

## Compassion In Care

Recipient: Theresa May

Letter:

We call for Edna's Law and a public inquiry into whistleblowing in all sectors, because the Public Interest Disclosure Act and the Francis Review have failed to protect the public, the victims or the whistleblowers in any sector.

We call for:

1. ONE law to protect ALL whistle-blowers in ALL sectors - Edna's Law.
2. A public inquiry so that those responsible for wrongdoing, including victimisation of whistleblowers, or concealing wrongdoing are held to account and the wrongdoing of organisations and named individuals can be exposed to avoid recurrence.
3. That all those whistle-blowers who have been failed by the system and by the Public Interest Disclosure Act be given full redress.

Without accountability nothing can truly change. This is the root of the problem. It is impossible to build "a new culture" on an unjust and rotten foundation and to try to do so is to condone the past wrongdoing.

Edna's Law will protect the protectors and therefore protect the public.

Thank you

# Comments

Name	Location	Date	Comment
Christine England	Wolverton, England, UK	2014-10-03	The families of care home residents are not always informed when their loved ones experience abuse or accidents, even when the regulator is notified and after formal inquiries. As a care assistant who lost my job after reporting such incidents, it is difficult to know whether telling the relations might cause them more distress, though I would want to know. PIDA gives no protection to workers on zero hours contracts who raise concerns. We need Edna's Law.
zara pradyer	Chessington, England, UK	2014-10-03	Injustice and cruelty for one person is injustice and cruelty for all of us.
Kevin Murray	Newtownabbey, Northern Ireland, UK	2014-10-03	As a nurse who blew the whistle on the neglect and abuse of a vulnerable adult by my local trust, I have proved without a doubt that whistleblowing is professional suicide.
Aidan Hanna	Belfast, Northern Ireland, UK	2014-10-03	Healthcare Whistleblowers are still being referred to their regulators for hearsay employment issues. Disgraceful waste of time and money
Tina Quinn	Manor Park, England, UK	2014-10-03	It is essential that those who 'care' about those most vulnerable in society are protected from persecution when speaking out about any form of wrongdoing. PIDA has failed to protect whistleblowers and is not fit for purpose.
christina taylor	edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2014-10-03	My mum was abused in a Bupa Care Home. I protested for Edna's Law at Parliament Square
elizabeth moore	coalville, England, UK	2014-10-03	because abuse to the elderly and vulnerable must end
lynda sherlock	Birkenhead, England, UK	2014-10-03	because i was call a whistleblower by a chief executive even though i didn't work for the trust i was an ex-patient
Ella Andersson	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2014-10-03	I was a whistleblower and was never protected
Maha yassaie	chalfint St Giles, England, UK	2014-10-03	i am whistleblower myself
Tina Graham	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-04	I lost everything as a whistleblower trying to protect an unknown woman from a man who was dangerous .....sadly she is now disabled .....I don't want all I went through to be for nothing
Stephen Virelli	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-04	It is time we support and honour these courageous people who are willing to risk their careers and health to expose this cultural of deceit and corruption within the NHS
ELISABETH SHIELDS	Forres, Scotland, UK	2014-10-04	Farr too much of this sort of criminal activity takes place.

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Annette Thompson	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-04	Personal reasons
Charlotte Monro	London, England, UK	2014-10-04	The quality of our health services and care services is rightly a matter of public interest. Retribution against those who raise concerns and speak out is a profound injustice. I know how devastating the consequences can be for that individual and for the confidence of others to speak out. Yet those in a position of power whose decisions, actions or in-actions may have done huge damage are not held to account. A climate of fear is not compatible with care giving. Openness and shared problem solving is essential.
Sylvia Christensen	Alliston, On., Canada	2014-10-04	In defense of the innocent and vulnerable to abuse and their defenders - it is the right thing to do.
Cheryl Campbell	Phoenix, Arkansas, US	2014-10-04	I have seen the devastating effect that current practice has on the patients and brave caregivers who refuse to let the system cover up their carelessness. They must be held accountable, and policies must change.
Mark Taylor	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2014-10-04	My wife whistleblew and was hounded out of Job.
denis kenward	London, UK	2014-10-04	As a past whistle blower who was bullied by bosses i know the alienation and frustration at being 'punished' for doing the right thing. After disclosing Council Corruption i was sacked.
M'reen HUNT	Newmarket, England, UK	2014-10-04	Those who care need caring for.
Martin Smith	Sheerness, England, UK	2014-10-05	I find it incredible that it's not law already. Is this another case of business being more important than people.
elizabeth moore	coalville, England, UK	2014-10-05	no more abuse to the elderly
Mchael Mackay	Bowness on Windermere, England, UK	2014-10-05	PROTECTING HUMAN RIGHTS AND EMPLOYER'S RIGHTS TOO
Slavka Craig	Dunfermline, Scotland, UK	2014-10-05	Because despite what 'employment laws' claim, many whistleblowers get punished.
Stephen Andrews	Ipswich, England, UK	2014-10-05	I have confronted managers in Local Government and explained why/how things are not right - eventually I blew the whistle to the audit commission and life was never the same again.
Angela Sherman	Milton Keynes, England, UK	2014-10-06	Because people are dying, literally dying, because there is little protection for - and a systemic victimisation of - those who speak up about abuse and neglect.

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Mark McClafferty	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-06	It is important to be able to speak up without fear of retribution.
Delilah Hesling	Brighton, UK	2014-10-06	Victimising WBs is a known way to cover up harm or death of patients
Steph Turner	Poole, England, UK	2014-10-06	Those who try to highlight and call bad behaviour to account should be protected.
Suzanne Olsson	Jacksonville, Florida, US	2014-10-06	Protection- freedom of speech
steph sykes	Poole, England, UK	2014-10-06	I support adults with learning disabilities and so far any whistle blowing I have done has been acted upon. Unfortunately it has not been the case for colleagues and friends
Lady Maha Yassaie	Chalfint St Giles, England, UK	2014-10-06	i am whistle blower
Kerry Mason	poole, England, UK	2014-10-06	I believe in justice for those trying to protect
Sir Hossein Yassaie	Chalfont st Giles, England, UK	2014-10-06	Truth and transparency matter a great deal
Aimee Alley	Littleton, Colorado, US	2014-10-07	Common sense!
Alyson O'Connell	Blaenau Gwent, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-07	I am a whistle blowing nurse in the NHS. I loved my vocation and my passion for caring for those who need it is overflowing. However when I raised concern regarding unsafe, illegal, immoral practices, the trust thanked me. Management however protected themselves and the bullies and eventually I lost my job. I am however left with my dignity and integrity intact, but I am no longer able to be an advocate for those who were in my care!
Layla Vardy	Bedfordshire, England, UK	2014-10-07	For a colleague
Jane Spencer-Rolfe	Ipswich, England, UK	2014-10-07	It is wrong that ordinary people can be effectively silenced and pushed out of the way, to protect people with power - more keen NOT to blot their own reputation, than do what is right.
Emmy Butlin	Upminster, England, UK	2014-10-07	Through law is how we change our society.
Pamela Almaz	London, England, UK	2014-10-07	Oppression of the truth imposed by the State is a crime against humanity too far.
Elsie C	Wagga Wagga, Australia	2014-10-07	Exposing the truth should be a given right and not one prevented by fear and retaliation.

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melanie mcfadyean	london, England, UK	2014-10-07	It's crucial to care of everyone, respect for workforce and democratic basis of all working life.
Margaret Haywood	Liverpool, England,, England, UK	2014-10-07	I'm a whistleblower . we are brave and honest people
Catherine Shearwood	Bromsgrove, England, UK	2014-10-07	Whistleblowers are still not being protected and their concerns too often continue to be covered up.
Tina Graham	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-07	It is in our ethical framework that we MUST report risk and when we do we are attacked by the management
Bridgit Sam-Bailey	London, England, UK	2014-10-07	It is important to me because, as an older person not enjoying full health, I live in fear that I might have to be "cared for" if I live to an older age. I am not sure that I would receive the care to which I might be entitled. The reports I have seen of the ill treatment of people in care homes - and I actually saw in one case the lack of care given to someone I visited in a "care home" have left me full of disgust. The staff who care enough to speak out should be praised, not stigmatised. We must have Edna's Law passed.
Barry Todman	London, United Kingdom, England, UK	2014-10-08	It has the support of the London Region National Pensioners Convention
Delyth Jenkins	Llangain Carmarthen, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-08	As a whistleblower who reported abuse of vulnerable adults in a day centre run by Carmarthenshire County Council, I was bullied and harassed out of my job whilst the perpetrators and the managers who failed to deal with the complaint remain in their jobs, and some have even been promoted. My husband who works for the same Council is now suffering repercussions I believe due to me blowing the whistle. The Managers running this care service have failed to protect the vulnerable so why should they get another chance.
Diane Nolan	CATFORD, England, UK	2014-10-08	My mother was in residential care for 4 years before her death and I often felt a hesitation to speak out when I noticed [ I must stress MINOR ]concerns about the residents well being in case I might be asked to take my mother elsewhere. I am in favour of whistleblowing because there is often nobody to speak up for residents, particularly those who have no relatives.
,Maureen Ukairo	London, England, UK	2014-10-08	The proposed law is well thought out and the protection of vulnerable people is always necessary
Jennifer Brown	Pontyberem, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-08	I was/am a whistleblower my concerns were not acted on properly. Service users health continued to suffer. There was cover up and I was finally dismissed to prevent the actions of the POVA being independently scrutinised. It was a local authority care home for the older person. Because policies such as POVA, Complaints and whistleblowing were not followed properly, as I indicated earlier, the local authority

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			by also abusing the Disciplinary Policy to silence me, the whistleblower, covered up from relatives and regulating bodies including police that institutional abuse and actual criminal abuse was being perpetrated on a service user without capacity. Lack of training and an unwillingness by management to accept that problems existed allowed the continuation of the abuses to the detriment of the service users.
linda cordingley	rochester, England, UK	2014-10-08	Sister died after serious incidents in care and I am a exNHS employee who has tried to speak out and been bullied for what I have witnessed yet no one did anything
Stella Day	Orpington, England, UK	2014-10-08	We must have an effective law to replace the discredited Public Interest Disclosure Act so that whistleblowers can be protected and, in turn, vulnerable members of the public can be protected too.
Alex Shaw	Stoke-on-Trent, England, UK	2014-10-08	Lives are at risk.
elise holton	essex, England, UK	2014-10-08	i am a whistleblower representing myself in court and it is the hardest thing in the world to do
ELENA DIEZ	Cheshire, England, UK	2014-10-08	Society owes a lot to whistleblowers but people don't know
clive howard	northamptonshire, England, UK	2014-10-08	I am a whistle-blower and lost my job with the county council for doing so. A corrupt Management did not deal with the facts but distorted everything i was saying and no other agency would deal with the conduct of the county council or reporting of neglect and abuse to vulnerable adults.
Richard Isherwood	Heald Green, England, UK	2014-10-08	To protect the people who has the courage to fight corruption and wrongdoing
Mary Taylor	Eynsham, England, UK	2014-10-08	The safety of whistleblowers is important to everyone, whether they know it or not
Dorcas Walters	Birmingham, England, UK	2014-10-08	Fear of speaking out is totally destructive and allows bullying and intimidation to thrive.
Beverley Hickey	Basildon, England, UK	2014-10-08	Our vulnerable should be protected. They are being deprived of their basic human rights. I reported poor care practice and suffered the consequences.
kelly bray	derby, England, UK	2014-10-08	Care for the elderly should be taken seriously. Everyone realise on some care in there lives
Tracy Tattersall	Salford, England, UK	2014-10-09	Vulnerable adults should be protected and not abused
Zena Gavin	Worcestershire, England, UK	2014-10-09	People need to be protected and that includes whistleblowers! Whistleblowers should be rewarded as they are the people who are trying to protect vulnerable people

