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Dear Treasurer,

## Skin Cancer College Australasia Pre-Budget Submission 2022-23

The Skin Cancer College Australasia (SCCA) is the non-profit peak body representing more than 1,150 primary care skin cancer doctors and nurses across Australia and New Zealand who provide diagnosis and management of skin cancer.

Skin cancer is the most common cancer affecting Australians. Within Australia, skin cancers are the most common cancer managed by general practitioners (GPs). GPs who focus on skin cancer play a central role in the diagnosis and management of skin conditions, especially in geographic areas with limited specialist access.

As advocates for patients with skin cancer, the SCCA is committed to working collaboratively with the federal government and the wider medical profession to expand timely access to safe, high-quality and affordable skin cancer diagnosis and treatment.

We would welcome the opportunity to discuss with you and your department the recommendations described in our enclosed Pre-budget Submission.

Yours sincerely,

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