advocacy authority. In regard to funding, the details of research must be made public for public transparency.

Submission  
No 122

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please make the use of primates in research a thing of the past.

I believe it is highly unethical to use these animals this way.

Submission  
No 123

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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My submission concern the continued practice of animal experimentation in laboratories around Australia. Thousands of companies have found ways to conduct experiments on their products without resorting to animal torture. The practice is outdated and unnecessary and causes revulsion in the public sphere. Further, such practices occur behind closed doors in secret using tax payer money. The chance to end this torture is now before you. I strongly urge you to speak up for animals and introduce legislation outlawing this practice. There is no excuse for this cruel industry to continue. Thank you.

Submission  
No 125

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Roberta Mourao

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Please stop medical experiments on animals

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I would like experimentation on live animals to be more stringently regulated, in line with higher ethical and welfare standards for animals involved, and rationales for any experimentation to take place.

Higher priority needs to be placed on prohibition of experimentation that causes physical and psychological distress to animals

I also advocate that rehoming of animals post-experiment be mandatory wherever this is feasible.

Submission  
No 128

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Experimenting in animals for research can no longer be considered effective. Surely in 2022 there is advanced technology that would offer greater more accurate results. Just because it's always been done a certain way doesn't mean it is the best way. Animals deserve better.



Submission  
No 129

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mel Fitzpatrick

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Shocked! I'm absolutely disgusted that this is still going on; both the abuse of the animals and the lack of transparency around the use of taxpayer money.

Submission  
No 130

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Paul Murphy

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I want all animal experimentation ended.

Submission  
No 130a

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Paul Murphy

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Dear All,

Forcing mice to smoke is a disgrace and is spectacularly cruel. What relevance does this have to humans anyway? Smoking rates are going down - the cost of cigarettes must be made prohibitive - that is the solution. The public is disgusted by these experiments. It is well known that there are alternatives - alternatives that do not involve immense and unacceptable cruelty. End these experiments now.

Sincerely,

Paul Murphy.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Wendy Ross

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From the University of Rochester: Opposing thumbs, expressive faces, complex social systems: it's hard to miss the similarities between apes and humans. Now a new study with a troop of zoo baboons and lots of peanuts shows that a less obvious trait -- the ability to understand numbers - - also is shared by humans and their primate cousins.

That does not say much for our society, that we would treat smart (and innocent) animals in such a way.

Murderers, rapists and other sociopaths in prison are treated better, and I would prefer that they were used for testing purposes.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I would like a bit more transparency with the following, and if possible, do whatever possible to shut this industry down - Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – despite the use of public funds, we have never been able to obtain from the NSW Government how much taxpayer money is being given to this industry or what sort of experiments are being funded.

Submission  
No 133

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Gayle Butler

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Stop all animal experimentation, it is both heartlessly cruel and barbaric

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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To the Committee Secretary,

The use of animals in medical research needs to be stopped immediately - it is cruel, inhumane and unnecessary. Medical research can be conducted in many different ways without using animals and there are some organisations currently leading the way by conducting humane research. I believe more time and money should be invested into discovering and furthering the development of new ways to conduct medical research without the use of animals.

I urge you to conduct a full inquiry into the use of animals in medical research so that a positive outcome for the animals can be made and no more animals have to suffer.

Thank you for your time.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Kinga Sabina Lisewski

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Animals don't have a voice and I want to stand up for them and their suffering! We have XXI century and animal experimentation should be banned. Do not harm them just because they cannot say anything!



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kate Magoffin

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21 February 2022

Dear Parliamentary Commission into Medical Experimentation on Animals,

I strongly believe that medical experimentation on animals is inhumane and urge you to phase it out. In doing so you would be following the lead of the Netherlands government, which announced its intention to end the use of animals in safety tests for chemicals, food ingredients, pesticides, veterinary medicines, and vaccines by 2025.

There are many innovative alternatives to using animals for medical experimentation. Just like humans, animals feel pain and suffer because of it. Using alternatives would stop animals such as mice, rats and rabbits as well as dogs and cats being subjected to cruel procedures such as having substances forced down their throats or injected into their bodies, causing sickness, convulsions, diarrhoea and haemorrhaging before they are ultimately killed.

Experiments using animals into illnesses such as obesity, diabetes, stroke, and cancer have an extremely high failure rate and are of very little benefit to humans anyway.

The tide of change is turning and the proportion of people who support experiments on animals is diminishing. Please turn away from the archaic use of animals for medical experimentation and stop clinging to a sinking ship.

Kate Magoffin

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The idea of assaulting animals for research is so disgusting ,they have no way of refusing also no way to claim this assault on them. Humans are available to decide if they wish to take part. It is time we all stopped to think what cruelty we are guilty of toward the other living species on this planet and make decisions to stop all of it.

Submission  
No 138

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Julie Butler

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I would like to draw attention to experimentation on primates in Australia.

I totally oppose using these intelligent sentient beings for any experiments, I also oppose all animals being used.

I'm sure a lot of these "tests" are wasteful & repetitive making it even more unethical.

Submission  
No 140

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Olimpia Marina

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THIS IS NOT SCIENCE IT IS CRIME ....ALTERNATIVES EXIST..... ONE IS  
TESTING ON THEMSELVES AND GET EVEN BETTER RESULTS

Submission  
No 141

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Jodie Morrisin

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Use of primates and other animals in medical research in New South Wales Is cruel. We the people ask you to stop this. The world is watching.

Submission  
No 142

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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Leave animals out of experiments. There are better ways to do science with more reliable results and no cruelty involved. Reliable results for humans rely on updated practices.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Marguerite Cordell

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I oppose animal experimentation. It is cruel and not required in this day and age. Surely everything has been tested and continuing doing experiments over and over, instead teach by computer. Show pupils what to do from recorded experiments that have been done in the past.

There are other ways things can be checked for safety and not doing them on animals.

No animal should suffer at the expense of another, or in the name of science..

They feel pain same as humans do.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Johanna Ccarson

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I'm not a scientist, however, I have read much and listened. I have life experience. One reason not to experiment on animals is that feelings are not unique to humans. Animals feel pain, hunger, loneliness, terror, panic and so on. Another reason not to experiment on animals is that animals are not the same as humans in their physical and genetic makeup. Experiments on animals, and the outcomes of those experiments, do not translate to the human experience.

Remember Josef Mengele? Imagine for a moment if we took babies, children or just any humans and carried out unconsenting experiments on them. We know better. And because we know, we should do better. The answer is clear. Stop experimenting on animals.



Submission  
No 145

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Angela Snowden

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Animal experimentation is wrong. The animals can not and do not give their consent on many cruel experiments and tests. We must try testing medicines and other substances on human volunteers. The results will also be much more accurate for drugs and medications for people. Thank you for considering this submission.

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Request that no more tests are done on animals Test on prisoners, test on my ex partner who owes me lots of money and won't pay it back but there is no reason for tests on animals where other means are available

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Let's just stop putting all animals through cruelty but life lab animals have a particularly cold harsh life being jabbed and prodded and injected with awful chemicals etc and it has to stop. Compassion is what is needed for sentient beings and that just might be all life for all we know but pretend or ignorant to consider. STOP it NOW and let them live their lives as they are meant to.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Francisa Miller

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I live in NSW, and I am opposed to animal experiments because of the pain & suffering caused to animals. Therefore I do not want the NSW Government funding animal experiments. I am very disappointed that the NSW Government is not letting the public know the type and the cost of animal experiments they are funding. Please do not hide this information from us; thank you.

Please use alternatives to animal experiments and stop the funding of animal suffering.

Thank you.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Ajit Varsani

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Animal experimentation is possibly the worst kind of cruelty humans exact on animals.

Considering what we do to them in the animal agriculture industry that is saying something. Keeping animals in barren wire cages, all their lives and only taking them out to perform cruel experiments on them has to be the worst thing ever. Then returning them back to their cage not only frightened but in pain too. The saddest sight is to see a mother monkey holding her beautiful baby in her arms locked up in an animal experimentation cage. How can she bring her baby up in such horrid conditions? It must be the worst thing ever. As a father myself I cannot imagine what it must be like to be her. Added to the fact that there are better non animal models available I think it is about time we consigned animal experimentation to history.

Thank you.

Submission  
No 151

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am in favor of quickly phasing out all animal experimentation. Many Superior alternatives already exist.

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No 152

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I feel very strongly that animal experimentation of all types should be abolished. Too much pain and suffering is endured and no sentient being should be subjected to it. Animals are not here to serve humanity.

Submission  
No 153

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Steven Atkinson

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Medical experimentation on animals is wrong, cruel, barbaric and inhumane.

Animals do suffer horrible during medical experimentation both physical and emotional the damage done to them cannot be undone.

This cruelty of medical experimentation on animals needs to stop.



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No 154

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Glenda Bateson

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Using animals for experimentation is abhorrent. Animals should not have to endure a lifetime of pain and fear so that humans can progress their ideas. Animals are put through horrendous tests. If it can't be trialed on a human it should not be trialed on an animal.

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The use of animals in medical experimentation/research is long outdated and must be stopped. The pain and suffering these animals endure behind closed doors is intolerable and completely unnecessary. All facilities that hold animals for these purposes must be held to account. This is the 21st century and it is not okay to continue experimentation on animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Holly Norton

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I know there is the argument that without animal experimentation, medical and other sciences would not have advanced as far as they have. Perhaps that's true. We used to think vivisection on live animals was necessary for the advancement of science and ability to treat human ailments too. We've matured as a species since then.

Yet we still cling to speciesism; that our lives, our well being, our decisions concerning animals are a given because we are human and therefore have the right to inflict pain, terror, and death on those 'beneath' us. It's time we grew up. Stop animal experimentation. Use computer modeling, volunteers. With our great brains, I am certain we can come up with viable alternatives.

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To the relevant authorities, Any form of animal experimentation serves little purpose or benefit other than to be a form of abuse of animals. For all intents and purposes scientific research of any type which uses animal experimentation can continue to advance by using many alternative scientific research methods, without the use of animals as research, test or experimental subjects. Therefore, any form of experimentation on animals should cease and be replaced by the many alternatives available and often and/or regularly employed overseas eg. USA and in Europe (where more and more such animal experimentation is being outlawed or replaced.)

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Ban the use of Primates and other live animals in research in Australia.

Non-human primates are the closest species to humans in terms of biological make-up, & have a high degree of sentience. For this reason, I believe they should never be used in medical research. The US has banned the use of Primates for this reason. It is cruel and unethical - see below -

Excerpt from The Sydney Morning Herald dated 22.1.2016 :

"NSW Health also denied a whole organ transplant had taken place, despite details emerging of Conan, a baboon who had to be killed because of fatal complications arising from the insertion of a pig's kidney into his body.

Some of the experiments that have come to light include marmosets being used at the University of Sydney to take electrophysiological readings from their brains before they were killed with an overdose and then had their eyes removed so their retinas could be dissected.

In a separate experiment on pregnant baboons, a mother was killed by accident leaving an orphaned baby, and another baby baboon died as a result of the testing."

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A growing number of techniques that can replace animal experiments have been developed in recent decades. In addition to being more humane than research on animals, these alternatives often produce results that predict human health outcomes equally well.

It's about time that Australia takes animal suffering seriously and focus on alternatives medical experiments in research.

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Is time to evolve as humans and stop causing pain to other being in order to get more and more money. This needs to stop now. If any of us would be in that situation we would be saying is unfair and cruel but because is another sentient being that can't communicate with you then is ok? We can be better that this.

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Please help protect animals , especially people as yourselves who are in a real position to legally do so.

When I say "Animals" that is ALL animals whether pets, farmed animals or animals taken for laboratories for experimental reasons. All of them can get attached to us humans, even the ones feeling the pain, or neglect.

This is something I can not come to terms with, an experimental animal going through the pain, serious torture & disfigurement and still they can show feelings for their handlers.

Often these experiments are even unwarranted, unnecessary, or many times duplicated. How can we as a supposedly superior species do this to them, when really we should protect them as something that can not protect its self?

Hope you all pass as many laws as possible to protect all of them in need.

Thank you for your compassion.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Penny Carleton-Carlos

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It is high time we stopped abusing other species for the supposed benefit of our own. It is cruel, unnecessary, out dated and barbaric.

We know now that all species feel fear, pain, loneliness and all the emotions we do so there is no excuse. We cannot hide behind ignorance any more. Tests, if they have to be done should be done on our own species or not at all.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Yvette Agardy

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Animal testing in all its forms should be stopped immediately. It has been scientifically proven that firstly, information obtained from these cruel and unnecessary animal studies cannot be applied to humans as we contain different genetic makeups and bodily systems, therefore many of these studies are actually of no use so the argument of this cruel practice being for the greater good is flawed at best and deceitful at worst. In addition, with advances in technology, we now have the ability to use technology to create items that can be used that are vastly closer matches to the human body and genetic makeup of humans and thus give much more accurate results for application to humans.

Lastly, to use a sentient being, causing extreme pain and suffering without their permission or the species gaining anything from these archaic and disgraceful practice is akin to using people who were considered mentally incompetent or ill in much earlier times with the same reasoning that the majority would benefit from the suffering of a few. That argument clearly didn't hold up then and it doesn't now.

Stop this cruel and unnecessary practice now. Animals are not there for the use of humans in experiments and more there they exist to entertain you. They'll fall into the same category as children or any adult that is not considered competent to give informed consent.

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Im writing on behalf of those who can not speak as humans do. Although they speak with their screams, their moans, whimpers, body language and eyes. Sadly, all these obvious signs are ignored. Something I can not ignore is the fact that these so called 'experiments' are useless and unreliable. In this day and age alternate methods are available although real living beings are being tortured to death. Please have some compassion not only for the victims of horrendous animal cruelty and abuse in which the everyday person would be in jail for, but also for us humans who fund and wait with no real results. Please consider life of all kinds before the dollar bill.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Judith Brightman

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I am grateful that parliament is considering the issue of animals in medical experimentation. Like many, I was appalled on hearing of the baboons that escaped a facility in NSW two years ago: appalled because I had assumed that this kind of experimentation had stopped. I was aware that mice, rats and some other rodents were still being used in this way, but utterly horrified to hear that primates were captive in NSW medical facilities.

I do not support use of animals in any medical experiments. I know that this kind of research has led to great breakthroughs and developments in many areas of medicine in the past, but it is high time this was stopped, just as the use and abuse of animals by the pharmaceutical companies has no place in this day and age. Technological advancements and human trials should suffice for any medical research or pharmaceutical trials.

I don't want any of my taxes funding animal abuse or in any way compromising animal welfare, regardless of species. That our close relations should be used in this way, with no way of giving consent, is criminal in my view. Please choose compassion when debating this issue.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Yvette Dullaghan

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Any experimentation on/of animals is an act of murder, totally unacceptable and entirely repugnant. I would like the laws of this country to be changed so that humans can no longer exploit, harm or kill any living animal. And those who commit such brutal, heinous crimes be prosecuted with maximum sentences.

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Cruelty towards those of the animal race, shows how many of the human race has absolutely no compassion. Do we really need to wear them, eat them, experiment on them and exploit them?. Experiments have got to stop it is cruel and barbaric. Have we learned nothing from viruses /diseases that started with animals. I believe one day people will be held accountable to the horrific crimes perpetrated on the animal race. I hope I live to see it.

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No 170

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Karen Sommers

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I want animal testing to end!

It's barbaric and there has not been a single evidence to prove that animal testing has prevented any human diseases! The genetics of animals differ greatly to ours, so I fail to see the logic in continuing this outdated inhumane practice! If you want to test on real animals then get the mongrels in prison who have murdered, or raped children etc. experiment on them, let them be the Guinea pigs at least you'll be doing the tests on humans whose genetic code is the same. No animal should be tested on, it's bloody cruel! 😞

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No 171

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Cindy Klinger

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Animals used for lab testing must end ASAP. It is extreme animal abuse, it is extreme animal cruelty. No animal should be locked in cages for its entire life, it is disgusting that in this time it is still happening. It is sickening!

End it now. People should be caring for animals not abusing them.



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Please stop this disgraceful practice. Alternatives exist, and it is time to behave with some humanity. It is also time for transparency. Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – despite the use of public funds, we have never been able to obtain from the NSW Government how much taxpayer money is being given to this industry or what sort of experiments are being funded.

This is because - the more the public knows, the more it will oppose this horror.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Dianne Douglas

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I am Against animal experiments: Experimenting on animals is always unacceptable because: it causes suffering to animals and the benefits to human beings are not proven. Any benefits to human beings that animal testing does provide could be produced in other ways that are less harmful and may provide more benefits. The price of animal experimenting is costly to the taxpayers, and even more pricy to the animals. No animal should live their lives, only to be experimented on.

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No 174

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Kindly ban all kinds of animal testing at the earliest.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Amanda Allison

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After the many years of scientific research and results published, I do not think the use of animals in research is any longer necessary. The majority of their use has been to complete the same, standard tests, again and again. It is absurd and unnecessary. If a human can not be subjected to such treatment, then what right do we have to subject any other living species? It is cruel and without consent.

With such high losses to animal habitat and species throughout the world, we must make amendments now to find a way to research without the need to harm and abuse other species. There is an over abundance of humans spread throughout this planet which should be tested upon for human related things, not other species.

The only reason an animal should be tested on, is when researching a way to save their life, not that of a humans.

I ask you to please consider the sheer amount of physical pain and the seemingly neverending psychological torment an animal suffers when imprisoned, tested and discarded - sometimes for minutes, hours, months, years or life long suffering. It is unjust and cruel. Limbs cut/severed, eyes scolded, electrified, prodded, burned, injected, frozen... Etc etc.. It must stop now.

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I am totally against using primates and other animals with a central nervous system for medical experimentation and any other use - such as testing cosmetics.

These animals feel pain and sadness and loneliness. They are living, feeling creatures - similar to humans in so many ways - particularly primates. Who would consider using a human child for experimentation - of course nobody would ever do that, and yet some think there is nothing wrong with tearing baby primates from their natural environment, from their families and subjecting them to such terrors.

What right to we (humans) have to take a life, torture and withhold basic needs of another living animal. What arrogance! What superiority! What lack of compassion and kindness! If we humans were as progressive as we consider ourselves, then we would work towards devising alternative ways of testing and not using living creatures.

Please, bring the suffering to an end and ban medical experimentation on all animals.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Ms Linda Mathew

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I would like an enquiry into what is happening to animals held for experiments

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal medical experimentation is abhorrent and inhumane. Animals are sentient beings and suffer pain.

Why is it that humans ignore this salient fact?

**THIS PRACTICE MUST CEASE IMMEDIATELY!**

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No 180

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Elizabeth Sterling

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Stop the inhumane animal experimentation on innocent animals. They are sentient beings and feel pain just as we do. They cannot speak for themselves.



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Julie Bozicevic

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Animal testing should be completely banned It ia totally unnecessary. Modern technology has shown other methods are available to see if new drugs are safe. Pharmaceutical companies know this already.

Government must listen to people and ban animal testing. It is the sick providers of these poor animals who want it to go on.

Animal testing should be consined to the dust pan of history

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No 182

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Marilyn Spourdos

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The use of innocent animals for medical or any other experimentation should be abolished immediately. It is inhumane, cruel and unnecessary.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Mrs Karen Coomber

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Animals should not be used for experimental purposes

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Dear Members of Parliament,

I am making a submission in regards to the Animal Welfare Bill regarding Animal Experimentation. The animal experimentation for medical purposes industry is one that sources its legitimacy from a 36 year old act. I believe the act needs to be greatly updated to secure animal welfare and to be in line with the thinking of contemporary citizens on animal welfare issues.

Thank you for considering my submission.

Yours faithfully,

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No 185

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Jacqueline Clare

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There is no need to use animals for experiments - it's outdated old school, animals do not replicate humans, research is unreliable. There are now modern scientific ways to approach this. Save the animals from this horrendously cruel suffering.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Bev White

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It's absolutely time that archaic & horrid scientific experiments that are being performed on unsuspecting animals (all animals ) was banned. It's so unnecessary in our apparent modern times to subject these poor creatures to endure neolithic, often painful & deadly experiments for what gain I ask? Animals do feel pain, panic, anxiety & captivation stress;?

its abhorrent & people like myself (voters) & their families, friends & their friends & families are rapidly becoming annoyed & shocked that Governments are allowing animals to suffer unnecessarily. Animals need a voice & their voice now is your voters.

Thank you

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Kim Komesarook

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Dear legislative assembly

Experimentation on primates in the name of science is really out of date and has run its course. It is an outdated practice and nothing that science could not predict. Please cease experimentation on primates. It's obvious industry needs to find other ways to test products other than on animals. It is unacceptable to support testing on animals.

Thank you

Kim Komesarook

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am against animal experiments. Humans are different to animals and so experiments are often ineffective. it is also cruel to animals.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Vivien Smith

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The more we learn about non-human animals, the more it becomes apparent just how similar they are to us. They are just as sensitive to pain and fear, and just as prone to boredom and frustration. They are similarly in need of exercise, space and socialisation. And they are just as passionate to live in their natural environment, as they are genetically programmed to do. So why is it okay to forcibly imprison and experiment upon them in a manner that would cause outrage if it were done to humans? The end does not justify the means. If we want to benefit people, then we should experiment on people, or tissue samples of same, or use the digital alternatives now available.. Ditto for animals. To imprison and torture one species for the possible benefit of another, is simply plain wrong. Furthermore, I understand that more than 90% of treatments which work in animals are later found to be ineffective for people anyway. So it isn't even cost effective.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Christine Baker

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I would sincerely suggest that animal testing be completely banned. Just because, and especially because we have domination as humans over animals, we should be kind and respectful and loving towards them!! It is cruel and barbaric some of the practices that are inflicted on these animals!! We need to advocate for these animals as they do not have a voice themselves!!

Christine Baker

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Tam O'Malley

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I am writing to strongly oppose the use of live animals in medical research. The public have been pressing for the abolition of this practice for decades, please do the right thing and lead the way, by making the use of animals for medical research illegal with immediate effect, and instead adopting humane and alternative research methods. I am disgusted and appalled that taxpayer's money is being used to fund such barbaric and outdated cruelty. Please use taxpayer money instead to fund only cruelty free alternatives, and put this awful black mark on human history behind us. I was both saddened and sickened to learn of an escape attempt by three baboons from a medical facility, two years ago. Animals are clearly suffering, and the public has consistently called on governments to end the use of animals in experiments for years. This is no longer an issue that governments can ignore - Again I urge you, to ban animal experimentation with immediate effect. Many thanks

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Michelle Connolly

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Any form of animal experiments or vivisection is barbaric & absolutely unnecessary at this stage. It's time to consider alternatives of which the potential knows no boundary. We need to stop fearing change & invest in new beginnings. We don't need animals suffering to gain insights we need to invest in science with a difference. Please be a voice for good ..

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I'd like to voice my opposition to the ongoing use of animals in medical experiments in NSW.

Despite the use of public funds, the industry is dangerously opaque, both in terms of the amount of funding and the sorts of experiments being funded. If the research is "vital", having transparency shouldn't present any issues.

The animals used in these experiments already have no rights. Visibility and basic protection is the least we can provide, as they suffer and die for humanity's sake.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Edith Conradie

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Please stop this cruel practice. In most cases there are alternatives, and often the experiments have already been done elsewhere.

One day we will realise how much suffering we have caused our fellow creatures, largely needlessly.

We know that cruel experiments are often farmed out to other countries that have few ethics concerning animal welfare.

Now is the time to put a stop to the torture of animals that feel pain, fear and despair.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Branka Korac

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Dear wise members of the Parliament

What ever words I use here may not be able to tell you how much I wish the animal testing is no more. If I could speak with you face to face it would be easy to do this submission. I would just cry for the animals. Tears instead of words. Because they are helpless. Please help them. Ban the animal testing. You can't educate the heartless industries, but you can legislate for them.

Please do. For the animals and for your kids.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Jan Yarker

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Animals should never, ever have been used for research into drugs which are destined for human use. 10,000 people die each year in the UK only from the adverse reactions to drugs which have been tested on animals.

\*Safer Medicines Trust.

Consider the number of deaths this would mean globally and the families and friends of the deceased who will grieve their loss! Millions of pounds have been spent on animal testing when, all the time, funding was much needed for humane, ethical research. It is now time to fund animal free testing and move forward from the dark ages of medicine which we have been caught up in.

Now, there are computer models for use with human DNA and many more humane testing methods. We need to concentrate on using human DNA only to make drugs safer for humans. All the time we test on animals, safe cures will never be found for humans and people will continue to suffer unnecessarily.



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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Virginia Amorebieta

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I am appalled that animals are still being cruelly subjected to experiments that may or may not be of any benefit to humans. Not to mention being used to test things such as cosmetics. Animals don't wear makeup. To quote Animal Liberation. "Animals don't smoke cigarettes. Animals s don't drop bombs. Just because we do why should they suffer."

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Julienne Hutley

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Please consider that animals are sentient beings who feel pain and emotions. There should be laws against doing unnecessary harm to unique and extraordinary creatures, trapped in cages.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Jillian Nicholas

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I have always been saddened and angry about the use of animals for experimentation.

Now I will speak up. There needs to be accountability and strict Government laws put in place.

Better still, lets consider stopping the use of animals in research and experiments.

This has gone on too long and should be brought to the attention of the public so that the use of Public money is not spent on cruelty to animals.