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helen bills	Nottingham, England, UK	2014-10-09	I work for the NHS community worker. I've visited lots of of a care homes and things need to change
Paul Byrne	Worthing, England, UK	2014-10-09	Family due to go into care home
Shelley Harris	Wolverhampton, England, UK	2014-10-09	Our elderly deserve to be protected from violence, who is protecting them in care homes? it seems no one and that is disgusting! Time for change, NOW
nicola harrison	Wakefield, England, UK	2014-10-09	Everyone deserves dignity in life careers should care not abuse anyone x
Anita Williams	Calne, England, UK	2014-10-09	I work as a senior support worker with adults with learning disabilities and am a whistle blower I have a duty of care to help stop the abuse of vulnerable people it needs to be stopped .
Katie Slack	Hanslope, England, UK	2014-10-09	Nobody wants to think of our elderly suffering abuse and the culprits getting away with it.
jo pebody	Bedford, England, UK	2014-10-09	The elderly need protecting from this abuse and people need to be held accountable
Catherine McTaff	Bradford, England, UK	2014-10-09	Its so wrong that people can get away with hurting the elderly. It brings me to tears.
Sharyn Mallinson	Keswick, England, UK	2014-10-09	S Mallinson
Carole Robson	Leicester, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am a Registered Nurse & also a Healthcare Manager and this story is heartbreaking, we need to support peopel to spak up!
Lynn Ankers	stockport, England, UK	2014-10-09	my gran was in a home and was abused. We knew it was going on and nobody believed us. My gran was sedated kept in bed and had a catherta fitted without consent.
Amanda Crilly	Tamworth, England, UK	2014-10-09	Far too often abuse is reported yet this abuse could be reported sooner if people weren't afraid of the consequences of whistleblowing
Lisa Rooney	Castlewellan, Northern Ireland, UK	2014-10-09	My nanny was in a care home for the last years of her life and she was treated with upmost respect. I wud hate to think this cud happen to anyone in care. We need to stand up to these pen pushers and demand sonething is done now before any other patient or family has to go through this x
Laura Hornby	Trawden, England, UK	2014-10-09	Care home abuse has to be one of the worst. Absolute Disgrace that we are not keeping the residents safe and allowing abusers to get away with it.
Susan Evans	London, England, UK	2014-10-09	because it is wrong to treat anyone in this way, in particular those who need assistance because they are vulnerable.

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Kelly Paulus	Brentwood, England, UK	2014-10-09	Abuse shouldn't happen in care so whistle blowers do the right thing if they see it
beverley davis	wolverhampton, England, UK	2014-10-09	the whistle blowing act is a joke its these people that are being sacked for telling the truth
Hayley Ford	Manchester, England, UK	2014-10-09	I saw an interview on Good Morning Britain and agree that whistleblower a should have the right to speak out.
Clive Sampson	Gravesend, England, UK	2014-10-09	Elderly people should be able to get decent care, feel needed and loved and made to feel safe. Abuse is appalling and people who do abuse should be held accountable and locked up.
Susan Santry	Coulsdon, England, UK	2014-10-09	To protect the elderly
Jane Eagle	Chelmsford, England, UK	2014-10-09	We must make sure the treatment of our elderly is respectful, kind and caring
Dawn Goodwin	Carlton, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am against cruelty to the vulnerable elderly. There should be better care forthem.
annette stocker	Rochester Kent, England, UK	2014-10-09	A.stocker
Jan Foster	Swindon, England, UK	2014-10-09	I have worked in a care home and seen the abuse and it shouldn't happen. The residents need to be cared and looked after for notabused.
Mireille Byrne	Worthing, England, UK	2014-10-09	Quality care for our elderly is absolutely essential.
Samantha Wright	Bury St Edmunds, England, UK	2014-10-09	Every human being has the right to be respected and cared for no matter how old they are. Every person working with the elderly must safe guard them. The person who decides to speak out because they feel care is not adequate should be listened to, respected and supported.
Pamela Wade	Beverley, England, UK	2014-10-09	It is important to me to stop abuse in Care Homes because it could happen to any vulnerable person
Ruth Clark	Croydon, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mother was in a care home before she died in 2005. Sustained injuries to her wrist she did not want to return, she died of a stroke in hospital.
Tracie Grieve	Hatlepool, England, UK	2014-10-09	To safeguard people who live in care homes
Paula preedy	criydon, England, UK	2014-10-09	Elderly & vulnerable people should be better cared for.
Sharon Rowley	Stoke-on-Trent, England, UK	2014-10-09	we need to support people who are brave enough to speak out for vulnerable people - majority of us know right from wrong

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Laura Mousley	Liverpool, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am signing because I believe the elderly in this country are treated appallingly.
Alex Kersse	Bexleyheath, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mum was in a good care home where she eventually died with dignity. Mym mum in law now has dementia and could be in a home before christmas and it is of great concern to me as my family were always very aware of what was going on and tried hard to speak up for those that had no family.....
Dawn Thomas	Thetford, England, UK	2014-10-09	I worked in a residential home for 22 years,& loved my job & the residents.
Jo Brown	Nelson, England, UK	2014-10-09	To protect the vulnerable. Stop abuse, and stand up against violence. the government needs to do more.
Val Beckingham	Kent, England, UK	2014-10-09	Because everyone has the right to be treated with care and compassion
Kath Briggs	Bowling bank, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-09	Could be my parent
Trisha Kent	Woking, England, UK	2014-10-09	I work in the care industry.
lee richardson	cardiff, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-09	People pay a lot of money to care for loved ones to be treated in such appalling ways, NOT acceptable.
sara wolff	London, England, UK	2014-10-09	After contributing to society all of your life no one should be fearful of old age on the basis that they might expect to live in fear of abuse in their home. This has to stop.
tina hayword	Leeds, England, UK	2014-10-09	very important
Cheryl Wright	Worcestershire, England, UK	2014-10-09	my mother was in a care home for the last 7months of her life.
Wendy Baker	Deal, Kent, England, UK	2014-10-09	I abhor Bullying & cruelty this must not continue it has to stop and be policed.
Carol Fields	High peak, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mum was in a care home and she had bruise and a black eye and broken bone in her arm. We where told that she had fallen. My mum died in 2008 but it makes you think what did happen to her.
Theresa Dixon	LONDON, England, UK	2014-10-09	My Gran was in a home,we often found bruises and marks on her but we had no way of knowing if she was being roughly treated?
Kathy Marder	great holland, England, UK	2014-10-09	I have an elderly Mum (85) and fear for her going into a home.

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Deborah Tomlinson	St Ives, UK	2014-10-09	This abuse has to stop!!
Caroline jaenicke	Canterbury, England, UK	2014-10-09	I was told to respect my elders now we need to PRTECT our elders
Lyndon Parker	nottingham, England, UK	2014-10-09	It's really disgusting that a human being could do this to a old defenceless person and then the government let it happen by not doing anything about it. do to them what they do to other lets see if they like it I'd volunteer to give out the punishment. lets do right by our old, vulnerable old people.
Amy Murray	Shirley, England, UK	2014-10-09	Im signing because when an elderly or disabled person enters a care home they are vulnerable - they can not speak up for themselves and they need protecting. I have experience of spending a lot of time over the last couple of years in care homes visiting my Father and I have seen both the positive and negative attitudes of staff towards the people they are responsible for. People who speak up to report poor care need to know they will be listened to without consequences on their careers. Accurate records of care MUST be provided - and this doesn't always happen.
brenda stephenson	draycote, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am a retired domiciliary care manager and have no confidence in inspection services it did not work 12 years ago and it appears that nothing has improved.
Victoria Smith	Warrington, England, UK	2014-10-09	Everyone one has a right to speak out and say when something's not right and should not be happening. Those who carry out these vile actions should be punished as those who allow it to happen and continue to brush it under the carpet!!!! People who take on the responsibility of 'carers' Should do so under the title and not just treat it as another day in work! A role like that takes care, compassion, understanding, and patience. If the shoe was on the other Foot and they were watching that kind of vile behaviour happening to one of their loved ones am sure they wouldn't sit back and watch it happen and continue to happen. Speak up and let your voices be heard, protect our vulnerable and elder generation as they have spent there lives protecting and caring for us in there families. God bless them all.
Marcia Hein	Wells, Somerset, England, UK	2014-10-09	It's appalling that the abuse doesn't stop when whistleblowers report it.
Linda Mcleod	Machen, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-09	As a society we abhor child abuse and and expect every report to be investigated.The second most vulnerable are the very elderly in care homes...so why do we allow whistleblowers who work in care homes to be ignored or constructively dismissed for bringing suspected abuse to the attention of the authorities.
Rebecca Akers	Aldridge, England, UK	2014-10-09	My nan had poor quality of care in her nursing home. Shortly after she passed away it was actually closed down.

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Angela Knowles	Bradford, England, UK	2014-10-09	The staff who abused Edna should not be able to get away with it. Something needs to be done to stop this happening again.
karen northam	Bovey Tracey. Devon, England, UK	2014-10-09	I have worked in a care home, and reported someone for abuse, but i was taken off the shift, and the person i was complaining about, was doing my shifts. I heard the head carer shout FxxK Off to a resident.
Nia Lewis	Wallington, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mother spent the last few years of her in a care home
christine yardley	stourbridge, England, UK	2014-10-09	As a family we had a bad experience of a so called care home regarding our mother. Upon reporting this matter to various people also writing to our local NO at the time no one wanted to know. This was 20 + years ago and still nothing changes. It's time the government brought in laws to protect the vulnerable in society.
Laraine Danks	Dunston, England, UK	2014-10-09	This abuse of the elderly who have no way protecting themselves MUST stop now. You cannot help getting old. These people who are cruel to the elderly must be prosecuted through the courts are put in prison. They should be ashamed of themselves.
Lisa Holland	North wales, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-09	I'm signing this because this has happened to me when I raised concerns. I became unemployed because I could not lower my standards and refused to work somewhere where I could not trust the management.
Marisa Zatorsky	LONDON, England, UK	2014-10-09	Things must change.
Trevor Cooper	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-09	Personal experience of bad care.
chris sullivan	essex, England, UK	2014-10-09	Have an elderly mother but also all the elderly that do not have someone to watch over them
Elizabeth Easton	Lancashire, England, UK	2014-10-09	My father-in-law also had a bad experience prior to his death at two different care homes in Oldham. Plus, I believe that any vulnerable person deserves care of the highest quality.
Ann Hall	Ruislip, England, UK	2014-10-09	My dad died in a care home, I'm doing it for him
Pauline Corbett	Leeds, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mother in law has just passed away in a nursing home that had unresolved care issues which we could not get to the bottom off
Josephine Hill	Harrow, England, UK	2014-10-09	MY MUM HAS ALZHEIMERS ONE DAY SHE WILL NEED TO BE IN HOME ONE DAY
John David Baker	Winsford, UK	2014-10-09	I have whistleblowed in the past and know others that have, and people have been victimised and lost jobs when they

