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Dr Helen Mackie and Dr Debbie Geyer Lymphoedema Action Alliance Steering Committee Lymphoedema Action Alliance

Sent via: info@actionalliance.org.au

Dear Dr Mackie and Dr Geyer

## **Improved Treatment and Care for Lymphoedema**

I refer to your request for support to improve access to treatment for those suffering from lymphoedema as part of the Lymphoedema Action Alliance 2019 NSW State Election Platform.

In Parliament I have suppoted Lymphoedema Action Alliance campaigns and asked the Minister for Health a number questions including for increased funding, expanded services and publication of services on NSW Health websites. Additional funding would prove a good health investment, leading to fewer hospitalisations while significantly improving quality of life for affected people.

I share your concern about the difficulties getting treatment for this debilitating condition and if re-elected I am committed to again raising these concerns with the health minister.

Yours sincerely

Alex Greenwich **Member for Sydney** 