Quite the reverse. Public money should be used to instigate and revise the law.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Dani Stevens

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The practice of animal experimentation is cruel, unnecessary and obscene. You must decide to urgently cease this inhumane and vile practice lest history prove you monster.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Anne Fisher-Smith

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I'm very distressed that there are some institutions that still see the need and justify animal cruelty in experiments. I have been informed that much of the information gained from these experiments can be received from other sources.

So why is the government still allowing this type of testing to be conducted. It is distressing for me to think that politicians that are voted in to represent my values turn a blind eye to this terrible systematic cruelty.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Amanda Cowley

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Dear Members

Please do not simply assume that all medical research is valid and worthwhile. Too often, primates are needlessly used in cruel experiments that do nothing to advance science or the wellbeing of anyone- certainly not the suffering primates who are used in these experiments. Please consider that primates suffer just as we do and that this suffering is not justified.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Aletia Artemis

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Please ban Animal Testing. It is a cruel and inhumane practice involving sentient beings. They are condemned to a life of suffering and misery. Please, stop this now.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Alexandra Karnasopoulos

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Please stop animal experimentation. All forms of it and any animals. Please allow us as humans to be their voice and stop testing and experimentation. It's not hard. It's not inconvenient. Please stop



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No 358

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Alexandra Taylor

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Animal testing is outdated, cruel, unreliable and unnecessary.

In 2022 I am shocked and appalled this is still going on in our country. Please vote to ban animal testing

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Alexandra Popof

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I would like to submit my opposition to animal experimentation. This is often a tax funded form of research which has zero transparency and has been shown to involve a range of cruel practices which should not be allowed. It seems there is little governance over these facilities that carry out animal experiments and little is known by the public who are funding them. It is high time that all laboratories and other facilities carrying out experiments on animals should have to report their processes and intentions to the public. I am sure that many would not proceed due to protests from the general public.

It is disgusting that this level of cruelty and secrecy is still allowed to go on. Is it not enough that animals are mistreated and held captive in uncomfortable environments to eventually be slaughtered for food. Why should so many more animals be used and abused for the sake of biological or scientific experimentation as though their lives are worthless unless put to use for humans. In fact many animals are put to death after their lives as living experiment subjects is over and the laboratories have no further use for them. Such total disrespect for other living beings is outrageous and unacceptable!

There are better ways to test and experiment than using animals.

Animals experimentation must stop.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Amanda Vallis

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I strongly object to any part of my taxes going towards experimentation that uses animals as test subjects. They are unable to give consent and are sentient and therefore no-one has the right to use animals as test subjects.

I demand that change be instituted such that any animals that are finished with are allowed to be rehomed and not killed off.

Experiments which are obviously cruel and in fact torture for the animals are allowed to proceed and this is completely unjustified and untenable and I demand that a stop is put to this. There is a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives to testing on live animals. The government needs to spend taxes on investigating and investing in these.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Amanda Hedges

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Animals are not ours to experiment on, torture or hurt in any way. It is as simple as that.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Amber Huseyin

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This needs to end. It is inhumane and should not be allowed. Animals don't have a voice to speak up and we need to advocate for them and this needs to stop!

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Summer Secrest

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In this day and age, where non-animal experimental alternatives exist, this cruel, inhumane practice of using animals as test subjects must stop. It must be relegated to the dustbin of history and looked upon with shame and horror.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Amy Johnson

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I am writing today to make a submission on behalf of animal experimentations. Why is there no transparency in the industry? Why is it hard for tax payers to find out what their money is paying for? Why are animals that are experimented on always killed, why can they not be rehomed? Why is there no funding and priority of tax money to fund animal free or research into animal free experiments? Why are such cruel experiments still allowed to be conducted, these include experiments of deprivation, no pain relief, surgery without anesthetics, etc.

Why is it so difficult to find out what is happening to animals in these experiments, especially when our tax money is funding them? Why is data not collected on the success or failure of experiments. Why is the monitoring of staff conducting animal care and experiments not well monitored. Why is there a lack of good quality laws protecting animals from cruelty in animal experiments? why is the sentience of animals not recognised when animal experiments are being considered?

Animal experiments are shrouded in secrecy and it is not right. It is not only unfair to the public paying for these experiments but it is dangerous for the animals having to be subjected to these experiments.

Please fix these problems with animal experiments.

Regards,

Amy Johnson

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Amy Wilson

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We should be phasing out animal testing and putting tax payer money towards more research into developing working models that represent the human system utilising bacteria, stem cells and software. Australia should be leading the way in animal ethics and animal rights, but instead we have a terrible history of animal exploitation in various industries including agriculture, medicine and racing. I understand we still currently require animals for important medical research, but the government should be funding strategies to better protect animals.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Andraya Stapp

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To whom It May Concern,

I am lodging this submission to protest against the anachronistic scientific policies that continue to experiment and sacrifice nonhuman animals for science. Scientific rationalism - conceptions of enlightenment, a deeply western construct, have created our current state of anthropogenic climate destruction. At the heart of this is a speciesist logic is that humans know best. The state of the world demonstrates this is not true, and those with power (economic and political) are responsible for climate destruction. That same arrogance defines the ways that those in power legitimise the suffering of others, including non human animals. I bring you your attention the following issues:

The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehoused after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is unacceptable as anyone who has formed a relation with a non human will attest to.

There is a kind of madness involved in turning a blind eye to this behaviour which is a continuance of colonising attitudes towards the other inhabitants of this earth, a duplication of practices of the past that once centred some humans less 'human' than others. What will you do to address these concerns? What are you doing and where is the transparency?

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Andre Bartley

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There needs to be drastic and swift changes. Our country can do this much much differently, the science is there.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Angela Jose

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Let's stop this barbaric act of locking up these beautiful creatures in cells and giving them a life of torture. WE are greater than this. If we have to test products on animals before we use them, then may be we don't need them in the first place. Donate our body's to science and use them instead. There are many alternatives available. STOP animal testing now.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Anna Weston

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This hideously cruel and barbaric practice is nothing short of evil. How can anyone with a conscience carry out these torturous experiments on innocent loving sentient beings.

There are so many other options, there is absolutely no justification for this disgusting practice.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Anna Brewer

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Medical experimentation is the most hidden of all animal-use industries, so many people remain unaware that cruel animal experimentation continues to occur here in Australia.

Australians hate animal cruelty, so our government has allowed the industry to operate with a total lack of transparency in an effort to avoid public scrutiny and criticism of the cruel experiments these animals are forced to endure.

Unlike many other countries, Australia maintains no national data on the use of animals in medical experiments. Even at state and territory level reporting on animal experimentation is extremely inconsistent, with some states and territories not collecting data at all.

Yet despite the secretive nature of animal experimentation, much of this research is funded by taxpayers through the National Health and Medical Research Council. Many consider this to be a huge waste of public resources and recognise that the funding and time spent on cruel animal experiments that would be better spent on humane research methods with a much better success rate.

Animal experimentation is not only cruel, but unnecessary. It has been seen to have up to a 94% failure rate compared to other scientific methods including:

Stem cell research

In Vitro testing

Human cadaver research

Computer modelling

Clinical trials

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Anna Brewer

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Anna Brewer

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On experiments using animals, independent reporting is necessary concerning use of animals and outcome of testing, in SW. These have to be made public, funding should be depending on outcomes and value of these experiments.

Honest and reliable info has to be made public concerning the suffering of the animals used in what kind of experiments.

What is the benefit for humans?

Pre-registration of all animal experiments to prevent duplication ! (see [www.preclinicaltrials.eu](http://www.preclinicaltrials.eu) and [www.animalstudyregistry.org](http://www.animalstudyregistry.org) for examples)

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Annelies Debroey

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When there are modern techniques to create medication, there is no point in using living and sentient beings for cruel tests or any kind of tests. Dogs are supposed to live in a pack. Not by their selves in a cage in a lab where they experience no love at all. Beagles are bred to be one of the most friendly family dogs of all breeds. They should be loved by a family. Not live their lives in cages, in fear, in pain, in depression. If you google for dog videos just once, you will see thousands or maybe a million times the proof that dogs are sentient beings who understand their surroundings. Imagine being in a lab yourself. Being in their position. If you have the power to stop this. What is stopping you?



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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Anthony Tin

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I am in no way supportive of my tax dollars funding the cruel and unnecessary experimentation of animals. The disregard and lack of respect for animal life is appalling and we need to do better as the most "intelligent" species on this planet.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ashleigh Humphreys

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Would you allow torture to be inflicted upon your loved ones? Daughter? Brother?  
Grandmother? Family dog?

I cannot understand what difference exists between the value of one life over another. EVERY breathing, feeling, fighting creature is equally as deserving of a safe and fulfilling life than the one before it.

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Unless of course you are the human inflicting such pain on another sentient being; in which case, you can endure the same atrocities as those of which your hands inflict.

End animal testing forever.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Paula Mandziak

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It is barbaric to abuse animals in the name of research. Perhaps the perpetrators could use themselves and their family members.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Anita Wisch

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- Why is it OK for the lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. Highlight the fact that you do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.- Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

- I am shocked by the cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates.

- In the United States we have a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives therefore I call for more government investment into these alternatives.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Jessica Cowley

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Dear Members of Parliament

If the human race is going to evolve to a more loving and kind species we must immediately stop our cruel and deliberate experimentation on the other beings that share this planet with us.

The animals used in these experiments suffer the most horrific torture imaginable. and we must remember they are thinking feeling emotional beings so much like us. Science has proven that we can no longer pretend this is not so.

I would also go as far as to suggest that the people who are able to perform this experimentation could quite likely be a threat to other humans as they may be lacking in their own natural conscience and feelings of what is right and wrong.

Please stop all experimentation on living creatures !!! It is totally wrong and has been allowed to go on hidden from view for way too long.

Yours in Hope of Change,

Jessica

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Ted Hume

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These are a disgrace in so many ways.

They defy belief - experiments on smoking - we know smoking causes cancer - end this experiment.

Near drowning? What possible reason for this? It's sadism.

Animal experimentation has had its day and is now a way for "scientists" to rip of the taxpayer.

I do not want my taxes used for these obscenities.

Lastly, animals are not adopted out.

Why not?

Too hard?

Not acceptable.

End all animal experiments.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lyn Barrass

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Animal experimentation is cruel and it upsets me greatly . With technology advancing so much why do animals need to be treated cruelly with products that are obviously dangerous if they must be tested on an animal . Please stop this horrible situation

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Belinda O'Rourke

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It is horrific to think that forced smoking experiments, near drowning experiments, experimentation on primates & many other kinds of animal experimentation still occur in Australia at all. This is especially true as numerous alternatives now exist to much animal research, such as via computer modelling/simulations, lab culturing, human trials, etc., which I am sure most would agree should be utilised as an alternative to live animal experimentation wherever possible. As such, there can really be no justification for most of these processes occurring in the modern day. Furthermore, most Australians would be especially shocked to discover their tax dollars are used to perpetrate these kind of practices which purposely inflict suffering on other sentient species. I am personally shocked and dismayed to discover that experiments such as forced smoking, near drowning & primate research still occur. Also, that animal experimentation victims are destroyed rather than rehomed after they have been used for research. Most of us love and care for pets, and the mark of a civilised society is in how we treat those without a voice. Forcing animals to endure these kinds of experiments is not civilised, not justified and does not warrant our tax dollars.



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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Benita Johnson

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Animals feel and have emotions. Shame on anyone to hurt or deprive them of their rights. If anyone should be tested, it should be on human volunteers.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Bernie Larsen

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I oppose animal testing /experimentation for research. As a taxpayer I am mortified that my taxpayer dollars are contributing to such abhorrent acts. There needs to be further enquiry into alternative research methods. It has saddened me to realise that animals used as such,particularly cats and dogs are euthanised when then could be rehomed to appropriate caregivers.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Belinda Evernden

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Using animals for testing is cruel and cause pain and suffering to a living thing.

This should be stopped immediately and move towards using technology to complete studies which is much more humane!

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Alison Clarke

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Animal experimentation is a cruel and barbaric practice that was superseded by superior, humane forms of testing many years ago. I find it revolting that these atrocities are still carried out in NSW in 2022.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Britt Oltrogger

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I support the inquiry into using primates and other animals for research and experiments. This unnecessary cruelty must be stopped.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Debbie Wall

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We wouldn't dream of driving a car where the brakes worked only 5% of the time and no one would want a cell phone that dropped 95% of the calls. So why do we continue using animals in junk science experiments that have similar stats? Nearly ninety-five percent of drugs developed using animals fail in human trials. What about the potentially life-saving medications that are shelved because they failed in animal experiments? And who are we to subject these sentient beings to such suffering, especially when one considers that most of our chronic diseases are a consequence of our lifestyles, particularly the consumption of animal products. It is time to transition to humane, human-relevant and cost-effective research methods.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Bronwen Evans

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The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. Highlight the fact that you do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

Highlight the cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates.

Point out the range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and/or call for more government investment into these alternatives.

Thank you

Bronwen Evans

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Bronwen Evans

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I am writing in regards to animal experimentation. I believe it is the peoples right to know how much taxpayer money is being given to this industry and what sort of experiments are being funded.

Thank you

Bronwen Evans



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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Taryn Chapman

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Stop animal experiments now !! It is cruel and totally unnecessary.

They are living beings who feel pain and love too.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Victoria McIntyre

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Dear Parliamentarian's,

you know in your own hearts and minds that the torture of sentient beings for our advantage is morally and ethically wrong.

The suffering at the hands of this abuse masquerading as medical research is beyond comprehension.

Imagine yourself in that animal's position, enduring horrors every day of life. You have the power to end the suffering for so many.

My family begs and implores you all to end animal testing. It is not necessary and is a blight on humanity that must end. Please help end it.

kind regards

Victoria McIntyre

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No 389

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Amanda Barnes

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Please stop using primates and any other animals in medical research in NSW. It is cruel and unnecessary; all these living creatures feel, they can all be replaced by other methods that do not use cruelty.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Amanda Barnes

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All experimentation on animals must stop. It doesn't fulfil any needs or provide any knowledge that is of help.

Thankyou.

Amanda Barnes

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lisa Apostolides

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Animal experimentation needs to be stopped as soon as possible as there are a range of humane and evidence based alternatives. I call upon this Government to invest into more of these and end the abuse of animals. Many members of parliament would have a pet no doubt, imagine your pet being forced to smoke or nearly drowned in the name of science. As a tax payer I do not consent my money being used in animal experimentation and I demand more transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. Animals that have been used and until this changes can be rehomed and live their lives in peace and safety. Your actions speak louder than words. I am sure your grandchildren will look back at some of current practices and be utterly appalled. Please do the right thing and end this..

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Carly Lownds

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Please urgently review the use of primates and other animals in research facilities. The horrific testing they endure is no longer necessary. The human race needs to move beyond the belief that animals are ours to do with as we please. Please show that you are the first state to abolish this horrific practice and release all current animals in testing facilities to reputable sanctuaries to live out their lives in peace.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Carmel Bell

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Dear NSW Parliamentary inquiry into the use of animals in experimentation:

The world has changed and we now know that animals are highly intelligent, sensitive beings and should be accorded rights in accordance with what is expected in a civilised society.

I shudder in horror at the thought of our leaders allowing such barbarism to continue. More and more products are being rejected by consumers who care about animal rights. Less and less people want products tested on animals. How does a dog screaming in pain help YOU with pain relief?

Take the moral stand and help to cease this ridiculous, barbaric practice. Many of your constituents will be grateful.

Kind regards,

Carmel Bell

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Carolina Kormann

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Stop test animals



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Carolyn Wragg

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To the Parliament of New South Wales

We need, as a society, to make a collective decision to remove the dependence of research on primates and other animals.

There are more sophisticated research methods available which do not cause harm to sentient beings, and we should forge forward in this space.

Please take this into consideration and let's make a change right now.

Yours sincerely,

Carolyn Wragg

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Caspar Nolan-Evans

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for this opportunity to make a submission to this inquiry into a subject that I feel is one of huge importance.

I would like to register my opposition to the Australian Government using our taxes to help fund cruel and unnecessary experiments on animals in the name of medical research. Moreover, the lack of transparency and accountability surrounding this issue is both highly alarming and completely unethical. As an Australian taxpayer, I strongly oppose the tax that I pay being used to fund these experiments - I also believe that these kinds of experiments should be banned outright. I believe that this is a key ethical issue for our society.

The fact that animals who have been forced into being the victims of these experiments are euthanised rather than any attempt being made to re-home or rehabilitate them is further unnecessary cruelty that further reflects the inhumane and outdated system that imposes this suffering on them. It, too, is unacceptable and must change.

The nature of many of these experiments (such as near drowning, forced smoking and experiments on primates) are highly barbaric and have no place in an open democratic society, masquerading as important and somehow necessary research. I would also like to join the call for more government investment in humane and evidence-based alternatives to these kinds of experiments.

Thank you once again for accepting this submission and I greatly look forward to the outcome of this most important inquiry.

Kind Regards,

Caspar Nolan-Evans

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Miss Cassandre Girard

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I believe that with all the scientific advances we have made, we should be able to stop animal testing all together and find other solutions that wouldn't imply slaving an animal for whichever cause it may be.

Thank you for your consideration.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Catherine Samways

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There is a complete lack of transparency and accountability in the Medical Research Industry, which is funded by tax payers. What exactly is being done to these animals?

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could potentially be adopted out.

Some of the experiments are extremely - such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates.

There are many humane and evidence-based alternatives that the government should invest in instead.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Celestin Hutchinson

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I object to the use of animals, any animals, for experimentation purposes. The barbaric ways of humans must stop. The NSW Government must recognise that all animals are sentient Beings, whose lives are equally as important as the lives of humans. We have so many new and innovative ways that experiments can be applied, without subjecting our innocent animals to these tortures, which ultimately end in their painful deaths. Unconsciounable pain and suffering at the hands of these experiments.

I wish to hold the Government of NSW accountable, and demand that these experiments on these innocent animals be abolished immediately.

Celestin Hutchinson

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Marlene Johnson

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All of us know in our hearts, that this is wrong, to keep these animals for testing, doing unspeakable things to them over and over again, when they are flesh and blood with a brain and like every creature that God put on to this earth, should be treated with respect!

These Lab Scientists have all the data from all these tests, why do they need more, if it wasn't for the money they get from the Government.

I ask you to put yourself in the place of the animal used, and ask how would you feel, to be locked in a tiny cage with no comfort, waiting to have painful tests done to you for their whole life! We are supposed to be the humans! I have seen many reports from PETA that University's Science Labs do it mainly for the money and many of got rich from it! Please look into this carefully, and look into your own hearts, as you will be judged by God for what you did in this life!

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Dr Chantelle Valente

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To whom it may concern,

I urge parliament to investigate the use of animal experimentation in research, and begin to understand the inconsistencies in ethical thinking when considering the animal similar enough to human species that it enables accurate testing, but different enough that none of the usual ethical standards that apply to human research should apply to animals.

I believe humans themselves have much to gain in the way we utilise animals for research, not just in our own morality, but utilising microdosing techniques in humans, or human cell lines to test the efficacy of drugs / other therapeutic techniques means that some therapies that have been vetoed in animal experimentation but would have actually been useful in humans, will not be missed. And other therapies, which are not harmful to animals but which are significantly harmful to humans, will not make it to full dose human trials and cause major impairments to the test subject.

The Government needs to fund alternatives to animal testing, not only for ethical reasons, but also as a potential improvement to our current laboratory techniques.

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No 401

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Charley Greenfield

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Please stop torturing sentient beings and teach people prevention for treatable diseases.



Submission  
No 402

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Cherie Coleman

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Animal testing is barbaric and time for it to go

Submission  
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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Chloe-Nicole Bignoux

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I just don't think it's right for us humans to ever benefit from the pain or discomfort of another creature. It is up to us to be kind and treat them with the love and respect that they deserve any leaving them in their natural habitats, thriving with their families. As well as this, doing research on animals, including primates, is a very outdated way to do research, there are many brilliant alternatives that are much more modern, reliable, kind and cost effective.

Thank you.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Chloe-Nicole Bignoux

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I believe that animal testing is outdated, as there are so many more accurate, modern and cruelty-free ways to do it. Surely in 2022 you can do better than this. Animals are not ours to torture and do whatever we want with. Please show them the respect they deserve by leaving them alone. They leave us alone, let's do the same for them.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Christine Davey

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Cruel animal experiments with dogs and cats need to stop. These animals need to be re-homed and given the opportunity to love a more 'normal' life rather than being euthanised.

NO primates should be experimented upon.

There are more humane and evidence-based alternatives.

The way we treat animals says a lot about our society.

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## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Christina Williams

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Put simply - the number of deaths due to the innocent, non- consensual, sentient beings because of human experimentation can never compare to the "good" it can do.

It is 2022, we now have complex artificial intelligence,, we have sophisticated software. There is no reason to continue to torture main and kill the innocent to find cures that most likely don't exist.

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No 406

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Chyna Charles

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Please understand and realise the cruelty in lack of adequate research in testing on animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Claire Bridgman

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Animals are now recognised as sentient beings. When animal experiments started this was not widely understood, but now we know we have no excuse. We do not have the right to inflict pain and death on another living creature. If it was to another human it would be a lifelong jail sentence for some of the things that are currently allowed as experiments.

Many examples exist of ways in which our reactions differ to those of other animals, and the majority of experiments prove nothing, except we are capable of spending tax payers money on torture.

Now we know better we need to do better. Stop all animal experiments.

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## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Claire Tait

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not the way to go but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.



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No 409

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Diane Kastel

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Medical experimentation is one of the, most, hidden animal-use, industries – despite the use of public, funds, we have never been able to obtain from the "NSW Government" how much, taxpayer, money is being given to this industry, or, what sort of experiments are being funded.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Jacob Henson

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It is 2022 and science has improved beyond the need for animal testing. Its a disgrace that it is still happening.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Carolyn Cooper

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Horrendous brutality toward animals that have no voice or power to protect themselves.  
Monster humans.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Marguerite Cordell

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I strongly oppose using animals in experimentation of any kind.

It is cruel to subject these innocent creatures to the torturous conditions that currently exist. Many experiments have been done and done over and over, why not teach by video and not continue this cruelty.

And why are these animals euthanised after they have been no longer of use to the experimenters and companies, why can't they be rehomed. Better still I call on governments to stop all experiments immediately.

I object that my taxes are being used to fund such cruelty and demand that I have a say in where I would rather see my tax money spent.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Corinne Feldmann

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Animal testing,

I would like to have my opinion heard about animal testing. In fact I would ask that members of this committee look beyond policy and actually look into the eyes of a laboratory animal who has been abused and used for human, without their consent. I also want to draw your attention to the fact I am a tax payer, have been for 40 years and animal testing is funded by me and many other tax payers who are not aware as there is a lack of accountability and transparency. I do not want my tax going to these experiments. This industry also is not held accountable for the inhuman procedures that occur after an animal is of no further use - they are euthanised. Why can't they be rehomed and allowed to spend their final years surrounded by love and companionship. These testing facilities are the equivalent of gas chambers, and surely no human being would wish that type of cruelty upon any living thing.

I call on policy makers to invest in research around alternative evidenced based methods and have compassion towards all creatures on this Earth. Lead by example.

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No 414

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Danielle Ryan

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Please ban the use of animals in scientific medical research. It is unnecessary and cruel in this day and age.

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No 415

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Danielle Harris

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Disgusting behaviour

Submission  
No 416

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Samantha Wight

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Using sentient beings for experimentation is abhorrent and completely unnecessary in 2022. If we truly are a civilised first world nation, we should leave this cruel and unethical practice in the dark ages where it belongs. Please put an end to this disturbing torture now.



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No 417**

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dani Suslov

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<https://www.humanerresearch.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/HRA-Submission-NSW-Inquiry-into-Animal-Experimentation.pdf>

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr David Yazbek

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing in hope that the Australian government will provide a voice and rights for the living creatures in our world who do not have either - animals.

Animals are sentient beings, just like us. But unlike us, they have no choice as to whether they are experimented upon or live or die. Their lives are totally dependant on the kindness of humans.

Animals deserve kindness, empathy and compassion. They do not deserve to live perpetually in cages being experimented upon in any manner. They certainly do not deserve to feel fear as a result of people.

Our prisons are filled with criminals who can volunteer for experiments, presently inflicted on animals, to pay back society for their illegal, hurtful and wrong behaviour.

I support the Animal Justice Party and hope you will consider supporting them, too.

Please be kind to animals.

Kind regards,

David Yazbek

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Professor David Morris

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Thank you for the opportunity of responding. As a clinician and scientist at St George Hospital, I wish to make it clear, how important animal research continues to be in the development of drugs and devices, which I have been fortunate enough to be able to develop. If NSW and indeed, Australia, wants to remain involved in the development of new therapies for life threatening diseases in man, animal research has to be part of this.

Not only is this important for developing new treatments but, it is also important in the quality of the medicine in this country, and is important in being able to attract scientific and clinical staff that our hospitals depend upon.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr David Hargreaves

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One fundamental tenet of government is that it must undertake all duties and responsibilities in an ethical manner.

Ethical behaviour, or at least the perception and acceptance of what constitutes ethical behaviour, evolves over time. What was once considered ethical behaviour may no longer be so considered.