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			have. . . we need to protect whistleblowers, and through them patients
MADELINE COOPER	Epsom, England, UK	2014-10-09	my mum was treated with care that was a disgrace in her home-HEATHLANDS CARE HOME CHINGFORD E4
Deborah Cole	London, England, UK	2014-10-09	Father in care home
Richard L Peacocke	Poole, England, UK	2014-10-09	A close friend has been damaged in this way and this law would have prevented that happening.
Trevor Mitchell	Andover, England, UK	2014-10-09	Lack of care generally for the elderly in our society
Josephine White	Isle of Wight, England, UK	2014-10-09	Elderly folk are vulnerable, and only mindless bullies would treat them badly. Also, i am coming to the stage where i may be a resident myself and the thought fills me with dread!!
JY Edgley	NORTHAMPTON, England, UK	2014-10-09	Old people need protection.Plus I may need the services one day. :-)
FILZA CHAUDHRY	Slough, England, UK	2014-10-09	No-one deserves any kind of abuse!!!!!!!!!!
Susan Morgan	Brixham, England, UK	2014-10-09	I suffered serious life changing injuries from private surgery in 2009.I was given tablets, which rendered me unconscious and was restrained in the private hospital enabling expensive surgery to proceed.I was about to leave as i had turned up with a severe coccyx injury and the anaesthetist left me alone to discuss postponing surgery.In my case the nurses did not 'blow the whistle' to warn me that tablets i was to take were in fact sedatives, and would render me unconscious and unable to leave.These nurses chose to protect their superiors and their jobs.Five years on i am still very ill,and require more surgery.I have lost a 30 year career,i was CQC Rgst as a Skin Clinic.I am unable to return to any form of work due to pelvic injury.I sincerely hope that Edna's Law becomes recognised,because there are many patients like myself that have suffered because THERE ARE THOSE WHO CHOOSE NOT to blow the whistle in protection of the vulnerable. My life has been ruined because no one protected me in a private hospita
kevin cowell	congleton, England, UK	2014-10-09	because the elderly deserve love and respect.
Sarah Christine Stephenson	Newcastle Upon Tyne, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am a carer for my 92 year old mother and I had also been a carer for my late father. I had also worked for the Care Quality Commission and was horrified at the extent of poor care towards the elderly. One question I always asked myself is what happens to those who have no voice who are trapped in these terrible places. Before I worked for the CQC, I with my brothers were determined that our parents would never enter a 'care home.' I am single and therefore am not torn with my own family for time etc. I have never trusted care homes for a variety of reasons and what has

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			been highlighted is how malpractice is kept quiet. whistle blowers must be protected and so I readily sign this petition.
Rebecca Paulus	Brentwood, England, UK	2014-10-09	the elderly deserve to be treated with more care and abuse needs to be put to a stop.
Jude Nash	Tadley, England, UK	2014-10-09	You place people you love and care about in the hands of strangers, sometimes at a high monetary and emotional cost and to think they may not be treated well makes me shudder. Care homes should have the same standards and inspections as schools, nurseries etc. How is a child different from the elderly? Mainly they are not and need to be looked after with more care. I also think cameras in care homes would be a good deterrent as the bullies may think twice before acting.
Bob Pounder	Ashton under Lyne, England, UK	2014-10-09	This is a matter of justice. Quite often people in charge of the public services, those at the top of their respective organisations either cover up wrong doing or are deeply involved with the wrong doing itself and often a bit of both.
Clarissa Clary	England, England, UK	2014-10-09	Something needs to change!
James Easter	Benfleet, England, UK	2014-10-09	We need to move beyond blame and start fixing problems. We cannot do that if people with legitimate concerns are victimised.
Jane Platts	Tadworth, England, UK	2014-10-09	Because our care homes do not look after older people properly, with dignity and respect. It shouldn't be happening in this day and age we need to protect them
Vickie smith	west wickham, England, UK	2014-10-09	My dad is in a nursing home with end stage parkinsons
Hilary Jarman	March, England, UK	2014-10-09	It is wrong if people know there is abuse going on in any kind of care home & do nothing. We hear it happening time & time again despite changes in the law & inquiries.
patricia cunningham	Plymouth, England, UK	2014-10-09	we need to stand up and be a voice for the residence of the care homes ...i used to be a care worker , luckily none of my clients were abused ,if they were i would be shouting from the roof tops until someone heard me..stop this abuse NOW .
David Simpson	Hertford, England, UK	2014-10-09	My parents are both in less than satisfactory conditions but everyone involved feels traps in a failing system when it comes to policing conditions and feeling confident in the care they are receiving..
Gail Hall	Caldecotte, England, UK	2014-10-09	everyone has the right to be treated with love, compassion and dignity
Vicky Fereday	Tamworth, England, UK	2014-10-09	As a student nurse I feel it is important to not only safeguard our vulnerable patients but to ensure that if we are to come across any form of abuse we will feel confident in reporting it. From the Francis report etc the lessons

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			should be learnt and no one should be afraid to stand up and shout to the top when they know someone is being abused in an environment they should be being looked after.
Lisa Dear	Southend-on-Sea, England, UK	2014-10-09	Some people are not honest and good people. The honest and good people shouldn't be punished for speaking up about those who aren't. Or punished for speaking up for those that can't speak for themselves. Most people are too afraid to speak up for fear of the repercussions. There needs to be protection for those that are brave enough to speak up. X
Debbie Cary	Tamworth, England, UK	2014-10-09	Some families can't look after their family member and they hope when they leave there loved ones to be cared for, they don't expect or pay for them to be abused.. These disgusting people should pay dealy for what they put elderly people through. IT'S WRONG, VERY WRONG AND HAS TO STOP
Suzie Minnican	Farnsfield, England, UK	2014-10-09	I am a Dementia Carer.
Patricia O'BRIEN	Nr Coventry, England, UK	2014-10-09	We lost our dear mom last year she was only in the care home for 6 weeks before she died the care home has additmitted neglect I am devastated and can't seem to move on as I feel so guilty.
Jan Savage	Belvedere, England, UK	2014-10-09	My mother in law had dementia and was lucky to live in a good and caring home, there are many that are not as fortunate.
Jane Moore	Trewassa, England, UK	2014-10-09	Great care for our elderl. It's not an option to ignore abuse.
catherine wroblewski	notts, England, UK	2014-10-09	Edna's experience is one of many, the video speaks for its self, we must act now and stop this horrific treatment of our vulnerable people.
Richard Fullwood	Dudley, England, UK	2014-10-10	I will go to any demo supporting Edna's Law because I have seen television programmes like Panorama Behind Closed Doors of what can happen and as I have no family I am very frightened that it might happen to me.
donna burgan	South Croydon, England, UK	2014-10-10	People need to be cared for with dignity and respect. It is about spending time with someone, talking to them, finding out what their needs and wants are. Not just doing the basics of cleaning and feeding.
Malcolm Thimblethorpe	Ipswich, England, UK	2014-10-10	My mum in law ,neglected badly in care home.many many issues
Catherine Manning	Bristol, England, UK	2014-10-10	Because we need to treat the elderly with care and respect.
Jonathan Mason	London, England, UK	2014-10-10	Whistleblowers need protection

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Annette Bigrigg	Workington, England, UK	2014-10-10	Parent in care
Paul Midgley	Cleckheaton, England, UK	2014-10-10	If society destroys the family then we need to ensure the states care of the elderly is up to standard.
Catherine Long	Swindon, England, UK	2014-10-10	Because we need to provide the best possible care for those that have shaped our generation and created our opportunities. We owe it to our ageing population!
wendy hirst	Peterborough, England, UK	2014-10-10	Melanie Shaw needs protection not imprisonment on falsified charges
Karen Clifford	shoebury, England, UK	2014-10-10	this needs support
G R	Bridgend, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-11	First and foremost is to protect the patient. Then protect the frontline nurses as well as the employer. Therefore, individual accountability of the NMC is a must in all levels of nurses in the register whether they be nurses in the frontlines or nursing directors. At present the NMC fail to hold to account nursing officials who fail in their duty of care to their frontline nurses who raise genuine concerns for 1) the protection of patients, whether they be about patient safety or improving standards of patient care; 2) ensuring that the foundation knowledge of the future nursing workforce are evidenced based and current; 3) ensuring their support to the frontline nurses who suffer mental health problems ( due to working hard, doing job responsibly and raising genuine concerns ) that they continue to work effectively, safely and not lose their jobs or their nursing licenses just because of the length of time they were sick or allowed to be sick by not facilitating services or adjustments when needed.
Julie Talent	Cambuslang glasgow, Scotland, UK	2014-10-11	I feel strongly about getting
Margaret May	Hatfield, England, UK	2014-10-11	My mother suffered ill treatment at the hands of the NHS
Philip Kanaar	London, England, UK	2014-10-11	The head honchos think they are gods
Anne MacDonald	Wishaw, Scotland, UK	2014-10-11	I was a nurse in the NHS and knew of abuse. My grandmother was mistreated by a nurse and the hospital enquiry took the side of the nurse. My gran did not want a fuss over it but we the family reported it. She asked for help (aid) to walk to the toilet and the staff nurse told her she could do it herself, after she had been told by senior nurse to ask! My gran fell and was severely bruised. That nurse started shouting at gran calling her stupid. The nurse was stupid. I would never neglect a sick person in need in my job. I was disgusted with the outcome. My gran became very sick after this trauma. It brought her down and she

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			developed infections, and ended up with a bowel infection. She died a few months after that. She begged us to get her home as she didnt want to die in hospital. That experience traumatised her so much. She had faith in the nurses and it took one aggressive selfish person to ruin that. Needless to say we arranged for her to get terminal care at home.
Graham Willetts	Ryde, England, UK	2014-10-12	I'M Seventy and on my own
Caron Sprake	Exmouth, England, UK	2014-10-12	because those who whistleblow care, those who punish them do not!
Donne buck	Peterborough, England, UK	2014-10-12	I have been in hospital many times in my life, from childhood to my 80th year. My experiences have varied from appalling and harmful to caring and helpful, but I have never been able to obtain an apology when I have reported bad practice and harm.
Davina Adams	Swindon, England, UK	2014-10-13	This is very important to me, i cannot imagine the suffering these 'care' monsters have caused - Please sign to help prevent this happening to your family in the future - Thank you xx
Ann Reed	Cowes, England, UK	2014-10-13	Because I have two aged parents who may need to go into care, and I want them to be safe, and I want the people who care for them to be able to be the best, and ensure everyone else does the best.
Janet Mooney	Twickenham, England, UK	2014-10-13	Quite simply, it is wrong that no action is taken in areas involving health and welfare of vulnerable people, once concerns have been raised> It is also, clearly, wrong that so called whistle blowers may be too afraid to report abuse or failings in care.
Kate Dury	Exeter, England, UK	2014-10-15	I have seen a lot working in care for 14 years and it should be stopped.
Tina Graham	Bournemouth, England, UK	2014-10-15	Whistleblowing cost me dearly - my job, my health and it did not stop a violent attack ...my career is in ruins, lies were told, documents with held from Tribunal, when there was no risk policy in place for 4 years ! That is what the management tried to conceal. Suicides investigated without impartiality. A woman is now disabled, a man now in prison, and those who couldn't be transparent still in well paid jobs...
Brian Lee	Dagenham, England, UK	2014-10-15	I believe that all whistle-blowers should be protected.
alyson O'Connell	Ebbw Vale, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-16	I am signing this petition because I know through personal experience that there are huge deficits in the existing system

