

First of all; **trauma** occurred by being terminated from my job at [REDACTED] for the first time in my life – after [REDACTED] in the aged care industry (which has **always** been severely short-staffed from the commencement of my participation in that industry in [REDACTED]).

- secondly, the unwillingness of any person in managerial positions to listen or agree with anything whatsoever said contrary to the Health Dept directive, was **demeaning**.

- subjectively all these co-erced, mandated injections **resulted in** colleagues, friends and family of long acquaintance to pick sides, as the government and media seemed to scapegoat anyone who did not comply. This caused severe depression for families, neighbours, colleagues and friends who became divided (social fragmentation) – and those scars run deep.

- Personally, I am a single person who takes care of my own elderly parent and we have been financially stressed since that termination date and looking into our **future** - as employers nowadays do not seem to be willing to hire people over [REDACTED]

- In the wider society, I witnessed continued stress in peoples' living situations in my neighbourhoods. Suddenly all the neighbourhoods that we traversed, had household goods out on the kerb from people that were forced to move en masse. **The rental stress** has continued to this day. Many landlords came into difficulty themselves (losing money / jobs/ businesses etc) and sometimes had to move into their own property or sell. As people became desperate to find a roof over their heads, landlords have continued to increase the rents without mercy – for the simple fact that they know people have NO OPTIONS and NOWHERE else to go, so simply will have to produce the cash and go without other necessities in life. Which became our situation also.

- the government states that no mandates are in place but have left it to businesses and industries to decide for themselves. Those employers that still insist on job proof (even though it is an **obsolete** thing to have), wonder why their staff are regularly ill and why they cannot attract new staff.

- This behaviour is clearly a case of common sense having departed amongst all the decision makers and we hope that it will return.