The use and abuse of animals for any reason whatsoever must be considered as unethical behaviour in modern times.

The use of animals for medical experimentation clearly falls within any reasonable definition of the term unethical behaviour.

The only means by which such abhorrent, unethical behaviour is lawfully allowed to continue under the banner of medical experimentation is because the law is clearly outdated and just plain wrong.

There are enough horrors committed in this world without this unnecessary horror.

The law is wrong. The law is unethical. The law must be changed.

Let your conscience be your guide. Change the law and be proud of your action.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr David Nicholson

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I sincerely and politely implore the Committee to submit to Parliament draft legislation that would ultimately result in the use of animals in medical research ceasing.

While animal experimentation may at one time have been acceptable to the community, this is no longer the case. As people now understand the methods used in animal experiments they have come to realize these methods are not acceptable, simply being lazy research and by any other name, animal cruelty.

Society has moved on from the early days of medical research and we now have more sophisticated options. For example computer simulations and modelling which ultimately can be applied to human volunteers in a monitored and controlled environment.

In addition it is not acceptable to treat animals cruelly. Animals are sentient beings and hurting them under the guise of "research" is a poor reflection on an advanced society.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr David Smailes

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Animal research is holding back progress; we want cures NOW !

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Melissa Brown

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These animals deserve far better than this, they are sentient beings, it is up to us to find another way. Please consider this matter deeply.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Dee McNeill

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My concerns regarding medical experiments on animals are as follows:

1. There is a lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want/authorize/support ANY, not even a cent, of the money I pay in taxes to fund cruel, or even ANY, animal experiments.
2. I do not understand why, after being forced to endure, these animals are not rehomed experimentation. ALL animals, but especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.
3. Experimenting is cruel and inhuman, Experiments on intelligent primates, forced smoking and similar experiments really highlight the dark side of our humanity. Especially as a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives are available, and something that the government should invest into.

I look forward to reading more on this issue.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Denisa Jalloh

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### Top Five Reasons to Stop Animal Testing

What's wrong with animal testing? Poisoning, shocking, burning, and killing animals is all in a day's work for vivisectors. If these atrocious acts were committed outside laboratories, they would be felonies. But animals suffer and die every day in laboratories with little or no protection from cruelty.

1. It's unethical.

It's unethical to sentence 100 million thinking, feeling animals to life in a laboratory cage and intentionally cause them pain, loneliness, and fear.

2. It's bad science.

The National Institutes of Health reports that 95 out of every 100 drugs that pass animal tests fail in humans.

3. It's wasteful.

Animal experiments prolong the suffering of humans waiting for effective cures because the results mislead experimenters and squander precious money, time, and other resources that could be spent on human-relevant research. Animal experiments are so worthless that up to half of them are never even published.

4. It's archaic.

Forward-thinking scientists have developed humane, modern, and effective non-animal research methods—including organs-on-chips, organoids, human-based microdosing, in vitro technology, human-patient simulators, and sophisticated computer modeling—that are cheaper, faster, and more accurate than animal tests.

5. It's unnecessary.

The world doesn't need another ridiculous, taxpayer-funded test on animals so that a university experimenter can keep riding the grant gravy train.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Diane Nicholson

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Animals are sentient, they have feelings. They deserve respect and to be protected from us. We test our concoctions on them because we think their lives are worth less than ours, and that is wrong. They are different, but not less. Medicines to benefit humans should not involve testing on animals. It is unethical to make a non benefitting species pay the price for our health, or our poor lifestyle choices, our vanity or our greed.

I have a dog, and a cat, and I have had mice as pets in the past. I know they feel fear. I have watched mice grieve the death of one of their number.

Their lives may be shorter, but that makes their moments count all the more. They may be easily bred, but that doesn't make them ours to do with as we please.

The containment and torture of animals in the name of science or profit must stop.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Dianne Lynch

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Animal Experimentations are an outdated ,Cruel,and horrific.

With the updated Technology no Animal should have to endure this Legalised Animal Abuse. Other countries have successfully used Computer Technology to gain accurate tests thus not putting an Animal through years of torture.

We must move up and STOP this Barbaric Practice. We MUST move up into the World and become one of the leaders in using Technology. We are not a Country that will tolerate this type of testing.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Diane Roberts

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I cannot understand why this still exists in 2022. We have long had alternative sources of non animal research that are even more reliable and better. Also there has been proof that animal reactions are not the same as human. But it must stop now. We are no longer uninformed. The rise of social networking has seen to that and people do not want sentient beings experimented on. We as, our own species, are increasingly revolted by the abuse heaped upon the innocents. Stop pandering to the laziness of the researchers and the greed of the suppliers.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Dita Škalič

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Good evening. I have read that you are accepting submissions on animal experimentation. So I want to tell you I believe animals deserve to be treated nicely. To achieve that, stricter rules are needed to decide when animal experimentation is permissible; for example, forced swim tests and forced inhalation tests should be immediately banned as they only cause suffering without providing necessary lifesaving insights. States and territories should fund and otherwise encourage development, validation and use of non-animal research methods. It is also important to publish plain-language reports on methods, purposes and expenses of all animal research projects and on lives of animals bred for research, so everyone can help supervise.

Thank you and kind regards.

Dita Škalič

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Dominique Millar

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It is the morally right thing for us to follow the European Union's call (September 2021) for a blanket end and phasing out of Animal Testing . If the first world countries of the European Union know they can lead the world in scientific research without animal testing, then there is clearly no excuse for why Australia cannot.

Most significantly we need a complete end to the utterly barbaric estimated 123,975 animals used annually (e.g. from 2016) in the "major physiological challenge" which causes moderate to extreme degrees of distress and pain in animals in Australia.

We also need an immediate end to the 25,000 animals tested with the aim of "death as the endpoint."

Australia also has the fourth highest use of animals in experiments and surgery training in the world, after China, Japan and the US. Such a high statistic clearly shows we have a problem here.

In the process of fazing out animal testing, we need:

An end to euthanising animals tested and a policy of rehoming.

Preferential funding going to non-animal methods across all research and innovation initiatives. As we know that the pressures of institutional funding very often trumps ethics here!

We also need all scientific tests funded by the taxpayer made completely transparent and open to public scrutiny. Currently animal testing is not.

Government investment in alternatives to animal testing.

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**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Donna Smith

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Animal experimentation

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No 432

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Debra Curci

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Testing on animals is ineffective, inefficient and unconscionably cruel. Please enact a permanent ban on testing on animals. With so many viable alternatives available, I implore you to ban all animal testing immediately.



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Heidi Donaldson

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This is heartbreaking, every animal and primate deserves their life. This is so cruel when we do not require the use of animals in a laboratory. Our biology is different.

How about test on inmates on death row. They are going to be put to death for their crimes. These animals do not ask to be bred for and kept prisoner for our species to poke prod torment and ultimately die die to this. We as humans feel we are superior we are not . All animal testing must stop. This is not the 30's when scientists knew nothing. The advancements and cruelty free labs have proven that this is just cruel. This poor primate living like this daily , these primates are scared submissive and do anything to keep these humans happy. This is disgusting

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Hilary Duckmanton

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Primates are intelligent animals who suffer both emotionally and feel pain just like we do. They have a right to live on this planet without being subjected to experiments. Currently they have no rights and can be subjected to terrible pain. There is no evidence that whatever is tested on primates will be the same results if then given to humans. At the present time there is no accountability on what experiments are taking place on these poor animals. These animals have no voice and if they had would these experiments/tests still continue if we could hear there screams and shouting to stop. If we could feel their pain both emotionally and physically. They are not objects they are sentient beings. They must be respected and laws introduced to acknowledge this. Thankyou

Submission  
No 435

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Diana Basilio

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No  to torture to animals in experiments.

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No 436

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lesley Chandler

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Animal experimentation is draconian and abhorrent in this day. Change the law as science does not need primate victims to validate their findings. Outcomes can be verified through culture samplings and other avenues. The arrogance and cruelty is a measure of an undeveloped society.

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No 437

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Edith Magnussen

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Please pass a bill to stop experimentation on animals. As I tax payer I do not want to fund any experimentation on animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Elsa Del Col

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation.

There are already some alternatives developed to replace animal experimentation, Science must find more alternatives to end this barbaric, cruel and unnecessary practice. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward.

I implore you to please phase out all forms of animal experimentation permanently.

Inflicting ongoing pain, suffering and intentional harm to sentient beings in the name of science is rubbish and must stop.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Emma Le Breton

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I am writing today about the awful process of using primates, and other animals, for medical research - when their suffering is unneeded and an archaic form of discovery. There is a huge lack of transparency and accountability about the suffering, numbers, use, euthanasia and sourcing of these animals - in an industry that is funded by tax payers, and world which is facing sustainability crises. I can be sure that myself and most members of the Australian public would not want our taxes funding cruel animal experiments, if there was transparency and knowledge of the industry.

Furthermore- why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Is it too much time and money to show the slightest bit of empathy for a being you mutilated? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be euthanised and treated as waste when they could be adopted out.

There is no need for, and such extreme cruelty involved, in experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates - our closest human relatives. I see a fine line between this behaviour and using human subjects that don't require payment. It's a money driven scam condoning cruelty.

Instead of these practices there are a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives which I ask the government to invest in.

Regards,

Emma

Submission  
No 440

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Lauren Kwon

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Breeding dogs for science is unacceptable and inhumane. This is NOT where our tax money should be going to!



Submission  
No 441

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Amira Roberts

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STOP ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION! STOP FUNDING EXPERIMENTATION ON ANIMALS! IT IS WRONG!

I stand against cruelty to animals, even when you make it 'legal'. With advancements in technology there is no need to keeping this. STOP IT!

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No 442

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Melissa Senatoa

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Like any person with a conscience - I ask that there is an end to the cruel and unnecessary and outdated horror of experimentation upon animals.

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No 443

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Eva Caprile

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It is with a heavy heart that I write this submission for the sentiment beings who are powerless to be heard simply because they have no voice. It is inconceivable that we use animals for medical experiments. If they could talk then the use of animals it would quickly become a unlawful. It time that all animals on this planet are treated as sentiment beings who enjoy the all the projection humans do.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Jennifer Valentine

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please stop researching on animals; it's cruel, unnecessary, junk science

There is also a lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

These experiments are cruel like near-drowning, forced smoking, electric shock experiments on primates and other cruel experiments.

There are many humane and evidence-based alternatives and/ we need government to investment into these alternatives.

Submission  
No 444a

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Jennifer Valentine

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Please stop animal experiments - they are cruel, unnecessary and irrelevant to humans

Submission  
No 445

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Felix Wild

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Animal Experimentation needs to stop! It's unethical, and in a world of advancing technologies, there are alternative ways (stem cell treatment + creating lifelike moulds of tissues) to collect research and data surrounding medicines. Animal experimentation for cosmetic products is disgusting! Putting a life through pain to simply feel prettier is terrible. In the short term, there needs to be more awareness around cosmetic products that are tested on animals, so the consumer can actively discriminate against them. This can be in the form of a sticker, similar to the "Made in Australia" sticker. Thanks for reading this submission.

Submission  
No 446

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Cassandra Hansen

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Animals have rights as well. We don't need to let them  
Suffer. There are other ways to do testing. We need  
To stop the heartless and cruel treatment on animals

Submission  
No 447

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Susannah Biggs

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Yes. It is now the time to be kind to all animals. Do No harm to them.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Francine Horne

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The benefits of using animals in experiments to forward human health is overstated.

I oppose the use of any animal to be used for experimentation to benefit human health as our bodies work so differently.

It is cruel and environmentally unwise to take animals out of their natural habitat and also to breed them for human use and kept in steel or glass cages.

We have enough technological advancement and knowledge now to stop using animals.

Humans are unnaturally being kept alive now through medications that extend their lives but not give quality of life.

I would also like to see more openness to the mainstream public through news articles, informing the public on how many and what species of animals are being used per year for experiments.

I especially oppose vivisection because of the extent of the cruelty involved, for instance:

- \* slicing monkeys open from neck to groin while they are tied down and still alive.
- \* mice being forced to swim until they drown
- \* dogs being forced to inhale poisonous gases
- \* after suffering torturous experiments, they are then killed

Why isn't there any openness of scientific experiments on animals to the mainstream public?

I urge you please to stop any and all forms of experiments on animals. It is cruel and inhumane. All animals are sentient beings who feel pain and emotions.

Submission  
No 449

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Darcy Fraser

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Using animals as experimentation is wrong. As human beings we should do what we can to protect animals not exploit them.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Lynn Donnelly

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In regard to animal experimentation I find this incredibly frustrating that we still need to discuss outlawing this cruel and archaic practice when this should have been done years ago. The fact that many animals endure excruciating pain and suffering when other methods of experimentation are available.

A question for the committee: If animals were given a voice and could tell us their feelings would we think differently about taking away their rights of choice and inflict so much heartache, fear, sadness and suffering?

This is nothing but wrong so I urge the decision makers to do what's right. Animals should not have to pay for uninformed and cruel decision making.

Submission  
No 451

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Geoffrey Fuller

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I am appalled in this current age that we still use animals for medical experimentation. This is Cruel and unwarranted. The animals suffer as a result of not only the experiments themselves but they conditions under which they are generally kept. This is simply barbaric and needs to be stopped.

Submission  
No 452

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Grace Hughes

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to abolish all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

Submission  
No 453

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Gina Ramaci

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The use of primates and any animals in testing is barbaric, it is unfathomable that as a 1st world nation we still use animals for testing. Australia should be an example to other nations in being better stewards of the rights of innocent animals. Please ban these horrid tests done on defenceless animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Gina Taylor

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1. Lack of transparency in an industry funded by taxpayers. As a tax payer I am totally against having our taxes funding these barbaric animal experiments.
  2. Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation.
  3. Experiments carried out such as near drownings and forced smoking, for the sake of what? Nothing but abhorrent cruelty.
  4. Investment in humane and evidence based alternatives.

Submission  
No 455

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Gita Irwin

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Animal testing is cruel and unnecessary. There ARE laboratory alternatives now. Animals are sentient creatures with complex processes capable of thought and feeling. They have done nothing to deserve this. Many experiments seem almost chaotic without a clear purpose - it's cruelty for the sake of being cruel.



Submission  
No 456

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Jacqueline Glyde

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How long will it take for you to refrain from using animals as a commodity.

Submission  
No 457

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Harvie Strang

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I feel that animals used in experiments is very cruel and should be stopped.

I do not want my tax money spent doing this to animals.

Submission  
No 458

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Mary Havellas

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I object to animal experimentation. It is my right to know how many animals are experimented on annually and for what reason. Many of these experiments are conducted to USE up funding and grants. I know of people in various scientific fields that had to use animals for trivial experimentation and then cull so they could tick the boxes of their grant. Disgusting. Stop using animals for testing and experimenting.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Hessel Kaan

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I would like Parliament to end animal testing in NSW. This industry, frequently taxpayer funder, is not transparent and held to account. Many taxpayers would not know they are funding this type of industry and would rightly object if they knew. Some of the experiments, such as smoking and near drowning, are appallingly cruel and a disgrace in an educated developed society. Animals should be rehomed if they can be, such as dogs and cats, and not routinely euthanised. I call upon our elected representatives to end this terrible industry and utilise evidence based humane non animal alternatives. Research into these these alternatives should be well funded by the taxpayer.

Submission  
No 460

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Helen Wilson

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As a taxpayer I strongly object to my taxes being used to support the abuse of animals. Medical and other research using animals is cruel and unnecessary. There are other humane research methods available that do not involve the torture of sentient beings. Some of these experiments involve near drowning or enforced smoking. This is simply torture. A civilised society is judged by the way it treats its most vulnerable. Vulnerable animals must be protected - not used for despicable acts of gross cruelty dressed up as research. Invest in humane research and allow these poor animals a life free of abuse.

Submission  
No 461

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Bronwen Logan

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Please stop the use of primates in scientific research.

Submission  
No 462

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Anita Keller

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The NAT database (Non-Animal Technologies) contains information on modern non-animal technologies from various areas of biomedicine and life sciences, based on scientific studies and publications: <https://nat-database.org/>

Genuine, Human-Relevant Research will bring Genuine Science forward.

Submission  
No 463

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Phil Carter

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Vivisection is barbaric, useless & a hindrance to scientific progress



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Denise Inkel

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It is very wrong to treat any animal as an object or slave. They are born on the same Planet as us to live a peaceful life, and do their actions in the wilderness to maintain nature's equilibrium. As soon as we remove them from nature to torture them we destroy this beauty and its balance. If we do not learn the meaning of empathy, violence will only escalate as it has already started, our societies will be destroyed. We were born on Paradise and we do not respect it, we do not respect nature and its wilderness we are creating Hell day by day. There is no meaningful result in using animals for a suppose medical purpose, it is only to obtain grants and make money by testing on animals and dumping them in the trash once they are in pieces. Cancer research has been using animals for 100 years with no real solution, millions of animals suffered for nothing. Real research is done with the use of intelligence and imagination. Stop all animal experimenting and push researchers to use their brains instead of torture.

Submission  
No 465

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Iris Toren

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Please launch an investigation into animal experimentation

Submission  
No 466

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Jade Fowler

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Please stop the use of animals for experimentation. there is no need in 2022 to still test on animals. this is pure evil and disgusting that this still happens!

Submission  
No 467

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Judith Gatland

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Please cease breeding puppies for sale!

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jane Coburn

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I call upon our elected representatives to end this terrible industry and utilise evidence based humane non animal alternatives. Research into these these alternatives should be well funded by the taxpayer.

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission

Submission  
No 469

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Janet Lilley

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As an Australian citizen, I am concerned about animal testing taking place.

Such tests have been proven to be ineffective and not fit for purpose; that's before

We even discuss the horrendous and unnecessary cruelty involved.

I support the Humane Research Australia (HRA), who are advocating scientifically valid and humane non-animal methods of research.

Submission  
No 470

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Jane Urbanik

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Dear people,

The use of dogs and other animals for experimentation is barbaric and unnecessary. Animals suffer, experience helplessness, fear etc. The fact that this needs to be done behind closed doors (in secrecy from the general public) is testament to the disagreeable nature of this. Would society allow this to continue if they knew exactly what was being done? I doubt it very much. It goes against our human instinct to cause distress to other sentient beings. This must stop immediately. I'm sure that if you looked in your heart, you would agree.

Warm regards,

Jane

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Janice Hipperson

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Testing on animals, particularly primates, is morally and ethically wrong.

Animal testing should be eliminated because it violates animals' rights, it causes pain and suffering to the experimental animals, and there is other means of testing product toxicity available. Possible alternatives to animal testing include sophisticated tests using human cells and tissues (also known as in vitro methods), advanced computer-modeling techniques (often referred to as in silico models), and studies with human volunteers.

Animal testing is archaic and outdated. Providing funding for the use of animals for testing by/or to the government should be declared open public information.



Submission  
No 472

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Karen Hill

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Please stop animal experiments

Submission  
No 473

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Judy Brightman

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It is hard to fathom that in this age animals are being cruelly and unnecessarily experimented on.

There is no justification for forced smoking, near drowning and other horrendous experiments-  
none.

Torturing then euthanising animals when no longer needed, or too damaged for further abuse,  
and yes, abuse is what it is, is barbaric. End it now.

Submission  
No 474

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Jeffrey French

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Why do some human-beings still believe it necessary to experiment on defenceless animals? A cruel and in-humane practice. In the name of science..... rubbish! Human-beings can come up with alternative practices and by now the technology would have a data base that it could draw from. If it has to be tested on animals at all that should give you an indication that it's probably not right, not safe and could cause detrimental affects.

Animal experimentation is immoral and in-humane. Humans are better than this.

Submission  
No 475

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jemma Meecham

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The horror behind these closed doors is truly the darkest & most chilling torture imaginable. These gentle creatures are living feeling beings, they have done nothing to deserve this atrocious cruelty. There are so many alternatives to this excruciating research. Please adopt some ethics & decency in science. There is NEVER an excuse for cruelty to animals.

Submission  
No 476

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Windsor

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End animal testing.

Submission  
No 477

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Gilgen

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Please our hearts are breaking .

How can we in 2022 still be carrying out these shameful atrocities .

With the deepest pleas please STOP .

I can't stop crying since seeing the incredibly cruel photo .

Regards

Jennifer Gilgen

Submission  
No 478

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Osmundson

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Please stop testing on terrified, living, feeling, sacred innocent animals. You can find many viable and more productive & efficient means without hurting anyone. Do the right thing and be a better person.

Submission  
No 479

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Rosater

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Please stop testing on innocent animals!! There are other alternatives; find your heart!!!



Submission  
No 480

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Ellison

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Stop using dogs for experimental purposes. They are feeling, social, beings and do NOT belong in laboratories. This is unacceptable practice in 2022 or at any time

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Jillian Snell

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How dare some medical person(s) experiment on animals whether it is primates, dogs, cats, rats, mice, guinea pigs, rabbits etc.

What gives them the right to torture and manipulate any animal and force them to exist in a small barred cage, so that they can fulfil the requirements of a degree or Phd??

Furthermore, I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments. I am completely appalled at the miserable lives these poor animals lead, endure traumatic and life changing experiments suffer excruciating pain and misery for some ambitious human. Often the results are misleading and the animal suffers needlessly.

The animals receive no kindness, love or experience a gentle human touch and do not hear a loving human voice.

Animal experimentation is a 'bloody' hell, and must be banned!!

Evidence based alternatives can be used instead of this horror that defenceless animals endure. More government investment must be put into biochemical alternatives which do not 'use/torture' animals.

Rehome these poor animals into loving homes especially cats, dogs, guinea pigs and rabbits.

Yours sincerely,

Jillian Snell

Submission  
No 482

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Janet Taylor

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Vivisection labs are legal torture chambers for animals and in this day and age of new technology there is no need for barbaric and cruel tests on defenceless animals. End this cruelty now

Submission  
No 483

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Josie Dever

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I do not support exploitation of live animals ie animal experimentation

I request this cruelty stop immediately

Submission  
No 484

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Joan Natoli

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I object to the using of all animals for experiments!

I demand this evil stops now.

Submission  
No 485

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Joel Ellis

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Please, this cruel, inhumane, and morally indefensible misconduct must be illegalised immediately. Animals, as deeply sentient — both physically and emotionally — beings should never be born into a life of avoidable human-induced suffering, just because they are not human. All animals have intrinsic value, and need no instrumental purpose or human valuer to validate their existence. It's long overdue that compassion and common sense prevailed. End the medical experimentation on animals forever.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Ms Jo Hobson

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Experimenting on animals for scientific research should be stopped immediately because of the animal cruelty involved.

Many years ago I enrolled in an animal welfare course at [redacted] because I love animals & wanted to work in the area. In the first year of the course we were taken to a hidden location in [redacted] to view animals in cages that were used for testing. We were not told where we were going and there were no signs on the red brick building. In the first cage near the door was a monkey and as we walked through we saw rabbits, etc. I don't remember seeing any dogs or cats and assumed they were hidden from us. I did my final essay on anti-vivisection and left the course. It is difficult to believe that in 2022 animals are still locked up in cages and used so cruelly.

Submission  
No 487

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Jo OToole

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Animal testing is an outdated and cruel practise that should be outlawed. I vehemently oppose this practice and think it should be banned for good.



Submission  
No 488

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Jordan Sidhom

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Barbaric. Should have been outlawed years ago.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Judy Hungerford

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Inquiry into the Use of Primates and Other Animals in Medical Research.

- Medical research experiments on animals are scientifically and ethically unjustifiable. Humans react and respond to drugs and diseases differently from animals.
- I do not want my taxes funding animal experiments. There is lack of transparency and accountability in the medical research industry and it is funded by tax payers. This is not acceptable.
- Pioneering animal free research provides the best chance of finding treatments for human diseases. For instance replacing animal testing with cutting edge technologies such as 3D organ on a chip. Australia can and must develop new approach methodologies to replace animals and drug repurposing to treat diseases.
- There must be regulatory change that enables animal free research from bench to bedside so that fewer animals are used in medical research and the discovery and delivery of effective treatments for human diseases accelerates.
- Using animals in medical research is unethical, costly and ineffective - with over 90 percent of new drugs tested on animals failing to benefit human health. Pioneering technology is rendering animal testing redundant.
- The cruelty of some of the experiments just cannot be justified. Near-drowning and forced smoking as well as other experiments on primates are not acceptable. Animals are killed after experimentation. Cats, dogs, rabbits for instance should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.
- Government investment into non-animal testing must increase.

Submission  
No 490

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Julie Mark

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Animal experimentation needs to STOP!! This is so cruel and totally unnecessary. Stop wasting money on space exploration to planets we will probably never exist on and spend it on our environment and the animals that inhabit our planet, Mother Earth!! Our health relies on you making better decisions for all of these things!! Science can take care of testing in a much more ethical way, not on innocent animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Julie Bozicevic

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All animals testing should be banned. Animals do not belong in laboratories. If Australians knew what goes on in these labs they would be appalled and disgusted.

There are other methods of testing new medications etc.

It is the government responsibility to use new, humane, non - animals tests.

Cell technology is available plus computers.

NSW government get your heads out of the sand and stop testing on animals. It is cruel barbaric and unnecessary

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Juliet Green

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So called scientific experimentation using sentient beings is an inhumane & cruel practice that must stop, in ALL forms.