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Lee mich	Milton keynes, England, UK	2014-10-17	Transparency is the only way forward for the care of vulnerable people. More people might come froward if they weren't afraid of the consequences of speaking out
Irene thornhill	Mawdlam, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-17	We need to know our hospitals are safe and those reporting failures are protected from adverse repercussions
Joe Joskow	Haverhill, England, UK	2014-10-18	The Department for Constitutional Affairs 30 times.The justice Department 6 times.The Department of Health 47 times.The DTI which is now the BIS Department 21 timesThe BIS Department 6 Times.The Home office 3 times.Just because you brush off the responsibility to act on an issue, one that effects some of the most vulnerable does not make the issue go away, does not diminish the importance of a subject close to so many peoples hearts and above all, will not cause those who have come so far already to give up on their families, friends and people in serious need of protection.
Lawrence Miall	Milton Keynes, England, UK	2014-10-18	Because it is the RIGHT thing to do.
Karis Le Winton	Essex, England, UK	2014-10-18	I am a whistleblower, having lived through the lies that make up the protection laws. Seeing the truth with my own eyes, these current laws are Killing vulnerable people daily. As a nation we need to take responsibility and face facts : STOP LINING YOUR POCKETS, WASH THE BLOOD OFF YOUR HANDS and CHANGE THE LAW !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
duncan peterkin	london, England, UK	2014-10-18	all need protection against Bullies
Susan Gibson	Milton Keynes, England, UK	2014-10-19	Caring for my Husband at home until he died, as he didn't want to go into care.
maria abrahams	ramsgate, England, UK	2014-10-19	I work with adults with learning disabilities and am often their voice and have made changes for them by confiding in management against staff but at times they haven't been able to act because I would be known to have reported them. Edna's law is a positive breakthrough for the victims and the people trying to protect them
mair jones	Denbigh, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-19	Because i was a whistleblower and PIDA failed me
Laura Horton	Denbighshire, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-19	It's about time the truth came out!
Adrian Clegg	Mirfield, England, UK	2014-10-19	Whistleblowers need protection when blowing the lid off of corruption!
Kenneth Oliver	Gateshead, England, UK	2014-10-19	Shocking that someone loses there job for whistleblowing

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Lyn Ireland	Hull, England, UK	2014-10-19	Because these things should not be happening in care homes or in hospitals (as was the case on NUMEROUS occasions with my mum after being admitted for a hip op came out with her face smashed in and horrendous bedsores and then went in for an xray on her knee which transpired to have nothing wrong apart from a slight twist and never came out at all but died the most horrendous death you can imagine) - I am petrified of going in to hospital or into a care home because of what happened to my mother - we have been trying to get answers but have got nowhere and even the agency we used to help us look after mum says she was abused on the ward and we should contact a solicitor - the 'skin tears and bruising she had were heartbreaking and yet we cared for her for many years - if she had been admitted to hospital with these injuries we would be in jail but now so why should nurses get away with it - they cannot blame the management - or staff shortages - they were just plain nasty people
kate moss	didcot, England, UK	2014-10-19	As a health care worker we need to be safe when we report unsafe practices
Sikiketty Obaye-Dagogo	Leeds, England, UK	2014-10-19	I am signing because I know that whistleblowing should not be taken as an act of threat but a credit to the organisation as it does away or highlights bad practices which need to be dealt with and eliminated as soon as it is evidenced as this puts the organisation in a bad light if tolerated. So please take action and do not shoot the messenger.
minh alexander	Peterborough, England, UK	2014-10-20	So that the vulnerable are protected and the State must act
helen sansome	whitwick, England, UK	2014-10-20	I whistle blew now on a zero hour contract and not worked for 5 months
Treena Westwood	Southampton, England, UK	2014-10-20	people should not be punished for highlighting discrepancies within their organisation. We all want the best for our clients/residents/patients and if we know that abuse is taking part, then by not saying anything we become an accessory to the abuse... I have been a whistleblower before and I would do it again!
Keith Lord	Porthmadog, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-20	People who have the courage to expose wrong doing should be protected by law not and not subject to bullying or corruption.
susan Vaughan-jones	Denbigh, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-20	Because they are brave people who tell the truth and should be respected and their evidence acted on .
Ady Saxman	Mirfield, England, UK	2014-10-20	When there's wrong doing whistleblowers should not be isolated for exposing the truth!
Margaret E Broome	Cirencester, England, UK	2014-10-20	I have been in there more than once in my 30 years of nursing. I have colleagues who have lost their jobs because they blew the whistle.

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rob bird	Crawley, England, UK	2014-10-20	The atrocious stuff at the NHS has to stop
Camilla Drennan	London, England, UK	2014-10-20	Because abuse happens and it needs to be stopped
jane gadsden osborne	england, England, UK	2014-10-20	i work along side elderly, my mother is elderly and i worry for elderly people in care many thanks
Ian Cresswell	Morecambe., England, UK	2014-10-22	Whistleblowers have to be protected no matter what the cost. If there was no wrong doing there would be no need for whistleblowers.
jane appleton	norwich, England, UK	2014-10-23	i reported verable abuse to a manager, nothing has been done about it,and as a bank worker i have not been informed what has happened or been offered any more shifts!
Linda McFadzen	Sidcup, England, UK	2014-10-23	I believe it's the right thing to do!
Selena Vane	Kingston upon Thames, England, UK	2014-10-24	....they need support and the awful things that happen if they don't get it, and for just trying to help straighten an awful issue out!!
Ian Young	Arlesey, Netherlands	2014-10-24	Safety and security of those who dare to speak up.
Kathleen Gildiing	Richmond on Thames, England, UK	2014-10-24	I could be Edna one day. I have no family to protect me.
Helen Oakes	Ruthin, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-24	It must be important to everyone.
Peter Wakeham	Luton, England, UK	2014-10-25	Because I am a whistleblower suspended from work for the last 6 weeks.
Dick Bain	Llanybri, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-25	Too many good people are afraid of their superiors at work to report bad behaviour, that must change
Angela Richards	Aberdare, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-25	My late father suffered in a local so called 'care' home and it was all covered up,
Tricia Clark	Gillingham, Kent United Kingdom, England, UK	2014-10-26	My Mum had Vascular Dementia and had a good standard of care.....eventually!!! After certain members of staff were removed! More power to those who are fighting for better care for such vulnerable folk
Alan Davies	Aberdare, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-26	I saw the at first hand the effects of bullying of a whistleblower by senior staff in the NHS.
Maureen Jenner	Kidwelly, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-26	I believe in free speech and justice - for everyone.

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adrian fielder	basildon, England, UK	2014-10-26	Because anyone who covers things up is condoning criminal behaviour! Anyone persecuting a whistleblower in anyway is perpetrating a criminalact!
patrica southern	pembroke dock, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-10-27	I was a whistleblower in a care home and ended up being sacked. Management did not believe me.
Sandra Bogarde	Gainesville, Florida, US	2014-10-27	It's time the innocent and honest are supported and protected, not forced to suffer in silence.
Maria von Hildebrand	Bristol, England, UK	2014-10-27	I'm signing because Whistleblowers need respect and protection.
Richard Harris	calne, England, UK	2014-10-27	I have whistleblown myself, recently and am terrified of it coming back to bite me.
Bernadette Nasfi	Milton Keynes, England, UK	2014-10-29	Babies and children need much more protection. This should never have happened and could have been avoided. Terrible waste of yet another life! It has to stop right here right now!!
Amy Whitehead	Doncaster, England, UK	2014-10-29	Change is needed
Andy Bradley	(Brighton), England, UK	2014-10-29	Need to develop an open culture
Rach Todd	Scunthorpe, UK	2014-10-30	It's a cause that need serious looking at
Anne Ricketts	Basingstoke, England, UK	2014-10-30	A whistleblower could be saving your life.
Nigel Hobro	Wallasey, England, UK	2014-10-31	Because even in a financial case my treatment as the whistle-blower was bad
Mira Makar	London, England, UK	2014-10-31	Because corruption is endemic and therefore if people was their pay cheque each month they must do what is required and not what they know is right. Secondly prosecutors refuse to prosecute meaning the protection of the state does not work; there is no curtailment; and offenders get to keep their proceeds of crime. Care homes have come to be identified with property transactions; leveraged deals; and the siphoning off shore of interest thereby not paying the tax that is properly due. In addition they are used to siphon public money because the state must make provision. Also the referral mechanism is endemically systemically corrupt because the referrers are allowed to have a commercial interest. By this mechanism the state has failed to deliver either the protection it is obliged to do, or curtail wrongdoers or protect the public purse. This problem applies in all sectors. It has arisen because it is easy to milk the public purse (eg PFI deals) because the officials believe that by outsourcing they have outs

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Patricia Dianne Matthews	coventry, England, UK	2014-10-31	Spoke out about abuse on several occasions, complaint brushed under the carpet and was told to leave People who fail to report abuse should face a criminal charge and put behind bars for the same time as anyone on the street would get for GBH
Marge Durban	Milton Keynes, England, UK	2014-10-31	My friend lost her job for whistleblowing in a care home.
frank harris	burton on trent, England, UK	2014-11-01	I hate cover ups
Tracy Boylin	Bolton, England, UK	2014-11-01	To protect and enhance patient safety and the vulnerable
Sophie Bown	Kingston, England, UK	2014-11-02	Elderly people deserve the greatest of respect
Terry Hockett	Southend-on-Sea, England, UK	2014-11-02	Because we need more openness about what goes on behind closed doors and to make the management more accountable.
Simon Maddrell	London, England, UK	2014-11-03	People under care are either helpless or so dependent that
Rhianydd Martin	Southampton, England, UK	2014-11-03	As an Education sector Wbr, I was victimised, made ill then dismissed. Edna's Law would give better protection than PIDA 1998
Marie Olea	London, England, UK	2014-11-03	.
Philippa Wheeler	London, England, UK	2014-11-03	Because it can't be allowed to go on - I have seen the mistreatment in hospitals and I suspected it in a BUPA home where my mother-in-law was - we removed her.
Christina Rosetti	London, England, UK	2014-11-03	Because ALL whistleblowers should be protected, but ESPECIALLY those responsible for the health and or well-being of others.
katie vandermeer	chessington, England, UK	2014-11-04	to protect the vulnerable
Peter Dawson	Chesham Bois, England, UK	2014-11-05	I have been a victimised whistleblower
kevin christian	Liverpool, England, UK	2014-11-06	I am a whistleblower
Sharon Bradburn	Telford, England, UK	2014-11-08	All Care Homes need Cameras! Abuse and Neglect is going on far to often, it's a disgrace! My Mother was abused and lucky a staff member alerted me to what was going on. Other families are so lucky! Law needs to be changed!