It's 2022 & time to take stock of humanity's cruelty & disrespect visited upon living creatures.

These innocent beings have no choice in their hideous life & future.

Animals are reliant on humans to behave well so that they may have a life worth living.

We live in a time where we know FOR CERTAIN that animals feel all forms of emotions - including pain, loneliness, sadness, fear, anxiety, stress & depression.

Animal testing in laboratories is a hidden & sinister practice.

If there was even one positive aspect - it would be advertised, but scientists & corporations know they are guilty of unethical & cruel practices.

Please stop animal abuse now.

Stop animals being used in scientific experimentation.

Submission  
No 493

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms June Bullied

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it is cruel and barbaric to keep testing on innocent animals. u need to test on criminals in jail or  
dr. fauci. stop this now.

Submission  
No 494

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Klaus Jaritz

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The animals experimented on are sentient beings. They feel pain. To knowingly inflict pain is inhumane and inexcusable. The results of many animal experiments can be obtained by other means that don't involve animals. I advocate for strictly enforced laws against unnecessary experiments on animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr George Gray

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Animal experimentation is torture for the animals. If it occurred in most other settings .. e.g. domestic .. authorities would be called and the perpetrators prosecuted. The fact that it is allowed to happen in laboratory settings or for research does not alter the fact that it causes pain and long term suffering. The so called benefits to society\* will never change the fact that unimaginable cruelty takes place to get them. For that reason alone it should be stopped.

\* In this day and age there is no need to test on animals anyway .. but that is beside the point.

George Gray



Submission  
No 496

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Kara Currie

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Please stop experimenting on animals. They hurt just like humans.

Submission  
No 497

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Karen Moores

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Animal experimentation is cruel and inhumane. I have seen labs where experimentation is often conducted by students who do not have the knowledge and qualifications required for humane treatment. And some labs are not well managed and/or equipped. Additionally, animal experimentation does not equate to human safety, so trials have to run for a very long time to gain any validity. Plus, there are alternatives given advances in science and technology.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Karen Bebbington

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I don't believe my tax dollars should be used in an industry that has no accountability. I don't want my tax dollars used in cruel animal experiments. If the industry believes these experiments are justified, they should be willing to have full transparency and fully disclose the experiments and explain why other more humane alternatives can't be used. If we don't have more humane alternatives, the government should use our tax dollars to fund investigation into alternatives.

If society knew the details of the different experiments, I'm sure we would all be horrified and there would be a public outcry. That is why the industry keeps the details secret.

I believe much of this 'research' cannot be justified. For example, surely we know all about the effects of smoking now and forced smoking experiments on animals should not be necessary. If they are, the industry should tell us why they are necessary.

Any animal used in experiments **MUST** be rehomed when the experiments are over - **NOT** EUTHANISED.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Karl Webb

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Re: the NSW medical experimentation inquiry Into the use of animals in so called medical research.

Please stop this terrible cruel unnecessary practice in using poor defenceless animals.

There is a lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers.

We certainly do not want our taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The terrible cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is totally unnecessary.

There are a huge range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and the should be far more government investment into these alternatives.

Submission  
No 499a

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Karl Webb

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Please stop this terrible and totally unnecessary use of defenceless animals in testing of products.

Submission  
No 500

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Karl Augustine

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95% drugs tested on animals fail when used on humans and 85% are successful not using animals such as computer modelling invitro stem cell cadaver human trials healthy vegan life style opt out donor on licence.

Submission  
No 501

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Kate Northway

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All animal experimentation must be banned!

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Kate Marijetich

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There is absolutely zero reason in this day and age that we should still be using animals for experimentation. Dogs are sentient beings. They feel and experience pain & stress just like humans do. Experimenting on them is inhumane. Dogs deserve the right to have their physical & psychological needs met, they deserve the right to exhibit natural behaviours which they absolutely cannot do when kept confined for the purpose of experimentation. Humans are not superior to animals and we should not be exploiting them for any reason. With all the advances in science & technology there is no justification for animals to continue to be used for experimentation. It's time to end this cruel practice once and for all!



Submission  
No 503

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Kate Wisdom

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A short submission on behalf of beagles and the other non human animals being bred for experimentation.

Please stop this horrendous practice, the life of suffering these intelligent non human animals go through before they are killed is completely unacceptable. There are new technologies that can be used instead of this cruel traditional practice.

Please let us move forward and look back on this time as the archaic way science was practiced in the pursuit of knowledge but highlighted our ignorance and cruelty.

We can do better and perhaps show the world how instead of lagging behind them.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Katie Flannigan

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I implore you to end all animal experimentation.

These experiments are inequitable, totally unnecessary and morally repugnant.

Primates and other animals have no choice yet are subject to cruelty, torture, pain, stress, depression and loneliness.

This inhumane practice must stop and these animals be allowed to live with the freedom they deserve.

To hide from the public this unconscionable conduct and treatment of primates and other animals shows the amount of deceit required and how morally wrong this is.

You would not allow this indefensibly cruel treatment towards another human nor, indeed, your pets, yet inaction condones this treatment of non-human species with whom we share this planet.

To walk by an issue and do nothing, is choosing to be complicit.

This is speciesism and is utterly indefensible.

I anticipate your constituents would be horrified.

I implore you to do what is right and end this cruelty NOW.

Submission  
No 504a

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Katie Flannigan

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Dear NSW Parliament,

I wish you to understand my view on this topic.

Animal experimentation is morally repugnant and indefensibly cruel.

I do not support another look into animal welfare standards, I support its cessation.

Kind regards,

Katie Flannigan

Submission  
No 505

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Katie Lucantonio

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Please stop experimenting on animals. Animals deserve better than to be used unnecessary. Animals are sentient beings and we should be protecting their safety. We need to do better in 2022 and abolish the cruelty.

Submission  
No 506

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Katy Kreutzer

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Stop animal testing period. It is unnecessary and cruel.

Submission  
No 507

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Amanda Wright

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I believe all experiments with animals should stop immediately.

The animals have no say in these experiments. It is morally wrong and cruel.

The experiments on animals are done 'in secrecy'. There is no transparency and yet our taxes are paying for it!

Animals (at the very least) should be re-homed after experimenting.

Please stop this cruel practice now.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Kim Dutton

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Fact : the vivisection industry exists for homo sapiens' (we humans) benefit.

Fact : our innocent fellow animals are imprisoned in tiny cages in secret rooms with many padlocked doors to get through before arriving at the secret torture chambers / vivisection laboratories.

Fact : physically restraining our fellow animals and forcing them to endure hideous and cruel tests for humans' benefit is morally wrong

Fact : the only species which should be experimented on for humans' benefit are HUMANS because the results of any tests are then valid.

Fact : public money is used to finance this cruelty and I do not know how much or where to find such information - not for lack of trying.

Submission  
No 509

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Kellie Pearce

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There are so many areas where tax payers money should be spent, but animal experimentation is NOT one of them.

Science is evolving; with computer modelling and stem cell research we can test items related to human health without making animals suffer. This is like using leaches - there are better ways now to improve human health.

Please cease animal experimentation and intentionally harming animals.



Submission  
No 510

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kelly Mercieca

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Please reconsider the need to use animals.

Submission  
No 511

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kerry Smith

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Stop using live animals in medical experiments

Support finding alternatives for medical research it can be done

End the torture of other life forms under the name of medical research

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Kevin Snell

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How dare some medical person(s) experiment on animals whether it is primates, dogs, cats, rats, mice, guinea pigs, rabbits etc.

What gives them the right to torture and manipulate any animal and force them to exist in a small barred cage, so that they can fulfil the requirements of a degree or Phd??

Furthermore, I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments. I am completely appalled at the miserable lives these poor animals lead, endure traumatic and life changing experiments suffer excruciating pain and misery for some ambitious human. Often the results are misleading and the animal suffers needlessly.

The animals receive no kindness, love or experience a gentle human touch and do not hear a loving human voice.

Animal experimentation is a 'bloody' hell, and must be banned!!

Evidence based alternatives can be used instead of this horror that defenceless animals endure. More government investment must be put into biochemical alternatives which do not 'use/torture' animals.

Rehome these poor animals into loving homes especially cats, dogs, guinea pigs and rabbits.

Yours sincerely,

Kevin Snell

Submission  
No 513

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Kerry McGrath

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I find it appalling knowing Animals are still used in cruel experiments. They often result in the negative as in Thalidomide. I believe it is all about money making for the companies, I think it's past time to find an alternative and hope the NSW Government is forward thinking in their decision.

Submission  
No 514

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Kimberly Lainez

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Please stop testing on animals in every form for any reason. It's not okay. They should not have to suffer for our benefit and they were not put on this earth for our benefit. It's disgusting, there are other ways to do things. I feel so terrible for animals and the way humans do things like this to them and I'm sure so many other people do too. It's 2022, figure out a better way of doing things. It's crazy that this is still happening. Have some empathy.

Submission  
No 515

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jennifer Kinsela

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I believe it is extremely cruel and inhumane to experiment with animals and should be banned immediately. Thank you for allowing me to have my say

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Kim Mcdonald

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Animals do not belong to us. They belong to themselves. Their lives matter to them and they deserve the freedom to live their lives without being caged, confined and mutilated by humans. Shame on humanity for treating defenceless, vulnerable animals in this way.

In every way that matters- in their capacity to feel pain and suffer, to love and care for their babies, to seek companionship

And joy and to want to live free from human inflicted suffering and exploitation, non- human animals are no different to us.

In their innate sentience - a pig is a dog is a bear is a boy.

Isn't it about time humane meant something in the context of humanity.

Submission  
No 517

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Kristine Lobley

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To whom it may concern,

I urge you to ban all experimentation on animals. It is barbaric to treat sentient beings in such a way. As an Australian, I want to live in a country that is able to rise above this unethical, immoral practice, acknowledging the importance of our role in caring for animals, not subjecting them to painful, life shortening experimentation that is not required. Please support a full and unconditional ban on all future animal experimentation.

Thankyou

Kristine Lobley



**Submission  
No 518**

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Katie Cormier

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In this day and age the fact that there is still suffering of animals in the food industry and in science is disturbing and unacceptable. This all needs to stop with the type of technology and advancement we have today. Make this horrific cruelty stop. Shameful.

Submission  
No 519

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Kylie Warnock

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Animal experiments are inhumane and an unreliable source of information, because the animals used are not human, and therefore their responses are appropriate only for them.

Submission  
No 520

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Laura Leone

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I have a heartfelt plea to stop Animal Experimentation?

It is a cruel and unnecessary violation to sensitive beings that does not need to occur!

Please consider the cruelty this practice is inflicting when there are many other methods to come to the same results!

Thank you

Submission  
No 521

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Sophia Siew

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Please ban animal experimentation

Submission  
No 522

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lynn Greig

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I am strongly against the use of primates and other animals in medical research. It is cruel and unnecessary. Examples of cruelty inflicted on experimental animals include horrific near-drowning and forced smoking experiments. I do not want my tax money used to fund cruel animal experiments carried out by an industry that operates with no transparency or accountability. There are now humane and evidence-based alternatives available, and I would prefer the government to invest taxpayers money in these alternatives.

Submission  
No 523

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lara Haeck

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Stop using animals in research projects

Submission  
No 524

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lara Pusin

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I have seen images of these experiments on innocent animals and it is beyond words the cruelty and pure evil acts is beyond me. It amazes me how this still continues when it is proven that it is not necessary with 90% of torture DOSENT result into anything. It is barbaric and Unnecessary, so why does it still go on?! STOP the intentional abuse to animals.

Submission  
No 525

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lauren Neill

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We are well past the point of thinking that testing/experimenting on sentient creatures who cannot consent, is acceptable. They deserve better. End this horrific practice now.



Submission  
No 526

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lee Kingston

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Hello.....I am taking time to let you know, I DO NOT approve of Animal Medical Experimentation in Australia. I will vote according to which political party's allow/support this.  
regards Lee Kingston

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Lena Bodin

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### Animal Experimentation

Every year in Australia, millions of animals including primates, cats, dogs, mice, guinea pigs, rabbits, birds, fish, reptiles, farmed and native animals, are subjected to painful, invasive procedures in the animal experimentation industry. All of these animals suffer greatly . Animal experimentation is one of the most hidden of all animal-use industries in Australia, with virtually no transparency or accountability.

The Government is using our money to pay for some animal experimentation. Most people are unaware that taxpayer money is being used to fund the continued breeding and use of animals for experimentation. Despite the use of public funds, the Government doesn't even know exactly how much money is given to this industry, and there is no transparency about the types of experiments taxpayers are funding.

Australia is a community of animal lovers, and we will never accept cruel, wasteful animal experimentation. That's why I'm calling on the NSW Government to stop taxpayer money being used to fund cruel animal experimentation. We need to urgently invest in humane alternatives, and stop allowing cruel and often futile experiments on animals. Humans cause so suffering to other species. This needs to change if we are going to become fully human .

Submission  
No 528

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Leonie Lyall

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It's abhorrent to know that vivisection is still being used (with taxpayer dollars) when current scientific methods of researching do not require these horrendously cruel tests being carried out on animals. The cruelty of these experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is beyond inhumane. There is a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and I call on the government to invest into these alternatives.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Leonore Kenyon

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To whom it may concern,

It concerns me greatly that ANY taxpayer money is being used to fund animal experimentation in the name of 'research.' Animals are sentient beings, capable of feeling pain, fear and loneliness - just like us.

We would never consent to humans being our test subjects and yet animals cannot tell us otherwise. How dare we simply assume and take them as needed?

Today's technology surpasses the need for animal experimentation - and where it is deemed 'suitable' - it ought to be denied. Are we not meant to be civilised human beings? Advanced and considerate of others? We have the capacity to put man on the moon and yet we still cannot utilise alternatives to animal experimentation? Rubbish.

We need to put the care of ALL sentient beings first. Please do not support animal experimentation.

Submission  
No 530

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Lesley Falvey

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No words are adequate to describe my horror regarding the ongoing use of primates and other animals in experiments. This is totally inhumane in this day and age. We should have found another way to achieve the scientific aims of these experiments. It is pure laziness that has allowed this to continue. I believe all life is sacred and this includes all animals. I am sad and disappointed that anyone could sign off on this sort of experimentation. We need to do better.

Submission  
No 531

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Alexis Gunther

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Animal justice is something that has been long overlooked. For too long people have turned a blind eye to the horrific testing that goes on behind lab doors. Now is the time to make a meaningful change for the sake of these defenceless beings that feel pain and suffering just like us!

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No 532

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Elizabeth Gentle

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We ought to be the gold standard in animal welfare. These practices are no longer necessary.  
Please stop .

Submission  
No 533

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Lillith Mitchell

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I'm submitting this petition as I'm strongly against animal testing, the lack of transparency and secrecy that has occurred through this vile practice.

I am a passionate advocate for animal welfare and practices.

Please attend to this cruel and inhumane practice by providing an account as to why this is still happening and putting a stop to it once and for all.



Submission  
No 534

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Lisa Shakespeare

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As a tax payer I strongly object to my taxes contributing to the abuse and torture of animals in the name of research.

No human has the right to do this to another living, breathing, feeling mammal.

It must stop and stop now.

Submission  
No 535

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Lisa Sharrock

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Please please give serious consideration to stopping experimentation and the use of live animals. It is barbaric and unnecessary in this age. How can you live with yourself in allowing this to continue. Our law is based in God and He gave us dominion to be stewards and treat all creatures humanely. This is not humane and I find it shameful and distressing. Please STOP THIS you have the opportunity to be the one. You will have to answer for your actions somewhere in sometime please find compassion and morality

Submission  
No 536

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr David Mirenda

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Time for the government to listen to the people. Put an end to animal torture. Experiment on the people who have the medical condition (with their approval).

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Kay Labo

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The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers is simply shocking. I do not want ,my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates

Experiment on me..

There are a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and/or call for more government investment into these alternatives.

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No 537a

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Kay Labo

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It is appalling that in this day and age we still experiment on animals! There can be NO justification and NO scientific evidence to support such vile cruelty to innocent animals.

Put an end to it NOW!

Submission  
No 538

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Patricia Wells

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We humans should hang our heads in shame that we inflict pain and suffering on any animal to develop 'any' human needs...medical, beauty/cosmetic or for any other reason ... STOP THE CRUELTY...it's horrid that we treat another living creature this way! BAN the use of animals NOW!

Submission  
No 539

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Leah Foley

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Surely we can move away from experimenting on animals now. I would like to see more ethical ways created to undergo experiments.

Submission  
No 540

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Liz Price

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Stop the cruel practice of testing on animals, they feel pain too.



Submission  
No 541

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Leslie Just

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For too long, animal experimentation has been shrouded in secrecy. This is an industry with no transparency or accountability, yet it's funded by taxpayers! Reform is needed and overdue as the truths of these horrors are exposed and taxpayers are learning that they are paying for forced smoking, near drowning and other horrific actions. There are a range of humane and evidence based alternatives and I am calling on government investment into these alternatives instead of these archaic experiements.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Loreta Luccitti

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious. I am ashamed that my tax dollars contribute to a practice that is so inexcusable and inhumane.

Submission  
No 543

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lydia Paull

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I am absolutely against any research, medical, cosmetic or any other type of research on any type of animal

Submission  
No 544

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Lyn Bentley

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Animal experimentation has to stop. Surely in this day and age we are better than this.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Merri-Lyn Burton

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It is imperative that the government, the community and those in scientific and medical fields recognise that the issue of animals being used for research and animals frequently being bred for research is an outdated, inhumane procedure that needs to end. With modern technology, computer generated models and other practices are more practical and cruelty free. The government is using taxpayers money to fund an outdated, cruel industry. This money could be spent on real research not using animals that have no connection or link to humans.

Images circulated of antiquated tests that still are performed on animals that are of little or no assistance to improvements in health or the management of health show the depth of depravity of current research using animals.

It is time for the NSW government to take a lead and look at overseas countries that have excluded animal research from current techniques.

So many people proclaim to love animals and say they are against animal cruelty yet these practices still exist. I implore your government to begin the process of banning medical research on animals.

Submission  
No 546

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Lynn Walker

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Animal exploitation for any purpose is not acceptable in this day and age, and with changing community expectations in relation to animal welfare. This outdated practice needs to stop ASAP, whether it be medical, cosmetic or anything else.

Submission  
No 547

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Paul Maguire

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This is totally unethical. You know it and you do not need me to repeat any of the reasons why it should be immediately banned. Add my name to those who call for it to be banned. Thank you, Paul Maguire.

**Submission  
No 548**

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Michael Webb

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I absolutely do not want my tax payer dollars to be spent funding cruel and unnecessary animal experiments. This entire practice is abhorrent, disgraceful and so inhumane I can barely find the words. This type of experimentation has always been horrific and senseless but is even more so considering the year we find ourselves in. Animal experimentation needs to end NOW.



Submission  
No 549

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Amanda Mackenzie

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I want the use of primates to STOP. This is unnecessary and totally a cruel way to treat these intelligent beings. Humans are offering to be used and a more accurate way to test!!!

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Maree Cardinale

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I am concerned about the lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates, should NOT be allowed.

There are a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and I ask for more government investment into these alternatives.

Submission  
No 551

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Margaret Rees

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Animql experiments should no longer be necessary. It is evil and sadistic when technology is there to replicate the same studies. Any company or country should be ashamed to be producing these trials and any scientific researchers should be viewed with contempt for producing them. Put the finances into human trials or furthering the advance of experiments without a living being.

Submission  
No 552

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Margaret McMellon

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No animals should be used in experiments it is cruel and inhumane. It has been proven that animal experimentation does not assist nor provide cures for humans all it does is to give pain and suffering to animals who are kept in captivity usually till they die.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Margaret Gissing

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Why is it necessary to have testing on Primates and other mammals for things which these animals will never use. Results are never positive from these tests for use of a product by humans. The animals go through fear, pain, trauma and then are disposed of like rubbish. Why? If an item is designed for human use, then it needs to be tested on humans, not any other species. At least humans have a choice of being part of an experiment. Why are tests such as forced smoking and near drowning even still being performed. What is the purpose? Has anyone questioned these cruel experimenters?

I do not want my tax dollars given to cruel, sadistic testers to fulfil their need for power over other beings.

Submission  
No 554

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Marianne Salvatore

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Research and testing on animals needs to be transparent to the general public and more money and effort should be made available to provide testing with computerised technology. The horrendous pain and distress inflicted on animals is so very outdated and unconscionable.

Submission  
No 554a

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Marianne Salvatore

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Please stop the extremely cruel amoral use of primates in research.

There is no excuse for the horrendous violations that are so easily inflicted on these innocent sentient beings.

We have no right to torture animals for ANY reason !

There are alternatives !

Submission  
No 555

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Mark Rosen

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It is appalling, barbaric, and unnecessary that live animals are still being tortured in the name of product development in the 21st Century.

As a society and with support from Government we can move away from treating other defenseless creatures, which through no fault of their own, are treated without respect for their feelings.

We need to remember that we don't tolerate the torture of humans and we are just another branch of the animal kingdom.



Submission  
No 556

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Marlene Rosette

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Please, please, please stop torturing these poor creatures. We share 98% of our DNA with these poor things. Even if they didn't, we must stop cruelty, everywhere, under any circumstances, to any living creature.

Submission  
No 557

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Martine Porret

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Ban animal experimentation. It's cruel and doesn't achieve any human benefit

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Mary Anderson

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It is now time to stop animal testing once and for all. According to PETA (People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals) <https://www.peta.org/blog/experiments-on-animals-fail-90-of-the-time-why-are-they-still-done/> more than 90% of animal tests have absolutely no benefit for humans. There are now non-animal methods that are far more effective, far cheaper but more importantly, they remove the need for animals to be born into a life of misery, horrendous suffering, enormous pain, cruelty and in many cases, ultimately death. Why are they still done?? There is no justification for the testing on animals for cosmetics and other household products and I had understood that this was supposed to have already been banned in this country including banning those cosmetics that have ever been tested on animals anywhere in the world. It is nothing short of a crime to experiment on primates, dogs, cats, rabbits, etc. These creatures all feel pain and suffer depression along with other mental health issues due to spending their entire life in cages or horrifically, taken from the wild, shipped around the world and locked in cages only to be tortured by humans. This must be stopped now, it has been going on for far too long.

Thank you for considering this issue, please do what you can to make it stop not only in NSW but on a broader, national level.

Submission  
No 559

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Maxine Stagg

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Dear Parliamentary Committee

It's time to end animal cruelty. Testing on animals is not only cruel, but of little benefit to humanity. We have to technology and and previously received information from testing, to end this awful practice now. Animals are sentient beings, they suffer, and it should not be at our hands. The health of a community is measured by how they treat vulnerable members of that community, the elderly, young, unwell, disabled, and our animals. We need to improve as a community, and banned animal testing is an important part of this process, regaining our integrity.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Louise Mckay

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Good evening

Whilst I currently reside in the ACT I will be returning to NSW in the near future so I am very keen to have a say on this matter. Government funding of animal experimentation, and particularly where that experimentation involves pain and suffering, physical and/or emotional, is not acceptable to me. I understand that many life saving medications are only available now because testing on animals occurred but with the advent of more effective alternatives that time must end.

Arguments could be made to keep testing and improve animal welfare but vested interests combined with profit motives and a complete lack of public transparency mean that we, the public, could never trust organisations to meet public expectations around animal welfare. Funding needs to be redirected into research that does not rely on animal testing.

Submission  
No 561

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Melina Mura

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Dogs are mans best friend. Using dogs for scientific experiments is barbaric.

These dogs should be living their lives in a loving family not caged up in a lab.

Its difficult to beleive that in this da and age this shocking act still occurs in labs in Australia.

These loving, trusting animals deserve better.

Please ban this now

Regards

Melina Mura

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Melanie Hanley

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I do not consent to my taxes being funded for animal experimenting.

The government should invest into alternatives that do not involve animals. There are humane ways to test products and animals should not suffer for the unnecessary 'benefit' of humans.

Victims of animal experimentation should not be euthanised, but rehomed into safe and loving environments, where they are given a second and much deserved chance at life.

The experiments undertaken are disgustingly cruel and surpass torture. How can near drowning, forced smoking, experiments on primates, etc. be deemed acceptable??

We won't stop fighting for their rights.

Submission  
No 562a

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Melanie Hanley

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Broken is an understatement. Do the right thing and stop the torture. There is still so much inhumane cruelty and torture occurring to these innocent animals. They have no voice of their own. They have no power to stop this inhumane act. Please stop this.



Submission  
No 563

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Melissa German

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It's shocking to think that Australia is continuing the use  
Of animals in experiments in such an inhumane way. We  
Are quick to judge other countries for the mistreatment of  
Animals yet continue this abusive and cruel treatment ourselves.  
Most of which goes unreported to the general public. It's  
Disgusting and barbaric, the only true monsters of the world  
Are humans with their exploitation of animals for their own selfish  
Needs. Please stop the cruelty!!

Submission  
No 564

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Jo Lewington

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I ask that all experimentation on animals cease. Animals are sentient beings just like us, have feelings just like us & we don't like being used for medical experiments either!

Submission  
No 565

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Mia Clifton

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In 2022 there's no excuse for animal experimentation. It's cruel and research done on animals doesn't pertain to human conditions. Please ban it in NSW.