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Neville Rigby	Pimlico, England, UK	2014-11-09	It's time to clean up the Augean stables
Mandy duMagnee	Porthcawl, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-11-09	I work in the care sector and see wrong doing and report to senior management and they do nothing about it. I have reported wrong doing in the past and because I was in my probationary period the organisation were going to dismiss me but my union advised that a compromise agreement be signed. This is wrong, whistleblowers are not protected and you need to whistleblow anonymously for fear of losing your job.
Anne-Marie Struggles	Gibraltar, Gibraltar	2014-11-14	This is important and will safe guard those who care enough to speak out
Francis Buttigieg	Gib, Gibraltar	2014-11-14	It's the right thing to do!
Charles James Sisarello	gibraltar, Gibraltar	2014-11-14	its a basic right
Jayshree Bakrania	London, England, UK	2014-11-17	protection in care effects all of us
Fiona Furness	Cramlington, England, UK	2014-11-17	I'm signing because, as a behaviour teacher consultant, I raised concerns into adverse treatment of children by local authority staff, hospital neglect which caused the untimely death of my Mum, and then also Police and IPCC disposal of criminal evidence. I have been dragged through hell for many years by those authorities for merely raising concerns and standing by them. I have been publicly smeared; I had my records altered; I had my phones/emails/texts/post hacked and sometimes those of my friends; I have been subjected to false arrest with deliberately humiliating treatment in public; and had my CRB/DBS ruined! I have been unemployable for several years, lost all my savings trying to combat this injustice but then lost my home. There were witnesses aplenty in each incidence, yet all were coerced or threatened into changing their stories, with the exception of medical staff who voluntarily lied on oath during an Inquest. If only it had been illegal for such authorities to apply such draconian silencing measur
Miriam Margolyes	London, England, UK	2014-11-18	Without brave whistleblowers, patients & the elderly suffer. They need this protection.
Matthew James	Sydney, Australia	2014-11-18	I hate Bupa, they are criminals left to feed off defenceless people they are vial.
natasha healy	Brixham, England, UK	2014-11-18	I'm signing because I was a whistle blower for a nursing home in administration and I believe in Eillen Chubb
Roy Carrier	Belvedere, England, UK	2014-11-18	It defies logic that whistleblowers should not be protected.
Rachae Dyke	Brixham, England, UK	2014-11-18	My Mother has Alzheimer's disease, unable to communicate & has challenging behaviour. She was physically abused

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			by Staff & suffered broken arm & bruising. Csci (CQC) were ineffective & disbelieved me. Because she was self funded, I was able to move her to a superior specialist Dementia Unit (RMN & RGN qualified staff 4 years ago. She is now settled, comfortable & compliment. Staff at the previous home were untrained and over worked also under the threat of losing jobs & leaving to leave UK, they were unable to 'whistleblow'
Olga Calder	DEAL, Kent, England, UK	2014-11-18	I have never forgotten the frightened look of an elderly patient whose room stank of stale urine when she saw the attendant entering her room.
Rajesh Bakrania	London, England, UK	2014-11-19	I have experience of poor care homes and mismanagement by Social Services
Minnie Stacey	Liverpool, England, UK	2014-11-19	We don't live in a democracy and we need to.
John Martin	Sydney, New South Wales, Australia	2014-11-19	Far too many of our elderly are subjected to mistreatment, and this includes being put on powerful psychotropic drugs that render them near-zombies. They deserve comfort and as much quality life as they can manage, and respect at all times!
Carrie Wright	Canberra, Australia	2014-11-20	This is important for a healthy democracy
Tom Grimshaw	Glebe, New South Wales, Australia	2014-11-20	Wrong-doing should not be protected from being exposed.
Patricia Kershaw	London, England, UK	2014-11-20	My mother in law was neglected in hospital. My husband and are now in our seventies. Who knows what could happen?
Chris Ellis	Ipswich, UK	2014-11-21	Whistleblowers need the opportunity to raise genuine concerns without the fear of being penalised for doing so. Edna's Law will be a significant step forward in helping to protect the safety of vulnerable older people whilst in care.
TAMAR FEAST	Nottingham, England, UK	2014-11-22	I'm signing because I read Eileen's article in the Guardian Weekend and was compelled to support her efforts. Caring standards for our elderly is something that I feel is neglected in society. Eileen Chubb: my new Heroine of the Year!
sarah pond	Hitchin, England, UK	2014-11-22	I have experience of working with vulnerable adults.
Eva Roach	Hastings, England, UK	2014-11-23	Agree with Edna's Law wholeheartedly.
J T	Berlin, Germany	2014-11-23	I consider it my human right as a patient that people who see wrongdoing are speaking up for me. Equally I consider it my duty as a citizen of a democratic society to whistle blow myself, if managers or others try to cover something up (whatever the industry). This is ethical, responsible behaviour

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			to improve society for all of us. Not supporting improvement and critical challenges is wrong and should be punished.
Ian Alexander	Peterborough, England, UK	2014-11-23	WB safety is essential for patient safety.
sian jenner	Pershore, England, UK	2014-11-23	As a therapist it's so important to be able to speak out, to be listened to and your voice valued!
Naomi Wimborne-Idrissi	Woodford Green, England, UK	2014-11-23	As carer for my elderly mother, reliant on care professionals for support, I need to know that anyone with information about inadequate care will be protected if they speak out.
Jane Evison	Madeley, England, UK	2014-11-24	It is essential that the plight of older vulnerable people is exposed in care settings . Institutional abuse is prolific and unfortunately being mistakenly considered to be acceptable practice by staff and relatives .
Lorraine Clark	Normandy, England, UK	2014-11-24	I want people to flag up bad practice cruelty and corruption, in safety and confidence
Andy Roles	Arnold, England, UK	2014-11-24	I'm am sick of reading about the injustice meted out to whistleblowers whose sole aim is to do the right thing and expose wrongdoing and corruption etc. There needs to be a law in place to prevent such injustices from happening.
Tim Hart	Lampeter, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-11-25	Because the persecution and/or failure to protect whistleblowers is a disgrace and PIDA is hopelessly adequate.
Jackie Stoddart	Sheffield, England, UK	2014-11-26	I am still Spartacus.....
John Clarke	Derby, England, UK	2014-11-26	This law is desperately needed. Currently, even if acting in the public interest as a whistleblower, speaking out often comes with extreme personal risk. Those who are honest get attacked and those they try to protect are left exposed to a risk which could be stopped. This cannot continue. People die because of this ridiculous state of affairs. Time for change...
Paul Barbara	London, England, UK	2014-11-27	Because corruption often exists within 'Normal Channels', and perps will be protected, as happens in high-level paedophile cases.
Michael Kalmanovitz	London, England, UK	2014-11-27	All whistleblowers require justice!
Camille Allen	Torquay, England, UK	2014-11-28	I have reported bad practice in a private care home. All ignored and covered up by the owner. The abuse most likely continues as I type. Whistleblowers are NOT protected. I fully support Edna's Law.
Martin Williamson	Shrewsbury, England, UK	2014-11-28	Not enough safety nets.

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Sally Willcock	Uckfield, England, UK	2014-11-28	My mum has just died. The way she (except for the last 12 months in a different care home) has suffered at the hands of poor care and we have suffered too is appalling. There were people in Manor Gardens that knew it was bad, but who didn't dare do anything about it. It needs a sea change in culture
Karen Harding	Romford, England, UK	2014-11-29	We could see the staff at the local hospital treating patients with disrespect, like lumps of meat, no one listened to our concerns, they wouldn't let us stay with our relative while they changed them, but the screams said it all. This law may help others in care & in hospitals in future.
Jean Haydr	Manchester, England, UK	2014-11-30	I've lost my job and career even though it was proved in a court of law that I made a Public Interest Disclosure, did it to the right person and the Judge believed it was in good faith.
Margaret Went	Llandrindod Wells, Wales; Cymru, UK	2014-11-30	I have relative who in this situation at present, reporting problems to manager but nothing getting done even when the same person and problems are reported by other members of staff as well. They have a young family and are already below the breadline so are scared, & stressed what would happen if they went higher as another staff member tried and lost their job and all bonuses due.
Anne-Marie Fewell	Dereham, England, UK	2014-12-01	It is disgusting that people are victimised for speaking out about abuse and/or bad practice.
Elizabeth Morton	Surbiton, England, UK	2014-12-01	It is vital for our democracy quality of services that whistleblowers be supported and protected.
Gail Drew	Kenilworth, England, UK	2014-12-01	I'm signing because I am having difficulty getting my adult son with a Learning Disability moved from a poor care home.
Richard C Jones	LEIGH-ON-SEA, England, UK	2014-12-02	I'm signing because I believe that all that is necessary for the triumph of evil is that good men do nothing.
Elaine Mackover	London, England, UK	2014-12-02	I agree with this just law
Heather Irvine	Bootle, England, UK	2014-12-03	I have been through it and am sick of the abusers getting away with it whilst the whistleblower is told they must have misinterpreted the situation. Sick of the cover up
Phil Miller	London, England, UK	2014-12-05	Give Whistleblowers the protections they deserve.
Joost van de Loo	Amsterdam, Netherlands	2014-12-06	Protecting people with integrity when they stand up against wrongdoing is the best way to improve our institutions.
Naveen Srivatsav	Singapore, Singapore	2014-12-06	I believe wrongdoings continued despite exposure and knowledge is a flagrant crime against human rights and employers should be held accountable to ensure their organizations do not perpetrate such acts.

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Karen Sutton	Wolverhampton, UK	2014-12-07	The culture within these organisations must change and it must become easier for people to speak out without fear
Sinead Goggins	Rednal, England, UK	2014-12-08	I'm signing because a close family member is in the process of going through court for whistle blowing and was dismissed from her position.
Emmanuil Papavasileiou	London, England, UK	2014-12-08	Because this country needs a shift in culture. Currently wrongdoers are favored and those who expose injustice punished.
Winnie dowling	Epsom, England, UK	2014-12-08	culture of coverup exists plus fear of reprisal if you speak up. Colleague spoke out and was removed from her post and her fitness to remain ward manager was brought into question. Duty of candour - exists in print only, not in practice
Gordon Maclean	Birmingham, England, UK	2014-12-09	Some of the people in powers of position with in the NHS do not seem to be accountable and go to considerable lengths to ensure that they are not. now that may be a misguided view on my part but these changes to whistle blowers would allow the courts to decide and give a clearer view of the intentions of these people
Nickolas Grace	London, England, UK	2014-12-10	People must be able to speak the truth when they see an injustice, and remain protected by the law.
alan humphreys	Sheffield, England, UK	2014-12-11	because i and my sister sasha who died a few weeks ago are victims of abuses.see pictures on my twitter victimofgov_nhs see my web.<a href="http://www.alan-rightsfighter.com" rel="nofollow">www.alan-rightsfighter.com</a> good luck we are all in it together other's dont realise it effect's THEM as well because if we dont stick together it will only get worse.
Daniel B	London, UK	2014-12-11	to stop terrorism. The Terrorism Act says terrorism is putting the public in fear for ideological reasons. IMO managers attack whistleblowers for ideological reasons. The managers ideology is the strong beliefs "the universe revolves around me", "my happiness is supremely important" and "I should never be sacked". Motivated by this ideology managers attack whistleblowers to create a culture of fear e.g. the Clapham Rail crash was caused as an inspector saw loose wiring but said nothing because he did not want 'to rock the boat'
Yee-Liu Williams	New Malden, England, UK	2014-12-16	Justice should always prevail.
Cristel Amiss	London, England, UK	2014-12-17	I'm signing because whistleblowers speaking out are critical in the absence of truth and justice.
N A	Oxford, England, UK	2014-12-20	Suppression of the truth is the enemy of democracy.

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David Walker	Letchworth Garden City, England, UK	2014-12-21	I'm signing because it is vital to protect whistleblowers who can find themselves put in the wrong instead of the real miscreants being brought to account.
Joyce Chown	Huntingdon, England, UK	2015-01-05	With my unconditional & eternal support for Edna's Law.....just utterly dismayed & appalled that this petition has to be done to highlight the failings in our so called 'HUMANE & CARING SOCIETY'!?!?
Ross Wilson	Poole, England, UK	2015-01-07	Whistleblowers are heroes who try to change our society for the better, they need protection.
Jacquelyn Jones	Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK	2015-01-07	This is highly important and should be implemented urgently.
Mike Jones	Wokingham, England, UK	2015-01-07	Too many cover-ups
Eileen Minshull	Stockport, UK	2015-01-07	Think we should protect the courageous and vulnerable and not covering-up, ignoring of abuses
Imogen Potter	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2015-01-07	It is ever more important to protect Whistleblowers who expose the criminal acts of those who wish to keep them secret.
Peter Davis	Sowerby Bridge, England, UK	2015-01-07	We need to make hounding whistleblowers illegal.
Peter Chave	South Molton, England, UK	2015-01-07	Power to the People
Jeff Carroll	North Anston, England, UK	2015-01-07	I care about how we care
Elizabeth Higman	Harrow, England, UK	2015-01-07	It's appalling that people are hounded out of their job for telling the truth.
chris stead	Wyke, England, UK	2015-01-07	I thoroughly agree with the petition
Roger Barton	Sheffield, England, UK	2015-01-07	People shouldn't suffer intimidation because they have the courage and decency to expose wrong-doing.
tony wilson	Bristol BS16 3PY, England, UK	2015-01-07	Whistle blowers have courage and must be protected.
Dale evans	London, England, UK	2015-01-07	Its a disgrace that whistleblowers , particularly in public sectors (thus paid for by our taxes) are still being hounded, buried , destroyed. They deserve full protection, support and compensation.
Mary Heath	Bury, England, UK	2015-01-07	I've just been listening to 'You and Yours' on radio 4

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william friend	Shaw, England, UK	2015-01-07	My mum is in a good private care home, but many are not as lucky. And one day i will be old.
Barbara Christoforou	Taunton, England, UK	2015-01-07	we should protect the vulnerable, and prosecute the wrong-doers
janet Harriman	March, England, UK	2015-01-07	It would protect vulnerable people and those who care for them
Tom Kennedy	Bristol, England, UK	2015-01-07	It should be illegal to ignore the evidence of whistleblowers. This would empower the conscientious in the struggle to uphold the standards to which our society must adhere.
Simon Wainwright	Birmingham, England, UK	2015-01-07	Whistleblowers allways drive up standards
Joe whittaker	Preston, England, UK	2015-01-07	The abuse of people behind the closed doors of both large and small institutions, is a national disgrace. One way of stopping this abuse is to encourage people, working in these institutions or delivering these services , to speak out about incidents. Staff in such a situation require the protection of the law.
Stanley Paraskos	Brighton, England, UK	2015-01-07	People have a right to be safe when trying to put a wrong Wright
Mary Murphy	Kirkintilloch, Scotland, UK	2015-01-07	I am signing because I have lived through 68yrs of life watching injustice in every area of life. Work bullying and jealousy forces many people out of a job and the perpetrators remain in situ to keep/allow wrongful bias to flourish. The bully is promoted and so the couldnot care less control in the care and educational establishments is entrenched. Bullying of staff/patients and pupils continues unabated.
Georgine Whiting	Stevenage, England, UK	2015-01-07	Care for our elders and vulnerable should be a first class service and care workers who feel their only option to expose abuse is to whistle blow, need our encouragement and protection.
Lara Chopin	Newton Abbot, England, UK	2015-01-07	Whistleblowing out of compassion and/or regard for the law and the protection of vulnerable people is a matter of honour and requires courage in the prevailing deterioration of standards and care provision. It defies belief that in a civilised society such measures have become a necessity.
Liam Tully	Birmingham, England, UK	2015-01-07	I'm signing because whistle blowing is important in a democracy. It is a disgrace that often whistle blowers are made victims and the organisations and individuals exposed seem to escape real consequences. Whistle blowers should be given extra protection in law and if they are targetted it should be made a criminal offence. Often whistleblowers are low paid and women so that is probably one of the reason why they are not given more protection. It is time for real change and real change now!

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Robin Narayan	Twickenham, England, UK	2015-01-07	People who act in good conscience, in the interest of others deserve protection and legal support.
Julie Dare	Weeton, England, UK	2015-01-07	I believe my elderly mother who died in October 2013 may have been abused in the latter stages of her life when she entered a care home with Alzheimer's. I found it to be extremely difficult to fight alone against a system which connives to support this kind of abuse due to the huge public and private funding of the care industry and attendant financial interests of companies involved in this sector. I also believe the industry should pay those doing the caring appropriately to afford them a better stake in their work. I was very shocked to see how how crassly Alzheimers patients are dealt with by all aspects of the care system including the NHS. In the future this will be viewed as as much a scandal and shame to our current society as the Magdalene homes, sending children up chimneys, etc have shamed our forebears. Unless people come into direct contact with the care system, they tend to be unaware of the many problems, in particular of routine abuse.
Sarah Aleck	London, England, UK	2015-01-07	I am sighning because my mother was in a The Royal Hospital for disability , where she had lived for 30 years , after a change in management , she developed a pressure sore which led to her death as it was so deep it was inoperable , after making many complaints to the home , care commission & our MP we went to the police who did a year long investigation into my mothers care , they found there was neglect , but as there was no law against neglect against disabled adults , the only law they could of prosecuted was of gross neglect cooperate manslaughter , which would of been intentional neglect , rather than bad management no training for staff into pressure sore management , as these are totally preventable .
Richenda Elliott	Kenilworth, England, UK	2015-01-07	I work within the NHS (Acute Mental Health). I care passionately about delivering the best quality of care. Compassion, care, commitment, communication, competence and courage.
Kenneth Murray-Taylor	Carn Brea, England, UK	2015-01-07	I believe that this law, if implemented, would create a more just system.
Janet Stead	Uckfield, England, UK	2015-01-07	I understand only too well how abuse of the elderly continues and has to be stopped
David Aspinall	Newcastle upon Tyne, England, United Kingdo, England, UK	2015-01-07	I am a serial whistleblower and have suffered dreadfully because of it.
Jeff Baynham	High Wycombe, England, UK	2015-01-07	Responsible whistle blowing is the right thing to do to effect change for the better when other routes have failed. It is a fundamental freedom of speech and opinion.

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Derek Jones	Saxmundham, England, UK	2015-01-07	I have been a mental health nurse for 30 years, and taught professionals for the last six years. One of the subjects I taught on was bullying and harassment. I can tell you that I don't think I ever had one person that thought they would be protected if they whistle blew, and many that had done watched their career dive. Lets have proper protection for people that want to do the right thing but are petrified of doing so at the moment. Derek Jones
Jacqueline Birrane	London, England, UK	2015-01-07	I listened to Eileen on Radio 4 today and I totally agree with this campaign
SYED HAIDER ABBAS	Luton, England, UK	2015-01-07	I'M UNDER CARE NHS SEPT SINCE 1994, AND HAVE A CARER
liz busch	berlin, Germany	2015-01-07	I support this worthwhile petition because I believe my mother was treated in a manner that was below normal expectations when in hospital. She told me on several occasions that staff had mistreated her, and I did not believe her or react to her complaints. Now that it is too late, I wish I had....
Gordon Wyles	Crowthorne, England, UK	2015-01-07	I think whistleblowers should be encouraged and there actions should be fully protected by law
Steve Smith	Langton Matravers, England, UK	2015-01-07	Whistle blowers deserve proper protection & they aren't getting it enough at the moment. Too many powerful chief execs & organisations bullying them & ending their careers rather than addressing the problems the whistleblowers raise
Julia Hawkins	Crickhowell, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-01-08	From working in the public sector, I know how hard it is to whistle blow with the current set up.
Srinivasa Krishna Thalagavara	Pontyclun, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-01-08	Current PIDA has failed to protect whistleblowers and deter the bullies from harassing and victimising whistleblowers for speaking up for good of the general public.
Finola Moss	Sheffield, England, UK	2015-01-09	As we are all being bullied by the state for profit. Poor practice and cover up is rife and no one is allowed to expose it, and survive or even get their story unless allowed by the state into the media.
jayne s	Wickersley, UK	2015-01-12	I am signing this petition because 1) I care about people. 2) I was treated badly after whistleblowing in a care home.. I lost my job... why? Defensiveness and because they can get away with it.. Not safe to speak up!
Rosa Demetriou	London, UK	2015-01-13	As an RGN I care about my patients and demand they have safe first class care
Bernie Rochford	London, England, UK	2015-01-14	As a whistle blower I have direct experience that the PIDA does not work or offer any protection. At best it can only provide retrospective vindication and that is only IF 1) you can work through the farce of the NHS whistle blow system without giving up and then 2) afford to pay approx. £1250 to

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			take your case to an ET and then 3) successfully work your way through self-representing* yourself against a tax-payer funded team including a Barrister, Solicitor, paralegals and team of Directors from your NHS organisation who are trying to stop you (*these cases may be too expensive and complex for a union to support you and they may well have their own separate political agenda to boot) and then 4) be able to successfully present yourself and your arguments in a legal and clear concise way to the level of that of the tax payer funded Barrister that you are contributing to for the other side and then if you survive all that and you ...5) win your case, you will then ... be vindicated. At what point are you prot
Veronica Male	Moulton, England, UK	2015-01-14	I am signing because I am worried about poor care in Care Homes/Hospitals and that when an employee raises a concern they are victimised
Delilah Hesling	Brighton, England, UK	2015-01-15	I was a whistleblower and suffered repercussions..I now help people to raise concerns
Carole Orgell-rosen	London, England, UK	2015-01-16	Registered nurse managed integrated health and social care ,investigated and reported suspected elder abuse. Absolutely committed to dignity and respect for older people in care. Mother died in care and I was lied to about circumstances of her death until was informed pm needed . Not cause of death but have been fighting to gain the truth about circumstances of her death and to ensure does not happen to anyone else. Abuse is not simply about physical or financial abuse abuse happens due to lack of respect respecting dignity and failure to act
Gayle Everest	gibraltar, Gibraltar	2015-01-16	There's nothing dishonourable in ' raising concerns'. It shows willingness to care about the job you are. Those who fear and fight transparency, accountability & honesty need to check their ethical standards, move out of the way to allow people who really care about others & let them do the job their paid to do. Self preservation has no friends in high quality care, you need to go!
Jacqui Gale	Cheltenham, England, UK	2015-01-17	Transparency and listening to protected whistleblowing underpins good care
Dee Speers	Woodcote, England, UK	2015-01-17	If a country is judged on care for its most vulnerable citizens UK plc must be way down list!
Kathleen Leedham-Green	London, England, UK	2015-01-17	This is based on a large consultation and goes a long way to right an obvious problem that would be in the public interest to address
Chris Dalziel	Staffordshire, England, UK	2015-01-17	we have been fighting for justice for the last seven yrs. Time and time again you hear the same old story ...WE HAVE LEARNT OUR LESSONS. but have they NO WAY. We need to fight for Whistleblowers they should not be concerned about losing their jobs for telling the truth. Next and