Submission  
No 566

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Kathleen Dolingo

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In today's society there is no need for animal testing we are technologically advanced animal testing is cruel and disrespectful to animals who cannot give consent. There's not enough public information on animal testing and not enough accountability for animals when testing goes wrong which can cause suffering and even death.

Submission  
No 567

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Michael Adams

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I would like to see an end to cruel experiments on Primates and other animals. I feel we need more transparency and accountability in this tax payer funded industry, and more investment and focus on alternatives, which are proving to be more accurate and effective. Thanking you  
Michael Adams.

Submission  
No 568

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Mishelle Predika

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END ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Michelle Jones

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I find it appalling in the year 2022, we have animal testing. I find it unbelievable that it is funded by tax payers. I am horrified I may be contributing to such a horrific approach to test. I was unaware that we fund this activity so the lack of transparency and accountability in this industry must be addressed. How many animals? What procedures? What benefits? What alternatives considered? Why no other options available? Where animals sourced? How animals treated in this service? What future do they have? How many experiments per animal? I find the fact that I am contributing as a tax payer to such cruelty so very very sad and I do not want to have this continue..

How on earth can we not consider rehousing an animal after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out. I understand some experiments involve highly cruel and unnecessary processes - why are we near-drowning animals? We know the effects of drowning. Why on earth are we forcing smoking experiments? We know the effects of smoking and second hand smoking. Why are we using primates? They are intelligent cognizant beings..

There is an absolute wealth of options for humane and evidence-based alternatives to this testing. I demand, as a tax payer, more government investment into these alternatives. Please end these practices and let's be better humans and care for those that can't voice their objections.

Submission  
No 570

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Melinda Sheldon

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I was horrified to learn that primates are still being used in a medical research facilities in NSW.  
This barbaric and unconscionable practice must be stopped.



Submission  
No 571

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Angie Mulroneu

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It's a person's choice to smoke and being a smoker myself I find it deplorable to force this disgusting habit on mice. If I'm short of breath I can stop, breathe in fresh air. Can the same be said for these mice. What can we expect to gain from this experiment? Never did I think that mice lungs were anything similar to a humans. I find it ludicrous to think we could gain anything from this torturous act.

Yours faithfully

A Mulroneu

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Yvette Agardy

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The cruel and uncivilised practice of using primates for testing and research which most often it has now been proven does not translate to the human experience according to leading international scientists and studies.

How any society treats it's most vulnerable is a measure of the values of that society. On this point, you fail miserably. You are putting these animals through archaic and cruel processes that are unnecessary and do not supply reliable or functional information which translates to to the human experience. One would have hoped that society had progressed past this point as we have witnessed in other countries. Australia is still clearly backward thinking and an embarrassment on the international world stage in this regard.

STOP THIS CRUEL AND BARBARIC PRACTICE NOW. I WOULD NEVER VOTE FOR ANY PARTY THAT SUPPORTED SUCH AN OUTDATED AND IMMORAL PRACTICE.

Submission  
No 573

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Shoba Nair

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Please stop using tax payer money to fund the breeding and use of animals in research. It is abhorrent, immoral.and inhumane.

Submission  
No 574

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Nancy Lasley

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What right do we have to cause suffering, misery, loneliness, terror, mental and physical torture, upon other species? And a lifetime of it. None. And the fact that we do anyway is unconscionable and a stain against our decency as human beings. This must STOP NOW.

Submission  
No 575

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Naomi Woodgate

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Animals should not be used in medical research. This is cruel and outdated. Please put an end to this.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Peter Wood

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There must be greater transparency in animal "research" and evaluation of its outcomes:  
<https://www.humaneresearch.org.au/through-the-looking-glass/>

There is a need for funding for the validation of non-animal research methods:  
[https://www.humaneresearch.org.au/i\\_am\\_not\\_a\\_lab\\_tool/](https://www.humaneresearch.org.au/i_am_not_a_lab_tool/)

The forced swim test is cruel and barbaric and should be illegal:  
<https://www.humaneresearch.org.au/forced-swim-test-at-australian-universities/>

Forced inhalation is also cruel and barbaric and should be ended:  
<https://www.humaneresearch.org.au/forced-to-smoke/>

Thank you.

Peter Wood

Submission  
No 577

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Nicole Faid

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Please stop the unnecessary inhumane torture of these sentient beings. With science and technology where it is today, surely there is a safer and less destructive way to conduct research. The cruelty inflicted on these animals is abhorrent. We live in a democratic society free to make our own choices - the animals have no say in how they live in this world.

And, it's so short lived. Please, please, please stop this!

Submission  
No 578

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Nikki Platt

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I want an end to animal testing it is a vile and despicable act against a sentient being. I want it to end. I do not want my tax dollars spent on animal testing. I want it to end.



Submission  
No 579

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Noga Watt

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I'm shocked and disgusted that Australia allows animals to be subjected to cruel and inefficient laboratory testings. It's been proven many times over that these test do not lead to any valid and effective medicine for humans in 99% of the times

It's time for medical science to step into the 21st century and leave these barbaric practices where they belong, in the past.

Mice do not smoke, yet humans will subject thousand of sentient animal to inhale cigarettes smoke. Why on earth a human vice and self destructive habit needs to be forced on these animals?

Please do the right thing and ban all animal testing asap.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Norman Cincotta

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Any animal which is taken for experimentation in a laboratory with their family members is a crime, a criminal act, you have taken away the rights and liberty of an animal. The baboons that escaped from Wallacia facility, and another in gippsland, escaped for a reason, to leave the place they are tortured and kept for not their welfare, but against their welfare. Any government agency that states they are being cared for, is simply not true, and should be tested in a form that is balanced by the people who are evaluating any such forum.

Not the people who have taken them in the first instance and the agencies responsible.

These are criminal acts against the animals. Any animal have equal rights. Anyone who is associated with these acts are committing a crime, and is against the will of God.

Submission  
No 581

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Pagan Graeber

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I am vehemently apposed to animal experimentation. It is not only unnecessary it is cruel and inhumane.

Submission  
No 582

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Anna Drummond

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For too long, animal experimentation has been shrouded in secrecy. This is an industry with no transparency or accountability, yet it's funded by taxpayers! An inquiry is needed,

Submission  
No 583

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Pam Duffy

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Research testing on animals should NOT be undertaken at all as there are far more non invasive alternatives than treating innocent animals so inhumanely..

Thanx

Pam Duffy

Submission  
No 584

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Pamela Twinning

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The practice and business of testing and experimentation on animals is a cruel, inconclusive and antiquated method of research and investigation. A Law should exist that prohibits such practice, sentient beings need protection from such abhorrent behaviour.

Submission  
No 585

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Pam Brandis

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It is time to stop experimenting with animals & primates. They are not human, and do not always give accurate results for humans. Apart from the barbaric cruelty in this age of advanced technology when simulators, human tissue & computers is a much kinder & ultimately less costly alternative.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Paola Catapano

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There is a major lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I, for one, do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Also, why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

Above all else, the cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is unjustifiable. There is a wide range of humane, more effective, and evidence-based alternatives; the role of the government as custodian of human and animal welfare alike, should be to investment into these alternatives



Submission  
No 587

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Patricia Clifford

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Stop animal cruelty

Submission  
No 588

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Paula Leslie

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I totally disagree with any animal experiments, they are unable to consent to the horrendous atrocities that are inflicted upon them. To be breeding animals specifically for testing is abominable, this is wrong and I also totally disagree with it. There are other ways , look for alternatives please.

Submission  
No 589

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Darci Hutchinson

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to suggest the following to the review-

1. Stopping the forced swim test and forced inhalation test as these tests are extremely cruel.
2. Funding non-animal experimental models. This would allow experimentation to occur but not hurt or kill animals.
3. Transparency in animal research and evaluate outcomes to see if this research is required in the first place.

Regards,

Darci Hutchinson

Submission  
No 590

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Peter Ashkar

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Some animal experimental is essential for the understanding and treatment of illness and disease in humans and some is not (e.g., animal experimentation in the cosmetics industry). All animals are sentient beings and should have a right to life without suffering. There are often alternatives to animal experimentation in the pursuit of knowledge and I simply ask for laws to be designed to better balance the need for animal experimentation with a more considered understanding of the right of the animal to live it's life without human exploitation.

Submission  
No 591

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Paul Smith

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Hon. Members,

I believe it is wrong to conduct medical research on animals, particularly primates, as they are sentient beings, feel pain and have feelings.

Thank you.

Submission  
No 592

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Peter Ramage

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I can't believe educated people can make animals suffer pain and fear right before their eyes and not have enough compassion for these animals, to not conduct such cruel experiments 'for mankind'. There has to be a better way that doesn't require the use of live animals.

Submission  
No 593

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Robyn Maloney

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This cruelty needs to cease immediately, no animal should suffer

Submission  
No 594

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Rachel Pipiciello

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I do not support the cruel experimentation of animals, it is barbaric and inhumane. Please stop this secret and cruel practice, we live in a time where we know better, there are other alternatives for research, show some compassion, animals have no voice and we should protect and respect them. Let's be the generation that puts an end to this horrific experimentation of animals and set an example for others to follow.



Submission  
No 595

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Rae Small

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Please stop the barbaric practice of vivisection.

Submission  
No 596

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Rebecca Irving

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Stop experimentation on animals.

Submission  
No 597

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Rene Skewes

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How in this day and age are people still using animals in experiments, it needs to stop and stop now. One day the world will look back at us and hang their head in shame

Submission  
No 598

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Rheusuin Brown

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Please ban testing on animals. It ia a cruel, barbaric , outdated practice and you have the power to end it. Do you have the heart and the gumption to end it? I hope you do.

So do the abused animals.

Thank you

Submission  
No 599

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Rhys Cornor

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Animal lives matter. Please abolish all animal experimenting in Universities and Labs. I've learned this evil is still going on.

Regards Rhys.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Rissa Goodhue

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It should be a known by now that we are way beyond and further ahead than the need to experiment on animals. That is just ancient out of date and time. His name is Buddy. He was born into animal experimentation. He survived, but most won't. Submit to the NSW Parliamentary inquiry into the use of animals in experimentation:  
<https://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/committees/inquiries/Pages/lodge-a-submission.aspx?pk=2857>

A submission can be one sentence, an entire essay, or just your thoughts on the use of animals in experimentation and what needs to be done.

Most people are unaware that taxpayer money is being used to fund the continued breeding and use of animals like Buddy in experimentation. This is our chance to shine a light on an industry that has kept the truth hidden from the public for far too long.

Science is evolving, and with computer model systems and stem cell research, we can test so many things that will help human health, without sacrificing animals.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Maree Rogers

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I would like to see an end to cruel animal experiments. These are funded by the taxpayer, and I do not want my tax dollars funding these cruel experiments.

Near drowning and forced smoking are just some of the cruelty that happens to these poor animals.

I want an independent body that investigates animal cruelty funded by my tax dollars instead.

These poor animals live a life of horror and are then euthanized. Why can't they be adopted to loving homes instead.

There are many humane ways of testing that do not involve live animals. Please put our tax dollars to better use and end these cruel practices.

Submission  
No 602

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Robert Maluga

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I would like the whole concept of medical experimentation on animals to cease. As sentient human beings, we should be beyond those acts of cruelty.

Politicians should show their children pictures of maimed, tortured animals.

And then listen to what the children tell them.



Submission  
No 603

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Robina Flood

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Please put a stop to animal testing and experimentation. These practices are inhumane, cruel and a complete violation of animal rights.

These animals are live beings, they are intelligent and emotional and they suffer as humans do.

Please put an end to this cruelty!

Submission  
No 604

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Robin Kawecki

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Dear Parliament Of NSW,

There are numerous organizations which have researched alternatives tousing animals in experimentation. May we begin to phase out traditional use of animals while we phase in alternatives?

Thank you very much.

Robin W Kawecki

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Robyn Miotello

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Inquiry into the Use of Primates and Other Animals in Medical Research.

Please do not use primates or any animals for medical "research" (experiments) which are ineffective, archaic and not applicable to human biology anyway.

Very cruel and unnecessary to say the least. A lot of compliance ticking of boxes and data which has no real purpose.

There are modern methods which are more effective and don't involve cruelty.

It is not just the "experiments", it is the way they are kept in cages and have no normality at all, not even the comfort of each other.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Robyn Vollweiler

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I wish to voice my concerns about unnecessary and unethical experiments being conducted on animals in NSW.

There is no justification for some of these, such as forced smoking or near drownings. Animal welfare organisations and professionals need to be meaningfully represented, not just in a tokenistic manner, on decision making panels before tests, and their terms are approved.

There are humane and evidence based alternatives to many experiments being conducted on animals, and research into further options should be rigorously supported by government.

I am concerned that vested interests and silly decisions by those with limited or no real regard for animal welfare are able to be catered to .

As well as the ethical arguments against cruelty to animals, I expect transparency and accountability from government on how taxpayers money is spent. These are what build faith and evidence that good governance is being followed.

In addition, I would like policy to be enacted that favours re-homing of animals post-testing wherever possible, with representation from relevant animal welfare organisations.

Submission  
No 607

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Ronwyn Hart

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Ban all animal experimentation. It is cruel and unnecessary. What a horrible existence for beautiful, innocent, helpless dogs, and other animals.

Submission  
No 608

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Ross Allan

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The use of animals for cruel and inhuman experimentation is morally wrong and unnecessary.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Ruby Hill

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While animal testing may have been acceptable and vital for the experimentation of new studies in the past, we have made a shift in society and realise that the delicacies of animal life is important to consider; they feel, think and are capable of comprehension, sometimes to a better degree than humans.

Mammals, such as monkeys/apes, should not be the subject of an experiment. This is cruel and often without any reasonable results. I'm sure organisation's that use animal testing realise this, hopefully, and have sought out other possible "Guinea pigs" for their studies, but it is important that they realise a large majority of society condemn this form of study and hope for a more suitable alternative.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Sakshi Vig

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Please stop using animals for experimentation and medical research. It is cruel and unnecessary in today's world where we have various technologies available.

There is no transparency and accountability with this industry that is funded by tax payers and I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments. Rather I call for government to increase investment into the range of humane and evidence-based alternatives that are available today.

Further would also call upon these research institutions to do the right thing and rehome the animals cure in their facility specially dogs and cats, rather than mercilessly euthanising them



Submission  
No 611

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Irene Salad

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Cruel animal testing needs to be banned. It is 2022 and technology has proven to be at its finest. I don't see any legitimate reason why animals continue to be subjected to torture, confinement and death. It is barbaric and unnecessary. Not only are innocent animals suffering but so too are the people who so desperately await medical advancements because of the time and money wasted on these absurd experiments which do not give the real results needed anyway. I don't understand how there could such laws written for animal abuse yet government bodies are the biggest supporters of it. Please consider change as it is so desperately needed!

Submission  
No 612

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Sandra Buck

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It is inhumane to use animals in research. Please put an end to this terrible practice.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Sandra Ferns

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I'm appalled that animal testing is still done in this day and age and as it's tax funded, the Australian public should be able to have a say and have this cruelty abolished. There really hasn't been much proof that animal testing saves human lives. It's cruel and heartless.

I really do not understand how swim tests do anything other than make the poor animal suffer. And wiring up primates and all other animals? what does that prove? How cruel it is. This government needs to look further into this and abolish it. There is nothing at all that is gained by cruelly traumatising animals. There are other ways to test safety of medication etc. We have no right to abuse animals and that's what animal testing is, abuse.

Submission  
No 614

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Sandy Murrell

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Stop testing on animals. It's not right. Animals lives matter.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Sandy Spiers

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STOP all sentient beings being experimented on for any purpose.

This is barbaric and finally people are becoming most disturbed by the arrogance and public monies used to do horrific experiences on sentients by certain minds that have NO EMPATHY or REGARD for any life.

The world is watching this, election day will count and now it has gone global on social media. It is only right, the public become aware of the names that decide this should continue.

We have a moral obligation to protect all sentient beings from harm. Society is judged on how we treat living beings. Australia has an appalling record for cruelty towards our beautiful beings and the slaughtering of our wildlife for a growing \$\$\$ industry supported by the Liberal Party very strongly it seems.

WE NEED TO REMOVE THE AG GAG LAWS NOW!

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Sandy Spiers

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Please completely ban all experiments on sentient beings. We have a moral obligation to protect all innocent beings from harm and cruelty. Society is judged on how we treat living beings.

This is morally wrong and unforgivable.

These beautiful sentient beings should have loving homes as they deserve and these insidious facilities closed down. Please fight for their rights they need our voices. This is wrong. Voters in communities are becoming increasingly disturbed by the violence and abuse towards sentient beings.

This has gone global on social media for awareness as you would know.

Please stand and show leadership by closing the barbaric practice down for good. We are all watching this.

Submission  
No 617

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Sarah Sheluchin

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Animal testing is a barbaric and unnecessary practice which has no place in this day and age.

Submission  
No 618

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Erica Lewis

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Use of animals in experiments in Australia is abhorrent & should be cease immediately.



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Shannon Elder

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It is appalling in this day and age that we continue to test on animals when there are far better alternatives.

An animals life is not worth less than a humans and it's disgusting that people are ok with forcing testing onto an animal who would be so scared and would have no understanding of the horrible treatments they were about to be forced to endure.

Those who allow this to continue should be ashamed of themselves and should instead offer themselves as test subjects, perhaps then they can have a little understanding of what they make these poor animals suffer through.

I do not condone to my tax payer money going to such cruelty.

Submission  
No 620

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Patricia Rizzo

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ANIMALS need not be tested on in many cases. So why is Our Government so last Century.

ANIMAL ABUSE is all it repeatedly is.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Anne Serato

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I request that experimentation on animals for medical, pharmacological, human health testing and product testing is ceased. This industry largely goes on behind closed doors and is funded by tax payers and/or pharmaceutical co's. Much of this pointless research testing is done by the big universities, funded by the cashed up drug co's. Despite it being a complete waste of time , the academics benefiting from these big injections of funds, need to be exposed and a light shone on the dodgy dealings that are going on. It is cruel and archaic and modern science is showing that most drugs tested on animals largely fail when used on humans. There are now other methods that provide a much higher success rate (eg stem cell research) that do not involve appalling cruelty to these creatures.

Submission  
No 622

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Sybille Grosch

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I would like all animal testing to be banned, no animal should suffer and for what, as well as wasting taxpayers money, this is not necessary. I am against all animal cruelty and this is one of the worst, we have no right to inflict pain on innocent creatures, this has to stop once and for all make it happen close these places down once and for all. I am at a loss how anyone can go to work every day torturing animals clearly these people have no heart or feelings what so ever the worst kind of people and they get paid to do this, even worse. This has to end NOW.

Submission  
No 623

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Shailan Ghassemi

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Animal experimentation is an intensely cruel act of speechless violence these animals have to go through. There are other ways we can experient (easy cruelty-free swap). No one dears to see this, because they scream in agony for experiments that can be easily swapped. LOOK at the monkey with the DRILLED hole in his head.

Can you imagine that being done to yourself?

I kindly ask you to consider this, and end animal testing

With Peace and Love. -Shailan instagram: stabbingagent

Submission  
No 624

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Shauna Willott

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Please stop using any type of animal for research in Australia. It is so cruel and unnecessary in this day and age. It's a disgrace the the government makes this non public that animals are still used for research here in Australia. Please STOP and make this illegal immediately and let the animals be put into care and adoption!

Shauna Willott

Submission  
No 625

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Sheridan Stumm

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I am writing to implore you to stop scientific experiments on primates. We already know a lot about the human body thanks to our clever medical agencies, we also use mice to good effect. I see no reason to keep primates locked up, terrified and experimented on over and over in the belief the information saves human lives. I would think this argument ridiculous as human disease has been conquest to a large degree with the help of mice and has made great strides. Fear in primates must severely taint experiments. Time to halt this cruelty now and know I do not support arguments that human life is too valuable to stop this experimentation. It is not all life is valuable

Submission  
No 626

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Carol Short

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Greetings

It amazes me that with 21centuary knowledge, business and public have nowadays, they still use animals for experiments and such.

Animals have souls ,feel pain,heat,cold etc, the same as you or your children do..

Animals need kindness and respect and you should be putting out legislation to ban the abuse of any animal and institute harsh punishments for perpetrators.



Submission  
No 627

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Srinivas Rao

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Please stop animal testing

Submission  
No 628

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Patricia Truncellito

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Please, stop animal experimentation, it's cruel and unnecessary.

Submission  
No 629

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Silvia Berkowitz

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This has to stop ●

Submission  
No 630

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Stephanie Aleksov

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I'm writing in strong opposition of the use of primates and animals in experimentation. Tax payer funded breeding of animals for this purpose is extremely cruel and unethical for the animals involved. It's also misleading to the public about where funding comes from and what is actually happening behind closed doors. Most tax payers would oppose the ongoing use of primates and other animals in experimentation. Science has come a long way. There is no longer a need for animals to be used for this cruel purpose. Please reconsider the involvement of animals in experimentation. Something I and many other strongly oppose.

Submission  
No 631

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Robyn Brown

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It is obscene that we, supposedly the most intelligent being on the planet, think it is ok to use animals as lab subject and perform the most cruel and inhumane experiments on them. If we really are intelligent, we should be aware that, although we can't understand them, animals talk and feel pain and get lonely and frightened just like us. This has to stop. No medicine or scientific knowledge or new make up is worth torturing a living, feeling animal for.

Please change the laws to stop ALL experimentation on animals.

Thank you.

Submission  
No 632

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Soo Balbi

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I'm writing to object to the continued use of animals in medical experiments in NSW.

Given the industry receives government funding, the lack of transparency is inexcusable, both in terms of how much funding is given and what experiments are funded.

If the experiments are "vital", transparency shouldn't be an issue.

The least we can do is give these animals some visibility in an inherently cruel industry.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Karyn Souder

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With advances in modern research methods, i.e. stem cells and other forms, there should be little need to be experimenting on animals. In addition, it's been proven that animals, all animals, are sentient, so only one conclusion can be drawn from experimentation - torture. Living a life in a lab being put through terrifying and painful experiments all in the name of consumerism and advancements in human medicine is wrong, morally and ethically.

As a taxpayer, I am not at all comfortable with the lack of transparency in the industry and I'm not willing to support this industry in any way.

I also cannot understand why the animals aren't adopted out after they've been set free from this hell. To live a life of torture to just die is worse than we treat our most evil criminals. Why aren't animals afforded the same rights and opportunities as people?

I strongly disagree with this practice and will not support it continuing.

Kind regards

Karyn Souder

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Stephen Carroll

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Animal Experimentation Review.

1. Animal experimentation should cease.
2. Animal experimentation is tax payer funded and should be transparent in its procedures and outcomes. It is not.
3. Near death experiments such as smoking and near drowning have no place in today's world.
4. There are many alternatives available that do not need animals.
5. Animals should be re-homed.



## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Steven Atkinson

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End taxpayer-funded animal experimentation and give animals the right to be released and rehomed (Buddy's Law). End the horrific near-drowning and forced smoking experiments.

These experiments are cruel, inhumane and totally barbaric .

Primates and other animals do not have a choice they are subjected to cruelty, torture, pain, stress, depression and loneliness my voice is their voice. Stop this inhumane practice and let these primates and animals live in freedom and peace. They need our help please stop these experiments.

The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers is disgraceful. To smuggle and hide these primates and animals away from the public eye shows deceit and how wrong this is. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

You would not do this this to another human being so stop this being done to a sentient being.

Sincerely

Steven Atkinson

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Steven Ackling

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Medical and "Scientific" experimentation on animals is equivalent to torturing them. They are animals, they should be in their natural environment with other animals of their kind. Anything else is torture, Put yourself in their place: kept in small wire cages, administered with drugs, plastered with cosmetics or worse, anesthetized, cut open, sown-up, reopened, strange food, strange lighting, strange sounds and smells. Noting natural, nothing comforting. For your entire life. How would YOU like it ?

Animal experimentation should be a method of LAST RESORT, when NO OTHER means are available. And by "no other", I include the options of computer modelling, human volunteers or paid human subjects. ONLY when human health/life is at risk should animal experimentation even be considered.

And the process of such consideration should be legislated, It should require a submission to an independent body seeking the use of animal experimentation and justifying it against a strict set of criteria in order to demonstrate without any doubt that it is the ONLY viable option. The independent body could be an organisation such as the RSPCA (with appropriate funding from govt). And such a body should have power of veto over submissions and also authority to issue permits. This process should be similar to an Environmental Impact Assessment with rigorous governance. Any animals subject to experimental should be rehabilitated immediately and thoroughly b the party that made the submission. Rehabilitation should be subject to independent verification with HUGE consequences is not complied with.

Submission  
No 637

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Suanne Dixon

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I am vehemently opposed to animal experimentation. There must be alternatives to this barbaric, cruel and unnecessary practice. I implore you to please phase out all forms of animal experimentation permanently.

Inflicting ongoing pain, suffering and intentional harm to sentient beings in the name of science is rubbish and must stop.

Submission  
No 638

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Susan Buckland

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Using animals for experimentation is completely unconscionable!

I totally object to tax payer money being used to conduct experiments on animals.

There are so many other ways to test these days, computer modelling and programs, stem cell testing etc. Testing on animals is no a true test of outcome for humans - just look at thalidomide!!!

There is no reason and no excuse to experiment on animals.