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			foremost Patient safety should always come first. Edna's Law is Vital.
Sara Russell	East Grinstead, England, UK	2015-01-19	I'm signing because I have an elderly relative in a care home and would hate anything like this to happen to him or any vulnerable person in any care home in the UK.
keeley Pontes de Almeida	France	2015-01-20	I'm signing because this is important. My best friend is a whistle blower. She has lost her job and has been living hell trying to fight for those who are helpless and are being mistreated.
David Hamer	Southend-on-Sea, England, UK	2015-01-21	Because I know someone who needs this !
Leanna Hartshorn	Ripley, England, UK	2015-01-21	I'm totally agree with all the above.
Teresa Cochrane	Retford, England, UK	2015-01-21	This should never ever happen
Pauline Edwards	Canvey Island, England, UK	2015-01-22	I used to be an HCA For an agency & I did once have to complain to my agency about the treatment of clients in an NHS home & strangely enough was never asked to work there again!!!
Julie Daniels	Lancs, England, UK	2015-01-23	Those in our society that witness wrongdoing and speak up must be protected. I wholeheartedly support Edna law for all our sakes.
Tracey Blackmore	Rochford, England, UK	2015-01-23	I totally agree with this law. People should be protected when providing information 2 help a vaunerable person
Beverly Cowling	Toney, Alabama, US	2015-01-24	It is vital to protect those who reveal abuse! We are better than to sweep such things under the carpet and pretend they don't exist.
Raymond Corley	Stafford, England, UK	2015-01-25	Enlightened self-interest, and because decent, courageous people should be honoured, not villified.
carol london	Stockton-on-Tees, England, UK	2015-01-25	i was a whistleblower and suffered
Michael Currie	Uddingston, Scotland, UK	2015-01-25	My sons and their colleagues were bullied at work because they blew the whistle on a senior manager's unacceptable conduct.
May Currie	Uddingston, Scotland, UK	2015-01-25	My sons blew the whistle about mismanagement and bullying by senior officers.
Sharon Bates	Sidmouth, England, UK	2015-01-25	Im signing because I tried to draw issue to attention while working in the NHS and was chastised
sarah radford	manchester, England, UK	2015-01-25	Public safety should be paramount, and come before profit or the ego of people in charge . As a health worker I want to know that my concerns will always be heard and taken

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			seriously for as long as I work in this sector but also as a patient/customer/whatever!
Katharine Gale	Bristol, England, UK	2015-01-25	We need to listen and then act to support patients, staff, family and the NHS including ensuring the vulnerable are protected
Dave Orbison	Birkenhead, England, UK	2015-01-25	As a whistleblower myself, albeit with the Charity Commission, I can vouch for the many shortcomings under PIDA and the Employment Tribunal system. Employers can easily dismiss the concerns of employees with any fear of being held to account.
James Mee	Morpeth, England, UK	2015-01-25	It is long gone time our public authorities were subject to greater accountability and transparency. Time to end the age where professionals can hide behind a cobweb of lies as and when it suits them. -
Jenny Moore	UK	2015-01-25	By challenging bad practice in a care home in Cornwall run by National Award Winning care provider Cornwall Care, I found myself banned from visiting my Mum-in-law who has dementia. This was only a few months after her husband of 50yrs had died. Family support & my daily visits were even more vital. It took 3yrs to get ban lifted but then more false accusations meant I did not feel safe visiting the care home on my own, so it was worthless. After 3 yrs I discover serious and slanderous lies were made about me. I am not allowed to know what they are as staff could be identified if they shared that information. 5yrs of fighting to clear my name, expose, get justice and accountability. No one will help me. This has resulted in me developing a chronic illness and in recent months uprooting our primary age children, my husband's job and moving to another county. I feel like I have been tarred, feathered & evicted. Our whole family unit is damaged, the consequences devastating. We have used 5 care homes now. All 4 be
John Stroncheck	Tampa, Florida, US	2015-01-25	I was fired for reporting illegal action by USSOCOM. The perpetrators are still employed while they continue using their positions to cover their tracks continuing to do what they want without fear of being stopped. Current Whistle Blower rules are designed to stop the whistle blower while allowing the illegal behavior to continue.
Jay Williamson	Huddersfield, England, UK	2015-01-26	I totally believe in the protection of any whistle blower at home or abroad.
Bryan Johnson	Southend-on-Sea, England, UK	2015-01-26	There is too much corruption that needs to be addressed, and should be brought to the public's attention. No one should be victimised or bullied for speaking out/standing up to what is morally wrong.
sharmila chowdhury	London, England, UK	2015-01-26	Time to have effective measures and help for whistleblowers

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simon shaw	Luton, England, UK	2015-01-27	@simonshaw83
Mary Holditch	Witham, England, UK	2015-01-27	A frightening set up. It seems that convenience and profit come first every time.
Annie Norman	By Spean Bridge,, Scotland, UK	2015-01-28	I am member of Patients First
Sarah Andrews	Southend-on-Sea, England, UK	2015-01-29	Edna's Law....for the health, safety, security & protection! of the vulnerable & the public !!
Bob Golding	Rayleigh, UK	2015-01-29	edans law will be a deterrent
zabrina Barclay	Burnham-on-Crouch, England, UK	2015-01-29	Because my sister told me tooo ;)
KATHLEEN White	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2015-01-29	silencing whistleblowers,as is currently happening is putting patients in danger of morbidity and mortality. It has to stop.
Kathy Pidgeon	Bridge of Allan, Scotland, UK	2015-01-29	I was hounded out of my job in the voluntary sector when I raised concerns about accuracy of figures given to funders and client and public safety issues.Whistleblowers have to be protected and PIDA has failed to do this.
Wesley Ellis	Rochford, England, UK	2015-01-29	Petition for Francis
jade kenrick	Canvey Island, England, UK	2015-01-30	Elise Holton was unfairly treated !
Kia Clarywood	Canvey Island, England, UK	2015-01-30	My family friend told me about this.
tracey ferreira	Canvey Island, England, UK	2015-02-02	for freedom for the right to voice concerns without discrimination.
Kenneth McPhail	Aberdeen, Scotland, UK	2015-02-06	Wrongdoers must be made accountable.
DonnA houghton	Chelmsford, England, UK	2015-02-08	ive whistle blown and been seen as a trouble maker
Joanne Foster	Nottingham, England, UK	2015-02-08	JUSTICE
Nicola Parrett	Paddock wood, England, UK	2015-02-10	I'm signing because then people like my father may well of been looked after in a caring and loving way in the homes he was in.
Michael Goulding	Bradford, England, UK	2015-02-11	I'm a RGN and poor care is still carrying on and being allowed to carry on despite all the rhetoric.

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Kim Richardson	Northampton, England, UK	2015-02-11	I am a personal assistant to disabled for last twenty years who whistle-blower and was terrorised by the nursing home I reported.
Mike Reynolds	Newton Tracey, England, UK	2015-02-11	I have been a whistleblower who suffered loss of job and threats of being charged with conspiracy and getting sacked
John Golightly	South Shields, England, UK	2015-02-11	I was preparing to whistleblow on serious abuse/s and malpractice issues 1 year ago but I was stabbed in the back by a so called colleague whom I believed I could trust with my concerns and whom I spoke to in confidence. I was subsequently suspended by the organisation pending an investigation but I took the brave step of resigning immediately to keep my dignity and integrity. The next 7 month thereafter I suffered severe anxiety and stress as the the organisation I resigned from refused to provide me with any form of a reference to obtain future employment. It was the first time in 36 years that I had been unemployed and I nearly lost my home because of their vindictive approach to me. Luckily I've since found 2 part - time jobs. Both companies were happy for my references to come from previous employers thus bypassing my last one. At both interviews I was open and honest as to why they wouldn't get a reference from my last employer and both still employed me because of my honesty, bravery and luckily for m
Philippa Drake	Eastbourne, England, UK	2015-02-11	For truth and justice to prevail.
Philip Rainbird	Woolwich, England, UK	2015-02-11	The messenger is routinely shot, it's time to consign this practice to history.
Evelyn Spall	Monifieth, Scotland, UK	2015-02-11	I blew the whistle on line leader for abuse of power/position. My life has been hell ever since
christine huxall	Montrose, Scotland, UK	2015-02-12	I am a former social worker and like many of my colleagues I was bullied and forced just for doing what is right
Gary Marshall	Brighton, England, UK	2015-02-12	Things need to change urgently
hazel simonds	Kenninghall, England, UK	2015-02-12	i'm very passionate about this cause
Ross Andrew	Egham, England, UK	2015-02-12	I was an NHS Whistleblower
Paul Cardin	Wallasey, England, UK	2015-02-12	Corruption, malpractice and power abuse are endemic not just in the NHS, but pretty much everywhere. Thanks to the crooked, tax evading, thieving UK establishment.
John Milner	Manchester, England, UK	2015-02-12	It is essential that there is proper protection for whistleblowers and outrageous that so many have been treated so appallingly.

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Ann Reeves	Middlesex London, England, UK	2015-02-12	I totally disagree with any form Inquiry behind closed doors, it's in the Public interest why whistle blowers are physically and mentally destroyed as are the families involved. We are on our 12th Inquiry Gosport War Memorial Hospital and why not a Public Inquiry? A Whistleblower branded a troublemaker in 1990 and was questioned before the very person who she was complaining about was shut up for years until she found the courage again to hand over the minutes from her meetings when Professor Baker was called in by Sir Liam Donaldson, for yet another investigation, which opened the 3rd Police Investigation! Our Mother's (who was not dying) death in 1999 10 years after the nurse started complaining would have been very much different if she was listened to and the RCN had also done their job who she turned to and many others included..
John Weth	Christchurch, New Zealand	2015-02-13	I'm signing because a public inquiry and a change in the law is right, and long overdue.
louisa hutchinson	London, England, UK	2015-02-13	i agree with it and have suffered from having been a whistleblower myself
Corrie Rutter	Halstead, England, UK	2015-02-13	I have discovered by personal experience as a whistleblower that standing up for good practice, honesty and ethics is a very costly experience, not least for your livelihood, family and health. You are on your own as a scapegoat in the firing line, without the safety nets you believed existed in HR, codes of conduct, policies, unions and law. The price of speaking out was high and there will always be the guilt because what I did brought penalties down on others as well as on myself, damaging their careers and health as well as mine; and the profit and promotion of the wrongdoers, their misrepresentation, fraudulent activities and cover up still continues. I would like to be able to say I would do it again, but I am not sure I have the personal strength for that. I still count myself as one of the lucky ones and I have been given compassion and humility in the understanding that in a survival of the fittest situation, even the nicest of people change in order to survive. I would still want to be part of a c
janet berrow	Looe, England, UK	2015-02-14	my mom died in 2005 at Stafford hospital. I attended the francis enquiry and it was just a case of it wasn't me it was them ad infinitum
Dee McHaffie	Milltimber, Scotland, UK	2015-02-14	A strong deterrent is definitely needed to protect WBs in NHS & elsewhere by publicly exposing and holding to account instigators of proven cover up and victimization.
Ivor Middleton	Wallingford, England, UK	2015-02-15	It is clear that the law favours wrongdoers over whistleblowers. That needs to change.
david holden	bradford, England, UK	2015-02-15	i am a firm advocate of good government and social justice