Submission  
No 639

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Susan Hyde

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Please stop Australia being the country known for the killing fields of our animals and to put our animals in vile cruel experiments - we should be above this and show humanity caring and compassion towards our animals

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Susan Thomson

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Please end tax payer funded animal experimentation. Results from research with animal models often makes a poor transition into effects on humans (which is always the end goal). And the animals suffer greatly. Given the advances in technology (eg computer modelling) there are better alternatives that do not cause harm. If Australia is built on anything it's on notions of fairness and opportunity. Extend that idea to all sentient beings, everyone deserves good treatment and the opportunity to live a good life. For further reading, please see Andrew Knight's *The Costs and Benefits of Animal Experiments*, it details many of the weaknesses of animals as models in scientific experiments. The moral problems with such experiments I doubt need be expounded further here.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Susanne Arblaster

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Animal experiments are so worthless that up to half of them are never even published.

Animals in the highest-dose groups often endure severe abdominal pain, diarrhoea, convulsions, seizures, paralysis, or bleeding from the nose, mouth, or genitals before they ultimately die or are killed.

Research that's of little value, poorly designed or conducted and badly reported is a waste of animals' lives, causing suffering that should have been entirely avoidable.

NSW is out of step with current community expectations when it comes to recognising animal sentience. In 2019 the ACT acknowledged animal sentience in the objects of the Animal Welfare Act (1992), and Victoria is currently undertaking a review of its Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986 that is expected to incorporate animal sentience in a similar way.

Overseas, the European Union, Quebec and New Zealand have ALL legally recognised animal sentience.

Why is it certain humans are not willing to accept the full sentience of other animals?

COME ON PEOPLE JOIN THE EVER-GROWING ADVANCEMENT OF OUR SPECIES TO ENILATE THIS PRIMITIVE BEHAVIOUR.

THANKING YOU IN ANTICIPATION.

Sue Arblaster NSW

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Sylvia Cooper

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I urge the government to ban experimenting on non human primates.

Non human primates are not interchangeable with human primates in their physiology, biochemistry, lifestyle, diet, habitat etc., so any experimental data may or may not apply to human primates and that cannot be known until it is tested on human primates.

Making the mistake of applying non human primate data to humans has caused the pharmaceutical industry to kill many humans while causing pain, suffering and trauma to non human primates. It must end.

Potentially damaging substances can now be tested with technology far more accurately, think computer chip organs, cell cultures, computer modelling, epidemiology etc.

There is no need to abuse human or non human primates to dangerous experiments in the 21st century and we can create a much safer world for all of us if we use experimental methods that are accurate and repeatable without confounding variables like varying individuals let alone varying species.

If we wouldn't test something on a human primate, it is unethical to do so on a non human primate because despite the physical differences, the ability to suffer fear, distress, trauma, pain and deprivation are the same across individuals and species.

It is time for a new and better way of testing drugs, chemicals and procedures that does not result in damaging human and non human primates.



Submission  
No 643

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Sylvia Page

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Disgusting and inhumane. I can't believe this is allowed to happen in 2022. Australia has a bad name around the world for it's treatment of animals!

Submission  
No 644

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Trae Veitch

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I believe with the science and technology available to us in our current stage of existence, there is absolutely no need to still be carrying out something as barbaric as testing on animals. Just because as humans we treat animals as a lesser quality of being in terms of hierarchy does not give us the right to experiment on them as we wish.

Submission  
No 645

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Tania Llewellyn

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Keeping these animals for experimentation is wrong on all accounts. Please get this consigned to the history books.

Submission  
No 646

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Miss Tanika Goodman

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This is a submission to end testing on animals for medical research. The procedures undergone are completely out of touch with values of today's society and many experiments are cruel and barbaric, often times having no real benefit for the medical industry. There should be more government investment into humane and evidence-based alternatives, or testing on human cells. Animals tested on could also be rehabilitated and re-homed, and should not be treated as disposable and insentient.

The medical research industry should be more transparent and informative of where they are getting their funding. People don't want their taxes supporting cruelty and ignorance to this is not bliss.

Thank you for your time, I hope you can understand the urgency of this case.

Submission  
No 647

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Dr Nathalie Casal

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Using living creatures who are aware of what is happening to them , tormented by fear and have no quality of life is an ethical abomination regardless of what committees agree on. If experimentation is ethical for animals without a voice it should be ethical for humans as well and they should nominate themselves for these experiments. Gone are the days when humans thought they were the only animals who could think and feel pain. Science has progressed beyond that and models should be developed from patient's own cells. Non human animals are not at our disposal to do as we wish

Submission  
No 648

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Tanya Gyzi

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

Submission  
No 649

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Anastasia Mavromatis

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This barbaric practice needs to stop. Animals should not be experimented on in this day and age. It's cruel, inhumane and outdated. Please put a stop to this.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Teresa Romanovsky

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"Ask the experimenters why they experiment on animals and the answer is: 'Because animals are like us.' Ask the experimenters why it is morally okay to experiment on animals, and the answer is: 'Because the animals are not like us.' Animal experimentation rests on a logical contradiction."  
PROF. CHARLES R. MAGEL

Animal researchers and breeding institutions in Australia receive millions of taxpayer dollars every year in grants that support animal tests. Hundreds of thousands of animals are used, and many of them are destroyed, for the purposes of medical, pharmacological and toxicity testing — despite the fact that experimentation on animals has consistently been found to be poorly predictive of similar tests and treatments in humans.

Even primates, our closest living relatives, have significant genetic differences that can make applying the results of their tests to human patients ineffective at best — and lethal at worst. In fact, the argument can be made that in many cases animal experimentation delays human medical progress.

There is a wealth of technology already in place and emerging that has delivered accurate and reliable results for testing. From microdosing, microfluidic chips, MRI's, TMS, Eytex, human skin grown in the lab, bio printing and the list goes on.

When over 90% of drugs tested in animals fails, why do scientists and researchers keep doing them? Albert Einstein's statement of 'insanity is doing the same thing over and over and expecting different results' is most prevalent in the animal testing industry. It's time to stop the insanity.



## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Rosa Morris

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To whom it may concern,

As a humane human, make no mistake, this does concern you and to shrug this off is incredibly ignorant. There is no reason to conduct despicable experiments on animals for human research. Its much the same as drinking the milk of a cow that is intended for a calf. Why do we do it? We are conditioned to, even though it causes many health problems. We are conditioned to think it's normal when it's so far from normal when you think of it. Would you drink the milk of a pig or a dog? No, of course you wouldn't. So why do we continue to test on animals? For what reason, they are not humans and do not give accurate results. I can't believe this is still happening in a country like Australia. Surely we are way past this? Come on people, this is not the way of the future, and it's certainly not why animals were put on this earth for - for humans to abuse them. What happens to them when we are finished with them - if not dead already, they are discarded like waste, left to die a miserable death, like they were nothing and another failed test. Spend a day in their lives, see how you go - you wouldn't hesitate stopping these practices. Don't turn a blind eye, please.

Please, can we end this horrible inhumane practice?

Kind Regards

Rosa

Submission  
No 652

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Tiana-li Jevtic

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This should be illegal. No more animal testing

Submission  
No 653

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Tiffany Treloar

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Stop the use of animals in experiments. A society is judged by how it treats its most vulnerable. We hold power over animals and should not abuse that power, or their trust for experiments that hold no value to humans. Animal biology is vastly different to human biology, all you're proving is that something won't harm or kill us, not it's efficacy. So you're allowing harm and death to come to animals in these experiments, knowingly.

Submission  
No 654

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Tiffany Lang

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I wish for this cruelty to cease immediately.

It is inhumane and as humans who have a responsibility for this planet and all that exists on it surely as intelligent beings we can come up with a compassionate way forward

Submission  
No 655

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Tina Maddison

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This country can move on from the use of animals for experimentation.

It is archaic and greater models can be used.

Why should intelligent animals be subjected to torture and pain, boredom and confinement at mans bequest?

Stop all animal experimentations.

Thankyou.

Submission  
No 655a

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Tina Maddison

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Hello

You chose beagles to experiment on because they are fentle, placid and loving dogs that suit the scientists needs. We the taxpayer do not agree with animal experimentation. Stuck in metal cages day in day out, what a life. Would you like that? No freedom, no outside air, no sky, no grass, no life.

Cruelty is all it is. Stop the cruelty now.

Submission  
No 656

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Anthony Inglis

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Please ensure that NSW legislation bans any experimentation on animals.

Submission  
No 657

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Tracey Wilson

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“As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation. Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone’s conscious.”



Submission  
No 658

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Tracy Coyle

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There is no relevant reason that this dispicable practice continue in 2022

Plenty of companies now produce products without the choice of exposing animals to such experiments. This must stop effective immediately

I do not support this

Only ignorant people do or turn a blind eye to what is taking place

Submission  
No 659

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Tracy Ollington

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Stop experimentation on ALL animals.

If the products are for human use, experiment on humans.

Submission  
No 660

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Tracy Sewell

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Please end this unnecessary suffering of animals. There are so many other options available to us in this "modern" world. This is an antiquated barbaric practice that needs to stop immediately.

Submission  
No 661

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Patricia Taylor

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Experiments on animals are cruel and unnecessary with today's software and scientific improvements. Please make this horrendous practice illegal and null and void from now on .

Submission  
No 662

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Trish Durlacher

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No animals should be used for testing. These days it is not necessary. These test animals feel pain and distress. Lets move on. STOP ANIMAL TESTING

Submission  
No 663

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Sueanne Tsolacos

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Please stop experimenting on animals. With modern technology most is not needed

Submission  
No 664

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Terry Ingram

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Animal experimentation must be stopped. This is inherently cruel. Carrying out experimentation on any living creature is barbaric.

Submission  
No 664a

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Terry Ingram

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This barbaric and cruel practice must be stopped.



Submission  
No 665

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Ula Lane

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In this day and age of technological advancements there is no need for use of animals in experimentation funded by the public behind closed doors. The testing on animals has been shown to be inconclusive in many cases for the same tests in humans. Other options are now available (including stem cells) which should be considered. Testing on animals is outdated, is inconclusive, and is unnecessary

Submission  
No 666

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Victoria Pressler

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All animals should be free from exploitation and experimentation

Submission  
No 667

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Vivienne Ben-Shir

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treat all animals as if they were your children

Submission  
No 668

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Lenore Taylor

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I am writing to you about experiments being done on animals. I really do not know a lot about what goes on but I have seen horrific pictures of our primate relatives being strung out and attached to all sorts of wires and bits of metal. This is TORTURE.

I know that this is used for medical science, but really do we all need this just so a few will survive at a huge cost to others. Death is part of life and there are children being bombed at the moment in Ukraine plus other children in Afganistatn, Yemen and Myanmar.

Have some respect for our animal friends who cannot speak the human language and STOP this torture. I don't know how anyone could live with this in their mind. I would happily die early to stop this. We don't need to live forever.

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Anthea Von Staerck

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I am against testing on primates for following reasons

1. Any substance or drug to be used on humans has to be tested on humans eventually- If a substance or drug is already known to be toxic why do we need to try it on animals repeatedly?
2. Cruelty and pain inflicted - animals suffer as much as humans do.
3. After being used as test subjects and a life of misery without affection or anyone to play with - the test animals are usually killed- without hope of a peaceful retirement.
4. Many tests have already been repeated many times (the swim test) without any helpful benefits to humans and much suffering to the test subjects.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Anthea Von Staerck

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I am against using animals as test subjects: For several reasons

1. Extreme cruelty- these animals lead miserable lives and are killed at the end of their usefulness
2. It has been shown that they react differently to humans therefore human products have to be re- tested on humans
3. Disease passed to humans from these animals
4. Depression suffered by both animals kept in cruel conditions and their captors who have to inflict pain and misery day after day... not good for mental health

Submission  
No 670

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mr Warren Ross

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Dear Parliamentary Members,

I am writing on behalf of all animals that are used in any form of experimentation or product testing in Australia. I find this practice to be abhorrent and extremely distressing and I can only imagine what the defenceless animals must be feeling and experiencing.

It's time, once and for all, to stop this cruelty.

Please make a stand for animals, your children will be proud of you.

Sincerely

Warren Ross

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Rob Dexter

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I am against all experimentation on animals including medical experimentation. All animals have rights and it is immoral of we humans to take those rights away and exploit and abuse them. They have the same right to life and bodily autonomy as humans do.

Experimenting on animals is always unacceptable because:

- it causes suffering to animals
- the benefits to human beings are not proven
- any benefits to human beings that animal testing might provide could be produced in other ways

Replacing experiments on animals with alternative, proven techniques such as:

- Experimenting on cell cultures instead of whole animals
- Using computer models
- Studying human volunteers
- Using epidemiological studies

"...animals have not been as critical to the advancement of medicine as is typically claimed by proponents of animal experimentation.

Moreover, a great deal of animal experimentation has been misleading and resulted in either withholding of drugs, sometimes for years, that were subsequently found to be highly beneficial to humans, or to the release and use of drugs that, though harmless to animals, have actually contributed to human suffering and death."

Jane Goodall 'Reason for Hope', 1999



Submission  
No 672

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr Toohey Toohey

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Wake up its the 21st century - ban e perimentation now!!!!

Submission  
No 673

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Ms Pauline White

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Re animal Experiments and in particular current Primate being held for experiments I NSW

As animals are globally considered sentient beings with emotions and feelings we as a community need to consider the torture we are putting them through.

My request is to consider this carefully and stop experimenting on these souls.

For those who are of a religious bent it must go against the will and certainly against all principles of fairness, justice and compassion for all sentient beings.

Pauline White

Submission  
No 674

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** William Attard

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country, I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. The pain, suffering and harm inflicted on animals in the name of science must stop. We cannot undo what has been done, but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour, and I implore you to put a stop to all testing and experimentation on animals.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not continue.

Submission  
No 675

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mr W F

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Medical experimentation MUST end on any and all animals permanently !!!!

Submission  
No 676

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Margaret Kellett

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I wish to vote for whoever has the guts to have the absolute and terrible abuse of animals in testing drugs ext. STOPPED in this country. What they do to poor innocent animals is nothing short of criminal in my books, if they did the same to humans they would be charged, so why are they allowed to do what they like to animals who also feel pain and sickness as we do. THINK about this people and tell yourselves what is happening to these poor animals must scare them and hurt them so much. They were not put on this earth to have this dreadful abuse happening to them. PLEASE anyone who has the ability to stop this cruelty DO SO. This is not the first time I have tried to get this abuse stopped.

Submission  
No 677

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Megan Galvin

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I submit that all animal testing be banned as a matter of urgency. We as a nation have surely evolved to a standard where we realise this unless cruelty must cease immediately!

The people of Aust are watching.

Submission  
No 678

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Yasmin O'Neill

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I'm writing this to let you know it's wrong and cruel to work on animals and then when the animals usefulness is done you just euthanise them instead of being compassionate and rehoming them so they can find their furever home and live in peace til they die. Please reconsider doing it this way for the sake of this loving animals that help us

Yours sincerely

Yasmin O'Neill

Submission  
No 679

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Yinn Ein Wong

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As a taxpayer, I strongly oppose animal experimentation. It is barbaric and we have much better technology as a substitute.



Submission  
No 680

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Miss Zoe Garrett

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Please stop this cruel form of experimentation. It is unnecessary and there are kinder ways of carrying out experiments.

## INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES

**Name:** Mrs Zoe Schmidt

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I object my tax dollars funding any experiments on animals, particularly when there is no transparency in the testing or what the animals are subjected to.

Testing on any animal is cruel and unnecessary when there are humane and evidence based alternatives.

These animals are also euthanised at the completion of the experiments rather than rehabilitated and rehomed, meaning that they are born and live a life of cruelty until their premature death. That we are still testing on any animal in 2022 is abhorrent and anyone advocating for this should be ashamed.

Submission  
No 682

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Mrs Renata Zrnik

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This needs to stop! It's cruel and disgusting and absolutely unnecessary

Submission  
No 683

## **INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

**Name:** Ms Anthea Huntly

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An absolutely cruel practice. Alternatives should be found. Start with paedophiles and child abusers and not innocent animals

Submission  
No 684

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please think about well-being of animals. They are part of our beautiful planet and we should protect them and not harm them so we humans can benefit. Stop cruel practices. Legislate.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Inquiry into Primates and Other Parties used in experimentation:

There is a complete lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. At no time have I decided by referendum or otherwise the fact that I was agreeable to my taxes funding cruel experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking on primates.

There is no reason imaginable why animals shouldn't be rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

More government investment **MUST** be expended into more humane and evidenced based experiments.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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I am worried about the following. Please address: lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is evil. No economic benefit justifies this.

I want more humane and evidence-based alternatives and/or call for more government investment into these alternatives

Submission  
No 687

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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There is a deeply concerning lack of transparency and accountability within this industry. I can't think of any other industries funded by taxpayers that are not held accountable for their activities or spending, and as a taxpayer I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

There are a range of humane, evidence-based alternatives that need to be explored and funded instead. This inquiry needs to look into why animals are euthanised and not rehomed and also the purpose and validity of these experiments and what benefit they actually bring.



Submission  
No 688

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Research has shown dogs are sentient beings, they feel emotions just like us. Most dog owners in Australia would be mortified if it was their dog was locked up in a cage for the rest of its life and put through useless testing. There are alternative ways to test medicine. As a society we are better than this.

Submission  
No 689

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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This barbaric practice needs to be banned immediately. It's the cruelest form of torture and is outdated scientifically.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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I find this entire situation to be utterly despicable, nothing but a life of absolute misery for these poor souls. These animals would be incredibly traumatised, and will be affected by these traumatic experiences until they are euthanized, and dumped into a garbage disposal. What a horrible life these poor animals endure, i am absolutely disgusted that my taxes, are contributing to this horrible experience. In particular dogs, are companion animals, not experimental animals. This has to stop, it is nothing but animal cruelty, and torture, and should be outlawed immediately, it sickens me. If for some ridiculous reason this has to continue, at least re home these animals, and give them a chance to enjoy, maybe some part of their lives, i hate this, and it needs to stop now.

Submission  
No 691

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animals were in the Garden of Eden before mankind (Adam & Eve), so PLEASE RESPECT THEM!

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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“As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not the way to go but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone’s conscious.”

Submission  
No 693

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I believe animal experimentation is wrong as the animal will feel pain.

Submission  
No 694

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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The pain, the suffering, and the deaths of animals are not worth the possible human benefits.  
Therefore, animals should not be used in research or to test the safety of products.

Submission  
No 695

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Stop this barbaric practice animals don't deserve to be treated like this for humans to live



Submission  
No 696

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Tell me what kind of creature tortures, enslaves, beats, prods, poisons, steals babies, forces mothers to get pregnant to steal babies, Experiments on knowing its not necessary to do so, murders the innocent child-like animals that FEEL so much more than humans do. Humans have become Souless demonic creatures. We go to war on our own species for financial gain. The lies told for financial gain harming the innocent tells us humans are mentally very sick creatures. When will You get your sanity back?

Submission  
No 697

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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As a resident and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. Animal experimentation is not only outdated but is incredibly cruel and lacks any compassion and kindness and should be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

Submission  
No 698

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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STOP ALL VIVESECTION AND OTHER FORMSOF ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION.

THIS IS A NO BRAINER. This doesn't require an essay. OUTLAW ALL CRUELTY TO ANIMALS. THERE IS NO EXCUSE.

Submission  
No 699

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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“As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone’s conscious.”

Submission  
No 700

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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To whom it may concern (everyone)! I Think animal testing and experimentation is disgusting and barbaric. The fact that this is still happening in 2022 makes me sick to my stomach. Medical technology is becoming advance and there is no need to test on animals. The suffering these poor animals must go through is barbaric and sadistic.

It must stop!

Yours sincerely,

Submission  
No 701

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Like humans. ANIMALS have thoughts and feelings. Using animals as experiments has to stop.  
It's cruelty.

Submission  
No 702

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Dear members, please cease funding animal experiments. It's time to stop basing human medicine on other species. This is cruel, expensive and does not result in cures to human disease or protect humans from harmful substances or medicines. Faster, cheaper and more accurate methods exist. These necessarily use no animals. "Cutting edge medical research" should not refer to blades cutting animals but to medical research which actually works. Microdosing, microfluidics, computer models, organs on a chip are but a few modern methods.

I link the following websites for your perusal:

<https://safermedicines.org/>

[www.humaneresearch.org.au](http://www.humaneresearch.org.au)

[www.animalexperiments.info](http://www.animalexperiments.info)

[www.vivisectioninformation.org](http://www.vivisectioninformation.org)

They provide information on the ineffectiveness of animal experiments and valid methods to immediately replace it. Let's make Australia a leading model of science, compassion and human health.

Submission  
No 703

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Stop animal experimentation now! It is beyond cruel



Submission  
No 704

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation is outdated, it doesn't work and is absolutely horrendous. Aren't we more civilized than this? Obviously not. It's been proven that it is terribly inaccurate and proves nothing. There are other methods that can be used. Invitro and organ on a chip.

This barbaric behaviour needs to stop. It's about as civilized as bullfighting. Please stop this now.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am extremely disappointed and HORRIFIED to know that these unnecessary, morbid, ghastly, cruel experiments are still being performed on the innocent, helpless, and vulnerable animals. In the past these experiments were overlooked because we were led to believe that they were necessary and helped the Human Race.

In this day and age, there is no longer any excuse or reason to condemn these animals to a life of misery, abuse and torture. There are other modern equipment that can be used without hurting any animals which are more effective in solving Human medial conditions. WHY AREN'T THEY BEING USED.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. Highlight the fact that you do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates are inhumane.

There are humane and evidence-based alternatives.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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I am against the use of animals in medical research.

I'm concerned about the lack of transparency and accountability in an industry which is funded by taxpayers; I believe that it is unethical to be funding cruel animal experiments with public money.

I do not like it that animals are not rehomed after experimentation specially cats and dogs who can be easily adopted out; there is no need for them to be euthanised.

Some of the experiments are straight out cruel such as near drowning and forced smoking. Animals are sentient beings and deserve to be treated with kindness and respect. There are humane and evidence based alternatives and more investment should go into these alternatives.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I do not support experimentation on animals; I believe it to be unethical.

Animals are sentient beings who have the ability to respond to their environment and experience sensations such as pain, suffering or pleasure.

It is unethical to subject sentient beings to experiences that will cause them unnecessary pain. Animals are vulnerable and depend on us to do the right thing by them.

Animals deserve to be treated with kindness and respect.

Submission  
No 708

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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How in 2022 we are still testing and abusing animals is shocking. Science is evolving, and with computer model systems and stem cell research, we can test so many things that will help human health, without sacrificing animals. These animals feel pain, suffering and deserve to live their lives free from that.

Imagine this was your pet, how would you feel then? Why should it be illegal to torture an animal on the street but not in the name of science?

Submission  
No 709

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Dear Committee,

In regards to animal experiments surely in this year of 2022 we have learnt enough and have enough scientific knowledge to know what works and what doesn't. The use of animals now is unnecessary and outdated. There is no favourable outcome for any of us. We are all mammals.

Thank you

Submission  
No 710

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please stop using animals for experiment. I thought we had become more aware of how cruel it is to stop an animal having quality of life and being able to enjoy their natural behaviours. Use rodents as long as they're treated humanely, they don't need as much room, but not bigger animals. We need to stop it.



**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal testing is a waste of tax payers money

Results of animal tests relate to animal responses not humans

Animal tests are inhumane as the animal has no choice

Animal testing is unnecessary as there are alternatives such as lab on a chip

Submission  
No 712

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Dear all,

Just a brief submission imploring that you all do the right thing and end animal testing. Let's be up there with the best and end this miserable and excruciatingly painful treatment. Australia can be a world leader. As more people are changing their diet for ethical reasons people will base their decisions on how the government looks after the welfare of animals. Thanks for considering this submission.

Submission  
No 713

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please end all experiments on animals. They are barbaric and outdated, and the scientific community can find other ways to do their testing - as seen by the work of Dr Charu Chandrasekera, Ph.D (<https://www.pcrm.org/about-us/staff/charu-chandrasekera>)

Submission  
No 714

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please refer to Animal Justice Party campaign regarding protecting animals from experimentation. This is inhumane and unethical. I propose these practices are outlawed, as no animal or human should suffer at the hands on any human being.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Regarding cruel animal experimentation;

The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers should not be legal and is a breach of our rights.

I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates are truly horrible. This is unacceptable animal cruelty.

It is 2022, and there are a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives. There needs to be more government investment into these alternatives.

Submission  
No 716

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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It's about time these experiments stop

Cruelty to animals is not right

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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There is no role for animal experimentation in this day and age. We recognise animal sentience and the inherent cruelty of animal experimentation. Ignoring this knowledge and continuing this practice is unacceptable. Additionally, animal models have little to no clinical utility in predicting human responses to medications and other substance. Furthermore, there are increasing options for alternatives to animal experimentation that are more effective. The scientific evidence shows that there is no justification for continued animal experimentation and the time has come for it to end for good.

Submission  
No 718

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation is barbaric & cruel the taxpayers and general public in deserve the right to know of this hidden practice



**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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Primate research needs full transparency regarding current practices and on-going studies. This research is funded by tax-payers, therefore the public has the right to know how this money is being spent. Additionally (and more importantly), the cruelty that is being inflicted upon these animals must be exposed and put to an end. Most research done on primates have no practical benefits on our society, or for the betterment of science. The suffering inflicted upon these beautiful animals is unnecessary and disgusting, and I believe this inquiry is an important first step in rectifying these issues.

Submission  
No 720

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Put simply, I DO NOT want taxpayer funds put towards animal testing, (i.e. torture) for the purposes of "scientific research".

In this day and age, the practice of animal testing is utterly abhorrent.

Submission  
No 721

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Now is the time to stop experimenting on innocent animals. It has been going on far too long. Pain and suffering is all they know. How can we as "humans" think it is ok to torture and mentally and physically cause harm to a helpless animal. Please rethink animal experimentation as it is outdated and totally unnecessary. Thank you

Submission  
No 722

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am against all experimentation on animals. I find it abhorrent to see sentient beings such as rabbits, beagles and apes being blinded, tortured, shocked, incarcerated and with no kind treatment. There are better ways to test now that do not involve making animals suffer.

Submission  
No 723

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What is the benefit of doing cruel experiments on animals that you already know the answer

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No 724

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Stop experimenting on animals

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Please stop animals being used in experimental testing or any other experiments. It is so cruel and inhumane.

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Stop testing on dogs on all animals. These beautiful souls deserve better. Why can't we test on criminals drugs or murders.



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It would be a dreadful , callous heart who could not feel horror at what is happeningto those poor creatures and one wonders what sort of people participate in this research.It should be stopped - using animals for research to benefit humans is rubbish, I am not a mouse, cat, dog, horse or rabbit etc. etc.

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No 728

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There should be no animal experimentations at this point in time - none. They should all be ceased and companies and organisations need to find ethical ways to test products and medicines. It is appalling that under any circumstances animals can be used for any practices like this - they can't consent and they are deemed sentient beings - I genuinely cannot believe we are still undertaking these barbaric practices. Please put an immediate stop to it.

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I do not agree with this animal cruelty.

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No more testing on animals please

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Animal testing is outdated and certainly not necessary with the development of tissue culture and software that can be used for hearing and other tests currently using live primates and other animals. There is a staggering 80% inaccuracy rate on animal testing used for human medical research. This is unacceptable, considering the suffering incurred with such practices.

Any government that does not consider updating this horrifying and cruel practice to a humane approach, knowing that there are much more accurate and safe alternatives, is in my opinion a willingly ignorant government. This has to stop and my vote will identify with a government that is interested in reducing suffering of both people and animals.

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There is no need for animal testing in this day and age with technology being so advanced. I would prefer my tax money to be used to purchase advanced technology for testing instead of testing on animals.

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There is a need for urgent change to the outdated and barbaric use of animals for testing. Animal testing is a very poor and expensive model for testing drugs and other procedures, hoping for meaningful extrapolation to humans. The fact is that animals are not humans. Extrapolation is meaningless as borne out by the staggering number of treatments which have failed in people after being apparently successful in animals. In addition, experimentally induced conditions such as cancer cannot hope to mimic real life behaviour of the condition in humans.

There is an urgent need for the following:

1. Greater transparency in animal research and evaluation of its outcomes
2. The need for funding for the validation of non-animal research methods
3. Prohibition of the forced swim test and forced inhalation research.
4. Prohibition of psychology research carried out on animals. This can be replaced with clinical trials in people.
5. Urgent need for replacement of animal testing with the many and much more reliable test methods.

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There is no justification for breeding, keeping or using non-human primates or monkeys for questionable experimentation, the results of which cannot possibly be extrapolated with any confidence to homo sapiens. There are many, many alternatives to animal testing and research now available to the scientific community which are cheaper, safer, more reliable and do not involve cruelty to our fellow sentient creatures. Using animals for testing and research is barbaric and outdated, and has no place in societies which claim to be either enlightened or civilised. There is also insufficient oversight and transparency within the industry, allowing instances of abuse beyond that inherent in the design of experimentation. Basic animal welfare needs cannot possibly be met within a research setting. It's time we stopped abusing animals for ends which are questionable, at best.



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There are humane and evidence based research methods available. THIS is where I want my tax dollars to go, not to cruel, torturous and ethically abhorrent animal testing and experimentation. Animals should not be condemned to live a horrible life of fear and pain in labs. When tests finish, animals need to be re-homed and given a chance at healing and living, instead of euthanised. It's cruel and it needs to change. The experiments are just cruel. Near-drowning and forced smoke inhalation on primates, as just one example. Imagine yourself in their place. Please. And make positive changes.

I want my tax dollars to go towards investment into more humane, evidence based research methods. Vivisection belongs to the past.

Submission  
No 735

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Please stop using primates for testing. It is cruel and mean for these precious creatures. We should protect them.

Submission  
No 736

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Let's stop testing on all animals

Submission  
No 737

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Stop the barbaric practice of torture of animals in the name of science and or medical advancement. In 2020 we must have ethical practices to follow to improve medical needs and science. The use of any animal for these purposes is completely outdated and brutal.

Submission  
No 738

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Medical experimentation is one of the most hidden animal-use industries – and the massive amount of taxpayer money being given to this industry is absolutely atrocious. Animal experiments have time and time again proved that experimenting on animals is extremely unsuccessful. Please let these animals free and set them free for life by banning animal experimentation! This is not how people want their tax money being used.

Submission  
No 739

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I would like to see all experimentation on animals stopped. You are just torturing them

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There is a complete lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments and I feel sure many others would feel the same.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out. In this respect, as with my earlier point, sentient creatures are being treated as mere commodities

As sentient creatures, animals should not be subject to the cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates should be banned completely.

There is a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives to current experiments on animals, and there is also a great need for more government investment into these alternatives.

Submission  
No 741

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It is cruel, torture, unjust and unforgiveable treating a living, sentient being with such disregard. It is subhuman and is not to be tolerated or condoned on any level for any study. If studies need to be done they should be done on the human species that it is intended for on a voluntary basis or prisoners that are beyond psychological help!



Submission  
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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation. Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

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Using primates in medical or any other research is cruel and outdated.

Surely in 2022 there must be other ways of testing. If this practice was banned alternatives would be found.

It is up to the Government to take a lead and create an incentive to find alternative ways of research and testing, otherwise things will remain as they were 200 years ago.

Is a liberal Government able to show the way?

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Please stop using & breeding animals for medical experimentation. Surely there is a more humane alternative to this in the 21st century

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I wish to object to the use of animals in medical and scientific experiments. While there may be some situations where animal experiments might be justified, there are many more situations where the experiments cannot be justified, either in terms of the suffering imposed on the animals (such as near-drowning or forced smoking) or the social benefit of the results. Where the outcome simply reinforces existing knowledge, rather than creating new knowledge, there is no justification whatsoever. Much university research is aimed at career advancement for PhD students or post-docs, and simply offers a minor variation on an existing body of scientific knowledge. Yet animals are routinely used in such research.

When it comes to commercial interests, there is no justification whatsoever for animal research. If the safety of such products cannot be demonstrated on willing volunteers, then such products do not deserve to enter into the marketplace.

For those situations where some form of experimentation is essential, then alternatives do exist, or should be sought out. For example, microdosing and microfluid chips can be used as substitutes for dogs in various drug trials. Non-invasive imaging techniques can be used for brain research instead of subjecting primates to cruel invasive treatments.

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Poisoning, shocking, burning, and killing animals is all cruel and inhumane. If these atrocious acts were committed outside laboratories, they would be felonies. But animals suffer and die every day in laboratories with little or no protection from cruelty. It's unethical to sentence 100 million thinking, feeling animals to life in a laboratory cage and intentionally cause them pain, loneliness, and fear. The National Institutes of Health reports that 95 out of every 100 drugs that pass animal tests fail in humans. Animal experiments prolong the suffering of humans waiting for effective cures because the results mislead experimenters and squander precious money, time, and other resources that could be spent on human-relevant research. Animal experiments are so worthless that up to half of them are never even published. Forward-thinking scientists have developed humane, modern, and effective non-animal research methods—including organs-on-chips, organoids, human-based microdosing, in vitro technology, human-patient simulators, and sophisticated computer modeling—that are cheaper, faster, and more accurate than animal tests. The world doesn't need another ridiculous, taxpayer-funded test on animals so that a university experimenter can keep riding the grant gravy train.

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I am against the use of animals in Medical Research. Animals are sentient beings and should not be treated inhumanely for any purpose. Modern technology negates the need for this unnecessary and cruel practice which can no longer be tolerated by a civilised society. The use of animals must be stopped.

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there is no longer place for innocent primates to be experimented in the name of in the name of science or to provide household or cosmetic products for humans .

There are many overseas countries who have banned the use of primates in laboratories because they realize that this practice is no longer acceptable and causes so much distress and torment to these sensitive beings .

The continued use of same only encourages more illegal wild live trading as these primates are often snatched from their natural environment and sent to laboratories in a time when all global wildlife is being severly depleted .

There is documented evidence to show that laboratory life for these primates in anything but natural and once the experiments are completed these primates are disposed off.

Any scientific evidence is only regulated by other scientists who also have been part of primate experiments in man made laboratories

Human beings are wanting leaders to demonstrate compassion and take responsibility for what is happening to innocent primates in Australia and as relevant now in NSW.

This has to stop as politicians need to dig deep and examine these scientists motives ---what are disgusting barbaric experiments being used for on innocent primates that belong in their natural habitats and not in laboratories

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Taxpayer-funded animal experimentation in NSW must end. The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers is extremely worrying. As a tax payer I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

I would like to know why the animals are not re-homed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The barbaric cruelty in many of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is extremely disturbing. Why are these barbaric experiments still happening? Why is the NSW government not investing more into these alternatives.



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No 750

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In the year 2022, with current technology; such as computer model systems and stem cell research, testing can be done without torturing animals. I'm shocked to learn that taxpayer money is being used to perpetuate this abuse.

Animal testing should be banned immediately.

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No 751

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My personal observation and greatest standout with humans is that we have too many choices and a lack of respect for each. We celebrate our own lives and turn our backs on others. One of my abundant choices is to be vegan for obvious reasons. I will exit planet earth successful at being a human being, and whilst others could also, they will choose not to.

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No 752

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I submit that instead of using animals for experimentation, we utilise the people in prisons, that are living off the rest of us, and make their lives useful. They live better than most of our elderly, the only thing they've lost is their freedom. The animals deserve better, because they don't HAVE a choice.

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I am horrified that animals are used for experiments and unfortunately this terrible practice has been going on behind closed doors for a very long time.

As a tax payer I donot consent to my taxes being used for these acts.

I believe these perpetrators involved with animal experiments are not accountable to anyone and what goes on behind closed doors would be cruel and unimaginable pain and suffering for these animals. I have seen footage of terrible experiments to animals leaked to make people more aware and accountable. There have been well known people involved in this cruel practise that I am reluctant to name due to repercussions.

I believe there is and should be a bigger push to more ethical practices.

What do you really achieve from this act it is known to be a much different reaction and outcome in humans so what is being proved.

So I ask to stop inflicting unnecessary experiments on all animals and if people want to participate in experiments when I say go right ahead. But I do ask the question people who experiment on animals to me must have a very sadistic and uncaring trait.

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No 754

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation.

In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

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The practice of experiments on animals is cruel, unnecessary, barbaric and should not be allowed to happen. The government needs to stop this from happening.

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No 756

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Stop medical testing on animal species!

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No 757

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I cannot believe that in this day and age animals are still subjected to horrific and unnecessary experiments in the name of "science". Animal Cruelty is Animal Cruelty and it needs to stop and be replaced with more modern and more humane testing and evidence based options. These animals should be rehomed and not disposed of. I object to my tax dollars being spent to support this cruelty and as a consumer I specifically avoid items that have been tested on animals. Testing and Experimenting on Animals needs to STOP



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I have been aware of the inhumane and unnecessary use of animals for experiments for decades. It gets very tiring. When will humans wake up? It's ethically unacceptable.

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I would like to see the use of animals for medical research phased out as quickly as possible. In the interim period all animals currently suffering experimentation should be allowed to be adopted out when they have served their purpose and not killed (or to use the term experimenters euphemistically use, euthanased).

This is a tax-payer funded industry and I have no doubt that I am not the only tax-payer who would object to funding these cruel practices - if only they knew how their money was being spent. The problem is the industry lacks transparency and accountability.

The public do not know what goes on behind closed doors and they are kept in ignorance for a reason.

They would be appalled if they knew the true story of the awful suffering animals have to suffer for no good purpose.

Animal testing is outdated and unnecessary.

Humane Research Australia outlines substitute testing methods which do not involve animals. This is an opportunity for NSW to lead the way in preventing future suffering.

See <http://www.humaneresearch.org.au/replacing-animals>

Submission  
No 760

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The subjecting of any animal to medical experimentation is abhorrent. This cruel and abusive practice must cease. the enormous suffering and torture the animals subjected to this treatment is not just inhumane, it is effectively an immoral act and is tantamount to criminal in its conduct. There is ample evidence from overseas jurisdictions that there are a number of alternatives for medical advancements to that of subjecting animals to tremendous cruelty and abuse. This shockingly barbaric and savage practice should and must be outlawed.

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No 761

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I find the idea of animal experimentation abhorrent. While it may be beneficial in some instances in most cases it can be very misleading as we are not mice rats or dogs etc..

Also the fact that many different facilities are all carrying out the same tests at the same time and many more animals are suffering. Many of these tests are pointless and purely to achieve a grant from the government..

Sincerely

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No 762

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I oppose the use of animals in experimentation. I oppose the use of taxpayer money being used to fund breeding animals for experimentation. The practice of using animal experimentation is inhumane and cruel, it belongs to the history books. No animal deserves to suffer, live a life of isolation, barbaric practice when there are other methods available that do not involve animal experimentation today. Computer model systems and stem cell research have evolved providing scientific test findings making animal experimentation redundant and unnecessary today and in the future. Science has evolved enabling us to work with humane research models that do not involve animals used in experimentation.

Submission  
No 763

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I object to the use of animals for experimentation and welcome an inquiry into this matter.

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As a member of humanity, I implore you to face your own humanity and consider the ongoing use of primates (the closest being to humans) being used in science labs and for inhumane research purposes. Given we are now in 2022, we have other ways of testing substances that do not need to involve pain, anguish, distress and captivity often leading to the sacrifice of another being's life.

We are the caretakers of this planets, and this role includes caretaking all of its inhabitants. I extend my request that ALL living creatures be excluded from such practices. Please find your humanity and stop this outdated and unnecessary practice today.

Submission  
No 765

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No animals should be experimented on. They are living creatures who experience feelings and pain and cannot speak for themselves. The time of experimenting on animals is past. There are other options.



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Animal research is both barbaric and outdated. The lack of transparency is unacceptable in a so-called progressive country. Australian taxpayers are entitled to be privy to government funding and what this entails. Without this, there is no accountability. no independent assessment within the industry. Having undertaken my own research with voluntary human participants and the hurdles the NHMRC requires I am astounded even a fraction of the ethical considerations are acknowledged. For example, code 3.38 of the national code and care for animals in research states 'anaesthesia must be considered". Codes allowing subjective opinions are not acceptable. It is vital the government audit the number of animals used for experimentation and the outcomes to ensure state and territory codes are being adhered to. Most experiments on animal-based modes i.e., 90% plus do not translate to the human population and are, therefore, a waste of sentient lives and resources. The fact that sufficient anaesthesia and pain relief is not a requirement highlights the inadequacy of our leaders who display a high degree of speciesism. The secrecy attached to experimentation perpetuates distrust of our so-called democratic system and must be addressed. Organ chips, microfluidic chips, microdosing, Elisa test, TMS and imaging tests are far more successful, cheaper and more human. As humans with the capacity to achieve scientifically valid results without animal models we are ethically obliged to stop suffering and cease wasting taxpayers money.

Submission  
No 767

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I refer to Humane Research Australia's (HRA) submission dated 2nd March 2022.

The content of this perfectly states my own feelings on this matter. So I not only add my strong and unequivocal support to this but wish for you to note that my submission simply echoes the sentiment of HRA's robust submission.

Submission  
No 768

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I don't want the taxes I pay to be used towards the abuse of animals. Today was the first time I ever heard that my taxes go towards experiments on animals including breeding animals for experiments. This information should be available to all taxpayers.

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Please stop the torture of innocent animals - it could be us in those experimental laboratories.

- The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. Highlight the fact that you do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.
- Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.
- Highlight the cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates.
- Point out the range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and/or call for more government investment into these alternatives

The Deputy Chair on this Inquiry, Animal Justice Party MP Emma Hurst is fighting to end taxpayer-funded animal experimentation and give animals the right to be released and rehomed (Buddy's Law). She is also fighting to end the horrific near-drowning and forced smoking experiments.

Haven't animals suffered enough over the centuries? Karma could be just round the corner?

Submission  
No 770

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I wish there were no experiments done on animals.

Submission  
No 771

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It astounds me that we need an inquiry in 2022 into barbaric and cruel practices. These animals are vulnerable and helpless they need humans to do the right thing and stop using them for such activities. Thank you.

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To whom it may concern I do not have expertise in writing submissions however in my strong opinion I believe the experimentation on any animals is archaic, cruel & paramount to torture.

Please consider my request to halt these experiments. I do not have information relating to other countries polices & legislative frameworks in relation to this topic. I'm sure that eventually; weather in the next several years or decades this form of draconian policy will be eradicated in the main by pressure to governments by society. I am totally convinced that people/organisations that DO have informed information relating to this would be getting to you via this submission or through antidotal evidence. Don't sweep that information & my own submission under the carpet as I believe governing bodies will have a lot to Andre for -if not now but in the future.

Submission  
No 773

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No animal should be subject to medical experiments. Science has evolved and we have the means to test medicine, pharmaceuticals, cosmetics etc without the use of sentient living beings. In addition, tests on animals are not directly comparable to effects that what is being tested would have on humans. Humans have a different anatomy to animals, and at best results for humans can only be inferred. There are better ways to establish results, we do not need to still be doing this. It is unethical, outdated, barbaric, and unjustified and I do not support it. I also believe many of the general public would not be aware that this is happening in Australia. Many people look for “cruelty free” products such as cosmetics, laundry products etc, and I think would be surprised to know that this has not already been banned. It is thanks to the AJP for bringing matters like this to our attention that the general public get to have a say.



Submission  
No 774

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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Stop Testing on animals, has our worlds not done enough damage. Save our animals and stop allowing them to go through this. Do you not own a pet?

How would you feel if it was your fur baby, Or it's mum. Like it's principle!

Submission  
No 775

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Please ban animal experimentation. Animals feel fear and pain just like humans. It is unnecessary and people are more aware now.

Submission  
No 776

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I am appalled to find out the use of animals in science experiments is still ongoing. The methods used are highly outdated, with no accurate information provided from these experiments. This is animal abuse, please bring it to a stop.

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I am horrified to learn that animals are still being used in archaic experiments and when they are finished with them, they are killed. In this day and age, surely with all our expertise and knowledge, we don't have to use innocent animals. Why we need to use these creatures for smoking and repeated drownings is beyond my comprehension, and why they are "disposed" of when they could be adopted out doesn't make any sense. Tax payers are not happy that their tax dollars are going to this form of cruelty. It's time that all these facilities were closed down and all (if possible) animals should be rehomed. We are now living in the 21st century, and not the 16th century.

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Animals are sentient beings, science demonstrates that they feel pain and those whom interact with them in any have a responsibility to put their welfare foremost. Utilising animals as a commodity and creating undesirable physical, emotional and environmental suffering is unethical and unnecessary in these times. It must stop and be considered criminal if intentional and / or reasonably known suffering is created by any person or entity.

Submission  
No 779

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Animal experimentation is WRONG WRONG WRONG !!!

Would you like it if your pet was forced to undergo torture for nefarious purposes ??

If you care for all living creatures, of course you wouldn't like it at all.

All animals are sentient beings and must be cared for, not used and abused.

Submission  
No 780

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Sent submission in, thank you Emma

Anyone reading this - it takes less than a minute - if you have auto fill for name and address on your device, it will be even quicker.

You can copy and paste what I wrote if it resonates:

“As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not the way to go but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone’s conscious.”

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I would like to see the end of animal experiments on the grounds that its is cruel , inhumane and out dated, it is also a huge waste of money..

Peta has now proven this, and spent huge amounts of money to prove animal experiments on animals are in effective, they have showed with the new reseairch methods, there is no need for these experiments.

I call on testing and experimenting on animals to stop it is barbaric and has no use in these modern times.

We should not be causing animal suffering in this day and age.

Please no more animal, harm , suffering and needless animal deaths on experiments that dont hold up in human trials anyway.



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No 782

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Stop experimenting on all kinds of animals immediately there is no room for this animal abuse in our society and will not be accepted by myself ever. I will continue to voice this until all animals protected by OUR government.

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No 784

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I think sometimes we need to take a step back and remember we have no greater right to be here than any other animal. - David Attenborough

Submission  
No 785

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I find the use of animals in medical experiments , or any experiments for that matter , absolutely abhorrent .

For years I fought in Europe against animal medical experimentation - vivisection - only to become aware that it is still continuing to this day .I am disgusted that the practise is still continuing in Australia . I ask that this become an illegal activity to be discontinued immediately .

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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my disgust with the current practices surrounding animal experimentation in this country.

I am outraged to know that my taxes are going towards torture, pain and creating a terrible existence for countless animals. It is particularly distressing to know that there is no effort made to rehome or care for these animals who sacrifice so much once they are no longer needed. From my understanding, there are proven studies and other forms on non-animal experimentation that yield more appropriate results for their intended purpose. It has been shown that many lab studies on animals do not correlate to human purposes.

This government continues to be stuck in the dark ages and needs to make significant change in many areas to become one of the true pioneers in this modern world.

In the hope of real change....

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No 787

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please stop the needless suffering of innocent animals! We are now in the 21st century, I can not believe these barbaric experiments still exist at the tax payers expense. Please look at alternative science and stop the suffering 🍀

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No 788

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Please put an end to animal experimentation, cosmetics, vaccines, whatever you are testing animals with. Why are their lives less valuable than ours? Do you think they feel no pain, that they happily accept being prodded, pulled, filled with chemicals until they die? Well, they are in pain, they are sad, they are hurting, they are not born for your gratification. Our community has evolved now into looking at new ways, new thought processes, moving away from archaic ways of the past. There are many other ways to test artificially than on another life. Now is the time to STOP. Let's be more compassionate, start today!

Submission  
No 789

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Animal testing is bad because of the suffering that it causes to nonhuman animals, who cannot consent to their bodies being exploited and tested on by humans.



Submission  
No 790

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Please stop experiments on animals. It is inhumane and disgusting.

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I am a 15 year old girl, yet i believe i am more clever than most Australian politicians . This is why i know humans don't need to be he superior species. Why have humans decided to take of the earth and control it as though we have been here all along. Humans evolved from animals, we are animals. Yes, we walk on two legs, yes our brain may be more complex than other species but no, we do not have the right to abuse our power and use the vulnerable for our benefit. I always wonder, what time in the evolution of homosapians did we decide it's ok and natural to test the products we make, the products we want, the products that re-enforces insecurity to test them on monkeys or dogs or mice? I don't want to be aggressive, but, I do want to be heard sometimes.

Submission  
No 792

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Experimentation on animals **MUST STOP ENTIRELY**. It is cruel, barbaric and unjustified. No living creature should have to endure any form of testing in the name of 'science' or for any other reason.

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As a citizen of Australia, a voter and a human being I am out raged and horrified that as a nation of so called humane people we are still carrying out extreme acts of cruelty and testing on animals and especially primates. These beautiful and intelligent animals do not deserve a life exposed to what ever chemical or abuse we think is necessary to test on them.

This is disgusting!!!!!!!!!!

What sort of backward thinking political party could go on allowing this outrage to continue. ??

Come on politicians.!

Be a stand out and grow some brains.

Or maybe we could use you to be tested on.

How dare you use taxpayers money in this cruel and barbaric way! What a coverup!

Please end all animal testing NOW !!!!!

Submission  
No 794

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I feel extremely Strongly regarding this issue...

I consider using our helpless, innocent animals in experimentation to be Horrendously Cruel & in this day & age there should be no need to sacrifice our beautiful animals & put them through this hell & pain that they suffer every day of their lives!!!

It's an absolute disgrace and Totally inhumane!!!...

Submission  
No 795

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We adopted a Boston terrier cross who was used in an animal testing facility from 6months old until 4years old. We can't imaging what he went through and the emotional scars he will always carry because of what was done to him. He is anxious of new situations, people particularly me even loud voices or noises are too much for him. Despite all of this has has the most lovely nature and is a very loved member of our family. He was very lucky to be released from the facility not an amazing rescue group who spent a lot of time and money rehabilitating him but he should never had to go through this in the first place.

Animal testing must be stopped

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Please consider the following for this inquiry:

- Retrospective assessments of animal research to be mandatory as a condition of funding and made public
- A consistent process be introduced for publicly funded research to record expenditure that involves the use of animals that is accessible to the public.
- State and territory funding for the development of non-animal based scientific testing via incentives such as awards, scholarships or research grants.
- Prohibition on the use of forced inhalation research via NSW legislation
- Details to be published on the numbers of animals bred, but not used, for medical research, instead being killed for no purpose
- Plain language non-technical summaries of research projects
- Greater scrutiny of undergraduate and postgraduate animal use

Thank you.

Submission  
No 797

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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It is 2022 and absolutely diabolical that you are still testing on innocent animals who don't have a choice or a voice to say NO. This is beyond appalling and disgusting and must STOP.



Submission  
No 798

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Animal experimentation is outdated and barbaric. With all of the advances in technology, funding should be going towards virtual lab simulations. It would be more accurate, relevant and cruelty-free. Society is more attuned to animal welfare and as such lab testing should cease immediately. Animals also have a different body composition so just because tests might work on them, does not necessarily mean it will work on humans.

Submission  
No 799

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Please stop the use of animals in testing. Surely we have other ways to test what is safe and necessary.

Submission  
No 800

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal testing is outdated, barbaric and absolutely cruel.

It is not needed in this day and age when there are suitable alternatives

Submission  
No 801

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Let the human products be tested by humans

Submission  
No 802

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Name suppressed

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As a proud citizen and taxpayer of this country, I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation and cruelty. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted, and should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation. Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscience.

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Dear Inquiry

I have not previously been involved in this work, but am horrified by the thought of what is done to innocent animals. As a medical writer I completely understand that animal models are often critical steps in the development of new therapeutics for humans.

I have experimented on mice in the name of medical research, and found it ethically challenging to inflict pain and suffering on them. But cats, dogs, primates and other larger animals have higher thinking and feel pain. It is unthinkable cruel to trap them in a cage for their entire lives, and in that short and unpleasant life, to cause them pain and suffering. And then to 'euthenise' them rather than adopt them out so they can spend the rest of their days living a normal, happy life. It's horrific and even worse that my tax dollars are funding this industry.

Surely there are humane and evidence-based alternatives that can be used instead of torturing animals. Torture is a strong word but that is essentially what animal experimentation is.

I know this research is needed. But PLEASE look into ways this research can be done more kindly and with more care for the animals that live on this planet with us.

Submission  
No 804

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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Dear members, please cease funding animal experiments. It's time to stop basing human medicine on other species. This is cruel, expensive and does not result in cures to human disease or protect humans from harmful substances or medicines. Faster, cheaper and more accurate methods exist. These necessarily use no animals. "Cutting edge medical research" should not refer to blades cutting animals but to medical research which actually works. Microdosing, microfluidics, computer models, organs on a chip are but a few modern methods.

I link this website for your perusal <https://safermedicines.org/>

It provides information on the ineffectiveness of animal experiments and valid methods to immediately replace it. Let's make Australia a model of science, compassion and human health.

Submission  
No 805

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am opposed to the use of primates in "research." Their use is cruel, barbaric and outdated.  
Thank you.



Submission  
No 806

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal exploitation for any purpose is barbaric, cruel and unacceptable in this day and age. Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious

As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am completely & strongly opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness, this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science has found successful alternatives to this atrocious behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Submission  
No 807

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Inquiry into the Use of Primates and Other Animals in Medical Research.

Serious and prioritised efforts must be made to end the use of animals in experiments that put them at unnecessary physical and psychological harm. Additionally, as experimentation is phased out there needs to be efforts to revoke animals. Please end this inhumane and inefficient practice.

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Please reconsider the following:

Stop the use animals in research and find alternatives.

The need for greater transparency in animal

research and evaluation of its outcomes. Processes need to be made public.

The need for funding for the validation of non-

animal research methods. It's 2022, and time for humane methods of research that don't include the use of animals.

Prohibition of the forced swim test and forced inhalation research. Barbaric, cruel and unnecessary.

Submission  
No 809

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Submission  
No 810

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am deeply saddened that animals are still being used for research.

Surely in this day and age, this is unnecessary!.

In particular the "swim test" and "forced inhalation" research, should be totally banned.

Submission  
No 811

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Animals shouldn't be exploited for medical experiments. We live in an era where in order for science to continue to make advances its beyond comprehension that it requires animals to be part of this advancement. These acts of cruelty must stop.

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I am totally against the experiments of primates and other animals.

Laboratory testing is barbaric, cruel and unnecessary.

As a lover of animals of all species, there should be other ways to conduct experiments. Animals are given to us to be nurtured, cared for and to have fun and enjoy special moments with them not to be tampered and murdered in awful laboratories.

I have owned 3 dogs in my life time, birds and cats and they gave me so much pleasure, security and many laughs.

Therefore, please abandon animal experimentation in any shape and form.

I know this submission is short, but I wanted to keep it concise.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to comment on this topic.

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To the Parliament of New South Wales,

I would like to voice my disagreement with the government continuing to approve the use of primates and animals for experimentation and testing. Science has proven that all living, breathing creatures have feelings of pain and fear.

I believe the Policy on the Care and Use of Non-Human Primates for Scientific Purposes is outdated and requires improvement to consider the ethical and transparent treatment and captivity of all animals.

Animal tests have scientific limitations because animals often respond differently than humans when exposed to the same chemicals, leading to inaccurate estimates of real-world hazards to people.

Results from animal tests can also be quite variable, even between two species (such as mice and rats) and difficult to interpret. Unreliable and ineffective animal tests mean consumer safety cannot be guaranteed. In contrast, non-animal alternatives, such as human cell-based tests and sophisticated computer models, have replaced archaic animal tests and can deliver results that more accurately predict human responses. Non-animal alternatives can also be faster and much more cost-effective than tests that use animals.

Advanced non-animal tests represent the very latest techniques that science has to offer, replacing outdated animal tests that were developed decades ago.

Thank you.

International Bans | Laws | Project R&R ([releasechimps.org](http://releasechimps.org))

Ending Cosmetics Animal Testing | The Humane Society of the United States



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I am sickened by the number of animals (of any species) that suffer by testing products for humans. Sure there are SOME things that need to be tested before they are released on people (eg vaccinations) but I am totally against a lot of the testing unless it is ABSOLUTELY necessary & really does give a SOLID indication of suitability for human use. According to many papers Fauci has enabled many unnecessary tests, worldwide, on animals for mindless reasons that DO NOT benefit anyone. I've no doubt much of this sort of testing goes on in Australia too, and I am AGAINST it.

Its time we started treating animals with dignity - in science, medicine, farming, in the environment, etc

Submission  
No 815

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am utterly opposed to torturing animals in experiments. If we must use an animal then use a human so they can tell you what is happening to them. I imagine what you will hear will profoundly effect you, as the thought of the continued torture of animals profoundly affects my mental health.

Some of the animals used are used for decades. Decades.

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Fifty years ago vivisection in Australia was conducted in deep secrecy. Information about the cruel, weird and sadistic experiments conducted in labs was leaked to welfare groups by lab workers unable to bear the horror and cruelty they had witnessed. These people were willing to sacrifice their careers rather than continue in a shameful profession where psychologically perverted researchers continued to legally practise their dark arts. The research community eventually decided to go on the offensive by setting up 'ethics committees' and by spinning, through the media, the critical importance of torturing animals for human health. Ensuring continued government support by 'breakthroughs' etc, no challenge to cruel and out-dated vivisection in institutions and by entrenched researchers ie the development and use of technology to replace animal-based research, was considered or permitted.

It is a severe and tragic indictment of the state of medical research in Australia today that animals continue to suffer in unnatural living conditions and die in horrific procedures which are often based on flawed protocols, often just repeat previous experiments and prove nothing about human health. Researchers perpetuate the lack of transparency into the cruel lie that is vivisection and the huge industry that supports vivisection, wasting time and money that should be spent on opportunities for the development of progressive, non-animal technologies that would target human health issues rather than filling the deep pockets of big pharma and the research establishments, the NHMRC and the TGA etc, that continue to RESIST modernization.

Submission  
No 817

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When Joseph Mengaler did experiments during the WW11 it was a criminal act. What makes people think doing it to animals is any different.

I would hope in the next 75 years we as a society look back and realise how horrific you are.

I do not need excuses as to why you are justified, just stop and know you are morally wrong.

Submission  
No 818

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Stop experimenting on animals and paying for it with tax payers money. This is inhumane and unbelievable that it is still happening in 2022.

Submission  
No 819

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Testing on animals in no way relates to how medicine or anything else will impact the human body. Human bodies are completely different to any animal.

Submission  
No 820

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please put and to end animal testing in NSW.

You will help put an end to unimaginable suffering.

I'm shocked to hear that such testing currently goes on in Australia in this day and age.

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NSW Medical Experimentation enquiry

Cruelty on animals and unethical practice in Medical experimentation is a major issue.

The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

The cruelty of some of the experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is unacceptable and unethical.

I urge government to shift to alternative experiments and put more investment into humane, evidence based alternatives.



Submission  
No 822

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Please stop the use of cruel medical testing on innocent animals. This is 2022 we have computers and other means of trial testing without the need of using animals.

Submission  
No 823

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Animal experiments are barbaric. Kids who torture animals become psychopaths so why be complicit as an adult?

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Animal experimentation, I discovered from my years working as a community representative on the Animal Research Review Panel (in the Animal Welfare (so-called) Unit of the NSW Dept of Agriculture) is a process inevitably involving massive numbers of animals and intolerable (very often, totally unnecessary and fruitless) suffering, which is very well concealed by such as universities and research facilities at hospitals and which, if the community at large were aware of its magnitude and the abuse involved, would be outraged. This is WHY it is so well concealed. This industry, for that is what it is, needs to be the subject of an independent investigation and its use and abuse of animals, fellow sentient beings, needs to be taken away from such hopelessly compromised bodies as university so-called Animal Ethics Committees (which are dominated by vivisectors) and come under the surveillance and authority of an INDEPENDENT government-authorized and -funded Office of Animal Welfare.

Submission  
No 825

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Stop animal testing!!!

Submission  
No 826

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I find the use of animals for medical experiments inhumane, repulsive, and totally useless to solve human problems. this has been proven down through the years that these poor subjects have been tortured by Pharmo companies for profit.

Please find a way to stop this horrible cruelty.

Yours sincerely

Submission  
No 827

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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The very thought of using primates as research subjects makes me sick to my stomach.

Not only is it cruel, it is antiquated and should have been a methodology relegated to our past 20 years ago. There is no place for it in modern society and I would like to urge you to put a stop to it immediately as we move towards a brighter future for the non-humans beings we share our planet with.

Submission  
No 828

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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To whom it may concern,

There is no reason to continue to use animals for experiments and it should stop altogether. Regardless anything happening with the use of tax payers money should be out in the open to enable people to speak up for the animals being abused.

The animals didn't ask to be tortured and abused for reasons that are unclear to the public.

Any animal that has been through this ordeal should at least be enabled for adoption.

Regards,

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I strongly oppose any form of experimentation on animals for use in medical or cosmetic testing.

We do not have the right to subject any animal or sentient being to imprisonment, experimentation (effectively torture) or study to determine how a human being would react. Animals consistently show they experience fear, depression and grief when their natural rights are compromised, like any human being would.

There is absolutely no reason any animal should be subject to experimentation or be detained for the benefit of other sentient beings.

Legislation to protect animals is well overdue in this country, we already bulldoze their rightful homes in our beautiful country, and we cannot continue to oppress them in laboratories.



Submission  
No 830

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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This horrific , un-necessary and cruel practice needs to STOP immediately across the board .  
The lives of All animals are precious !!

Thank you for your time and allowing my submission .

Submission  
No 831

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Taxpayer funds should not be used to experiment on animals. Experimental processes on any animal should not be occurring in any country, let alone in Australia. Why are taxpayers unaware that their money is being wasted on something so inhumane? Living creatures, just like humans, deserve respect and freedom. Abolish animal experiments in this country and use the funds to undertake experiments and research that is ethical!

Submission  
No 832

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please stop experimentation on animals. Tampering with their bodies, minds and lives for curiosity and experimentation of any kind is not necessary in 2021 and is extremely cruel.

We have other alternatives for human relevant medical research and this is what we should be doing instead.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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I have long been opposed to the horrors of animal testing, we simply don't have any right to take the body and life of another individual and use it for our own purposes. To say that this is highly unethical is an understatement.

Some issues of concern are:

- The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers. I do not want my taxes funding cruel animal experiments.
- Why aren't animals rehomed after experimentation? Especially cats and dogs – they should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out. The ultimate in human arrogance and apathy.
- Some experiment are as pointless as they are cruel such as near-drowning and forced smoking tests.
- There are already a range of humane and evidence-based alternatives and where there are not there should be massive government funding for investment into these alternatives.

Animal experimentation for human gain is really not something we should expect in a civilised society. Animals have as much right as we do to live their life in a natural way and to imprison them and torture them is not acceptable.

Submission  
No 834

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation is abhorrent, unnecessary and just plain wrong. I am absolutely disgusted that taxpayer money is being used to fund the continued breeding and use of animals in experimentation.

This is our chance to shine a light on an industry that has kept the truth hidden from the public for far too long. Science is evolving, and with computer model systems and stem cell research, we can test so many things that will help human health, without sacrificing animals.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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The use of animals in experimentation is archaic and cruel.

Taxpayer money is being used to fund the continued breeding and use of animals in experimentation. As a taxpayer, I find this abhorrent.

Science is evolving, and with computer model systems and stem cell research, we can test so many things that will help human health, without sacrificing animals. The time has come to put animal testing in the past and to commit to a kinder and better way of conducting research. This is not how I want my money spent.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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# Partially Confidential

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I am writing to express my disgust at the barbaric and cruel treatment in labs for the purpose of so called science. Surely in this day and age this practice should of been outlawed years ago .

We have NO right to experiment on any animal and to leave them suffering for the sole purpose of seeing how certain drugs , cleaning products affect them .

Animals whether dogs , rabbits , primates , mice and the list goes on deserve to live a life they were born to. As humans what gives us the right to inflict and operate on these animals and to let them suffer a horrible life or death .

These so called scientist say for the betterment of human life , but what of these poor defenseless animals what are their rights ?

**NO MORE EXPERIMENTATION !!!!!**

Submission  
No 837

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Stop the damned animal testing. Inefficient and cruel



Submission  
No 838

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation. Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscience.

Submission  
No 839

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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I received an email from the animal justice party and it was very upsetting to see the poor little monkey locked into a metal holding device to have goodness knows what performed on him his name being Albert. Monkeys are our closest ancestors and its absolute torture to subject these poor creatures to such harm. Please stop experimenting on animals

Submission  
No 840

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Stop animal testing in NSW

Submission  
No 841

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please stop this horrendous cruelty. There is enough pain and suffering in the world without inflicting nasty experiments on innocent animals. Animals deserve better.

Submission  
No 842

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please do something to change the policies on animal abuse. To be specific for the purpose of this email, end the breeding of dogs to be used for experimentation. It is not only cruel but absolutely unnecessary.

Please decide to use the power you hold to make any possible changes to legislation regarding the protection of animals.

Kind Regards.

Submission  
No 843

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Again and again we learn that tourchering animals in labs doe not help with any research. The effects of drugs are different on animals and humans and there is no statistically significant reason to continue such barbaric practices. It is tye 21st century and time to update the law which requires these inhumane tests. Animals are not owned by humans and we do not have the right to breed them in jail like conditions for a lifetime of suffering. Please help us be the voice of innocent animals who are suffering in hidden labs across the country. Stop animal testing for good, time to act humanely rather than just looking like humans.

Submission  
No 844

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Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I support the submission into investigations relating to medical experimentation on animals. I support a need to ban Animal experimental research/testing across Australia.

Submission  
No 845

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Can we please stop breeding these innocent animals to be experimented on.. we would not do this to humans so other loving creatures do not deserve this. We are meant to be advanced in science but sidle doing stuff in outdated wAys



Submission  
No 846

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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STOP THE EXPLOITATION AND EXPERIMENTATION ON ANIMALS NOW!!!!

Submission  
No 847

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Science has progressed beyond the need for animal experimentation in so many domains. It is cruel, barbaric and inhumane. We must avoid animal experimentation at all costs.

Submission  
No 848

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experimentation is cruel and must be stopped

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I am strongly opposed to the use of all animals, especially primates, for medical research. Animals are thinking, feeling sentient beings, just like us, who can feel pain, anxiety, terror and happiness - just like us.

The justification that they are less intelligent than us, and that because we have power over them do do as we please because it is supposedly for the betterment of humans, simply does not hold water. If a species from another planet, more intelligent than us and with power over us so that we couldn't fight back, landed on earth and decided to do experiments on us because it might benefit them, would that make it OK? If it was you or your loved ones being experimented on, I bet you'd say NO!

In this day and age, there are multiple proven alternatives to animal use in research, with much more reliable results.

I am also angry and frustrated by the lack of transparency and secrecy in the research world with regard to the publishing (or lack of!) of data relating to animal use.

Time for a thorough forensic look and clean up of the animal research sector.

Submission  
No 850

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Stop using animals for experiments

Submission  
No 851

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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It's disgusting that you allow animals to be experimented on, surely there is a better way than subjecting animals to torture.

Submission  
No 852

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Using animals in this way is disgusting. It needs to stop. Animals lives are not for scientific purposes.

Submission  
No 853

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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Experiments using animals should be banned as they are so cruel and unnecessary . Very  
barbaric in this day and age



Submission  
No 854

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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**Name:** Name suppressed

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As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious."

Submission  
No 855

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I feel that animal testing is cruel and totally unnecessary. Animals have the same feelings as we do. This must end.

Submission  
No 856

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Primates and all animals are sentient beings, they feel pain, they suffer and they don't want to be tortured and abused. End animal testing and experiments. Use humans for testing and experiments.

Submission  
No 857

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Medical experimentation is abhorrent, totally unnecessary and cruelty of the highest level. Shame on you for allowing this to happen to defenceless, Voiceless sentients. Please use your powers to end this disgusting practice.

Submission  
No 858

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I do not want your taxes funding cruel animal experiments.

Submission  
No 859

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I don't want my taxes to fund cruel experiments that could be done more humanely. We should have a choice and so should animals. They have the same rights as us and shouldn't be used for our gains. That alone is cruel and unjust and the government should be more responsible for ethical practices. Please make fairer lives for every living creature not just humans.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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I would like to have my say in that I want to end taxpayer-funded animal experimentation or any animal experimentation for that matter. I do NOT support this animal experimentation and DO NOT ever want to support animal experimentation EVER!

The lack of transparency and accountability in an industry that is funded by tax payers is appalling.

Why aren't animals re-homed after experimentation.

They should not be 'euthanised' when they could be adopted out.

There is a whole wide range of humane and evidence-based alternatives.

I would only opt for the government to invest into these alternatives.

Being that no living thing is harmed or near harm or harmed as a side effect.

Without going through loop holes of saying that.

Animals should have the absolute right to be released and re-homed (Buddy's Law).

Why are they being euthanized? That is disgusting - thrown away like waste. They are a life. No one is given the right to play God. It is appalling. I 100% disagree with animal experimentation and euthanizing them, I DO NOT SUPPORT THESE ACTS OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

I also support to end the horrific near-drowning and forced smoking experiments that are disgustingly FORCED upon innocent animals.

Would you like it forced upon you? Or anyone you love? Or do you think this barbaric act is ok to force upon those who can't speak to defend themselves?

Completely barbaric and outdated.

**FREEDOM TO ALL ANIMALS AND TO THE END OF FORCED ANIMAL  
EXPERIMENTATION TESTING!!**

Submission  
No 861

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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The fact the animals are still used for experiments is absolutely horrific. In this day and age there has to be more humane ways of doing things. Animal experimentation is archaic and barbaric and not necessary. So many companies have already stopped this practice and so it should be across the board. Please consider other options and ban this awful and unnecessary practice.



Submission  
No 862

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animal experiments are out dated. There are so many new & exciting alternatives to replace Animal experiments that are torturous ending in painful death. Millions and millions of Lab Animals (in only a few years world wide) have been bred on farms, transported inhumanely all over the world, been tortured and killed, they endure extreme suffering for long periods of time and death for all of them and still NO cures for many diseases, ailments, medical conditions. It's time to Stop torturing Animals to death in the name of science, research or for anything. It is not morally or ethically right. Just because all of it is Legal,, Does not make it right. Stop using, abusing, torturing Animals in Labs, There are alternatives, maybe over decades and decades of using and killing Animals to have NO results for so many human diseases, it is common sense to stop torturing Lab Animals to death for Nothing. Thank You.

Kind Regards

Submission  
No 863

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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The breeding and use of animals for experimentation is a cruel and archaic practice. This dirty secret Australia hides must be widely exposed, and subsequently stopped. If it continues, then evolution truly has hit a glass ceiling.

Submission  
No 864

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please put an end to this insanity. It is not necessary, surely human are better than this!.

This makes most people ill. How anyone or any Government can stand by ad allow it is beyond us.

Submission  
No 865

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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As an Australian small business owner and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone's conscious.

Submission  
No 866

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I request you to consider putting and end to the use of animals for medical research.

Thanks,

Submission  
No 867

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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I lived in NSW for 58 years. I oppose the cruelty of using an animal's life for experimentation. Instead of the customary theory and current standard of plentiful evidence we assume is required, I challenge decision makers to examine their consciences.

We all know cruelty is wrong, no matter the justification.

Submission  
No 868

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
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Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Having read the hra submission I would like to recommend that at the very least the two recommendations that came out of the 1989 Commonwealth Enquiry be adopted immediately, particularly given that Australia has been cited as one of the highest users of animals in research.

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I wish to submit that I understand we need to keep some animals for testing for the sake of the human race, BUT, whilst keeping these animals they deserve to be housed in a situation that is fitting for them, not couped up in tiny cages, they deserve space, fresh air at least make their life comfortable whilst they are helping us.

Make sure there is always pain killers given when necessary as animals feel everything we feel with stress, anxiety, pain and pleasure.

Surely we can't rob them of their daily needs as living feeling creatures.

We can give them some quality of life as miserable as it probably is by instituting the above scenarios.

Regards,



Submission  
No 870

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

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There are some humans in Gail you could experiment on instead of experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates.

Submission  
No 871

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ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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The unabated abuse humans have committed on all other species and the environment have come back to bite us hard. Taxpayer-funded research (or any "research" on animals) is repugnant. Them having no transparency or accountability is akin to leaving a child alone indefinitely in a candy store. There is no need of animal testing anymore with the immeasurable advances in technology. These companies are for profit and, I have no doubt, would go to any lengths to justify their continuation. This must stop!

Submission  
No 872

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Animals should not be used for any form of experimentation.

It is cruel and unnecessary as the results obtained cannot be attributed to humans.

Submission  
No 873

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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STOP medical experimentation on animals.immediately

Submission  
No 874

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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As a compassionate human being, I find the truth of the cruelty of many to most experiments such as near-drowning and forced smoking, and experiments on primates is APPAULING!!!

Where is the compassion for these sentient beings? Our species has proved to act in evil ways to test and torture animals for information gathering, for products in the cruel guise of education. This is sickening and NO validation for the suffering!!!

Submission  
No 875

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Dear Sir/Madam

Please stop animal experimentation for medical purposes. There are increasingly more effective and sophisticated techniques to promote medical innovation safely. Procedures that maim and kill sentient animals are not acceptable in 2022. Please review and change these to move towards a sustainable and effective medical research culture moving forward.

Yours faithfully

, PhD (Clinical Psychologist and researcher)

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Ideally, I'd like to see all animal experimentation permanently banned and that in my opinion, the "ends" absolutely do not justify the "means". I believe that animal testing is immoral and antiquated. That being said, some recommendations that I support in relation to this inquiry include:

1. Much greater scrutiny, oversight and transparency into use of animals in research.
2. Federally funded research into the use of non-animal based testing.
3. Prohibition of use of forced inhalation research in NSW legislation
4. Prohibition of the use of the forced swim test in NSW legislation.
5. Commit to a rapid phase-out of primate research.
6. Commit to a rapid phase-out of research using dogs.
7. Commit to a rapid phase-out of research using cats.
8. Introduce mandatory re-housing of suitable dogs and cats used in research (current re-housing is voluntary).
9. Introduce a mandatory retirement for dogs and cats used in research of 6.
10. Fate of all species used in research to be reported.
11. Publish adverse incident statistics.
12. Make list of license holders publically available.
13. CCTV cameras installed in all research facilities.
14. Details provided of numbers of animals bred, but not used for medical research, instead killed for no purpose.
15. The ability for media and animal welfare groups to visit primate breeding colonies.
- 16 Plain language, non-technical summaries of research projects.

17. A national body for animal ethics reviews.

Thankyou for this opportunity to comment.



Submission  
No 877

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

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Sent submission in, thank

“As a citizen and taxpayer of this country I am vehemently opposed to any form of animal experimentation. In a world where we need more compassion and kindness this is not wanted but should rather be something left behind as one of the sad parts of our history. We cannot undo what we have done but we can change going forward. Science must find alternatives to this barbaric behaviour and I implore you to phase out all animal experimentation.

Intentional harm to sentient beings should not sit well on anyone’s conscious.”

Submission  
No 878

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animal exploitation for any purpose is not acceptable in this day and age, and with changing community expectations in relation to animal welfare. This outdated practice needs to stop ASAP, whether it be medical, cosmetic or anything else !

Submission  
No 879

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

Partially Confidential

**Name:** Name suppressed

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Please stop conducting experiments on animal. It is unethical and cruel.

Submission  
No 880

**INQUIRY INTO THE USE OF PRIMATES AND OTHER  
ANIMALS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

# Partially Confidential

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