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Jennifer McLean	Gallowstree Common, England, UK	2015-02-15	I have experience of some care problems through looking after my mother who is 100. I deeply admire these women and men who have blown the whistle. I ask that Edna's Law be introduced to protect those who will not tolerate abuse in all its forms. One day we will be ill/elderly and unable to protect ourselves how we will wish we had done something whilst we still could....
mark jones	CHESTER, England, UK	2015-02-18	must be done...
Heather Gale	Edgware, England, UK	2015-02-18	Having nursed my dying mum last year, I am glad she never ended up in a care home. Saw how a neighbour was treated, afraid to speak out for fear of retribution. The word 'care' does not describe them!
Georgina Halford-Hall	Gurney Slade, England, UK	2015-02-19	There needs to be a complete rethink of the law in relation to whistleblowing. It's time to protect whistleblowers properly instead of persecuting them.
Jenny Stafford	Chelmsford, England, UK	2015-02-19	I am a whistleblower and am now facing tribunal I was shocked how I wasn't protected.
Linda Schmidt	Kettering, England, UK	2015-02-20	I see first hand concerned NHS staff who have no route to complain or no confidence to do so. As a patient I need them to feel confident in the security of their jobs if they raise issues. I currently don't even feel secure raising concerns as a patient as they are brushed aside and ignored. No wonder staff are reluctant as they would have to be persistent and/or aggressive to be heard and that would no doubt damage their careers. Transparency and accountability is the only option.
Roland Waters	Plymouth, England, UK	2015-02-20	Clearly current legislation does not protect the concerns whistle blowers express for the greater good of us all.
Michael Levitt	DN Misgav 20196, Israel	2015-02-22	I'm signing (although now an ex-pat) in support of whistleblowers who have lost their jobs because of their determination to do the right thing. I know some of them and they were failed by the employer and their union.
Jim Herd	London, England, UK	2015-02-22	The treatment of whistleblowers is scandalous and we need them to protect us all.
Heather Irvine	Bootle, England, UK	2015-02-26	I am a whistleblower who was harassed and not supported as a result. The complaint was not taken seriously and the abuser still works there. This shouldn't be happening people won't share their concerns whilst they are not protected
Lesley Anderson	Galashiels, Scotland, UK	2015-02-27	i was a senior charge nurse who raised concerns and was put through hell. I had 28yrs service behind me. It amounted to nothing
Sue Allison	Lupton, England, UK	2015-02-28	I'm a whistle blower who has been badly treated and unheard by my NHS Trust

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josie bemrose	Clifton, England, UK	2015-03-04	The government are wanting an honest open transparent culture, yet whistle blowers are treated terribly. I'm calling on the government to make it as criminal offence for whistle blowers not to be protected. Whistle blowers should be treasured and not suffer any detriment. Protect the vulnerable and not those that are paid to protect
Joni cameron-blair	Nottingham, England, UK	2015-03-04	I agree with the content of this petition.
Joan Blair	Nottingham, England, UK	2015-03-04	They deserved to be listened to.
Michelle Sweeney	Saint Helens, England, UK	2015-03-07	If we Continue to fail to address the fundamental wrongdoing within services that are established to protect then their is no hope for the future of community or society
Melanie Moran	Saint Helens, England, UK	2015-03-07	employees should not have to worry about protecting vulnerable people.
Suzanne Dixon	Merseyside, England, UK	2015-03-07	Whistleblowers are so brave and honourable but are punished by losing their jobs and labelled as troublemakers for doing the right thing but they still chose to come forward for the greater good.
Robert Wootton	Bideford, England, UK	2015-03-08	I want to make the caring profession (industry?)a compassionate vocation. Whistleblowers could tell and publish their stories as kindle singles
Sophia Kerrison	Fulham, England, UK	2015-03-09	People should be protected by the people when they're being persecuted by their Governments for simply revealing the truth.
Lisa Bartal	Bridgend, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-09	I have a close friend who is a MOD whistle-blower; they have made the life of himself and his family a living hell and it needs to stop; people who tell the truth and want to protect the public deserve respect and respect; not abuse.
Abigail Shillito	Romford, England, UK	2015-03-09	Childrens Social Services need exposing for false alegations. lies and perjury to steal our children,,,destroying happy families
Michael Dolphin	Belfast, Northern Ireland, UK	2015-03-09	Because I was a victim of workplace bullying because of making a whistleblowing complaint and my employer failed to protect me and sided with the bully, even though I had presented overwhelming evidence to support my complaints. Even now, 18 months after leaving their employment, I am still be bullied and they are trying to gag me from using the incriminating evidence in a court of law.
Chris Ledbrook	Birmingham, England, UK	2015-03-09	All wb need support, not just the NHS HR & unions offer no support
MARTIN RUSSELL	Stanmore, England, UK	2015-03-11	Fighting London Teaching Hospital who are covering up fact that Lack of the Basic Hydration management caused my mum's unnecessary death. Publicly, asked all hospital

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			staff on the ward I spoke to on day of my mothers death to Whistleblow. Currently actively looking to investigate further and publicise lack of care at the Hospital.
Jo Slater	Hartlepool, England, UK	2015-03-11	I have suffered for nine years as a whistleblower on a multi million £ financial org and am still fighting for truth and justice due to an establishment cover up
Linda Larkman	Sutton Mallet, England, UK	2015-03-12	The truth needs to be heard and acted upon,
William McMaster	Hollywood county Doen, Northern Ireland, UK	2015-03-12	Because it's just a simple matter of it being the right thing to do.
Margaret Bacon	Liverpool, England, UK	2015-03-12	We need change now
louise rimmington	Grantham, England, UK	2015-03-14	More should be done in order to highlight bad practices if we feel unprotected then it becomes common place in the work force protect your employes and have the integrity to back them when issues arise in your establishments it's not about a blame culture it's about acting with honesty integrity and making patients your first concern
Jae Sabol	Hermosa Beach, California, US	2015-03-14	Singed this.. it took me 10 seconds to support this cause I believe in. Join me in signing if you believe in it too.
Lallie Clarke	Jersey Channel Islands UK, Jersey	2015-03-14	It is vitally important for a democratic society to be open and transparent. Everybody, high or low, in terms of position, shouldn't be above the law, moral integrity should be maintained at all times.
Arielle Kelly	Werrington, Australia	2015-03-14	Whistleblowers are often the only way that wrongdoing gets exposed. They risk their life and livelihoods to do it. The organisations and corporations are hardly ever made accountable and the whistleblowers are vctimised. This has to stop.
Geoffrey Morton-haworth	Kingswear, England, UK	2015-03-15	I believe in making it safe to talk
Geraldine Walker	Thorpe Willoughby, England, UK	2015-03-18	we have to stop abuse happening
Richard Calk	Stillwater, Oklahoma, US	2015-03-21	Transparency
Kylie Barton	Eastleigh, England, UK	2015-03-22	We need more whistleblowers to break down the barriers between the 'haves' and the 'have-nots'. We need to expose the level of corruption entrenched in our system to overturn it and start again. We need transparency, sustainability, and accountability NOW.

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Otto Chan	London, England, UK	2015-03-26	I'm signing because whistleblowers need to be protected
Hilary Dawson	Chesham Bois, England, UK	2015-03-26	I know just how whistleblowers are treated
Rohit Bhayana	Nottingham, England, UK	2015-03-26	The current law is ineffective, powerless and (deliberately) permitting to victimisation of whistleblowers.
Esther Oconnell	Ebbw Vale, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-26	I have witnessed of how a whistle blower was ill treated for speaking up for patient care . The nurse who was respected by the local community and had the best interest of caring for patients needs was discriminated , victimised and sacked for caring about people and having a duty of care. In my opinion I would assume that these principles were what a nurse should be about !! can't understand why she would be penalized for caring and being passionate about people's care .
Tracy Parsons	Ebbw Vale, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-26	Something needs to be done to protect those that are only talking out because things aren't right
Kestryl Windsong	Scotland, England, UK	2015-03-27	Those who risk their livelihoods should be protected from harm.
Peggy Banks	Bedford, England, UK	2015-03-27	Let's change the fact that the good decent people usually get put down for their care and honesty, and in this case support patient safety. I, personally have been harmed, I could have accepted and forgiven if there was honesty about the injuries, and every care needed, but instead I found out unexpectedly via OC at work, but still got driven out of my job prematurely before I learned the whole truth. No lessons have been learned, just covering up the cover up. All this continues to waste people and resources unnecessarily. We do a change of attitude and laws that really have teeth.
Philip Lewis	Colwyn Bay, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	Those in authority are susceptible to weakness and corruption - this law will help safeguard those who whistle blow for the greater good.
alison O'Callaghan	Ebbw Vale, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	It is sometimes very hard to challenge the people at the same level as you, but even harder to challenge those above you or the organisation. The whistleblower shouldn't be the one to suffer the consequences of what they believe is the right thing to do
Steve blackshaw	Brynawr, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	Whistleblowers need support not treated like criminals or even losing their jobs!
sally Foote	Ebbw Vale, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	To stop the victimisation of whistle-blowers. To protect individuals, some of the most vulnerable in society. To stop cover ups, of individuals and institutions in the past and present.

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elaine axten	Brighton & Hove, England, UK	2015-03-27	Speaking up should not be punished.
maria mouland	london, England, UK	2015-03-27	mouland
Vincent McGovern	Wembley, England, UK	2015-03-27	Malpractice needs to be exposed and corrected.
Heather Irvine	Bootle, England, UK	2015-03-27	I was a whistleblower who was ignored constantly. My previous employer then decided they were going to punish me for breach of confidentiality because I had discussed the issue with members of staff in regard to what to do. No investigation had taken place, the whistleblowing line were contacted, still nothing so they then pull this so I walked out. I have never felt so much relief as at least now I can try to get something done without my hands being tied.
jennifer howells	Llanfoist, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	I think vulnerable people need protection and this is the way forward good on those that had the guts to do it
Sue Tunley	Llangynidr, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-27	My friend Alyson O'Connell suffered at the hands of the NHS when she whistle blew....she is a fantastic nurse/colleague and brave, good people like her deserve better treatment
Hassan Awan	Islamabad, Scotland, UK	2015-03-28	We need transparency because public institutions are public property.
Sneha Karmakar	London, England, UK	2015-03-28	I fully agree and support the cause
Pamela Blackshaw	Brynmawr, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-03-28	because I have been in a situation the last two years with no support and was told I'm a whistle blower
Collette Corr	Carryduff, Northern Ireland, UK	2015-03-28	I raised concerns not in a nursing home but a dental practice. Suspended and then dismissed. My colleagues closed ranks and I was excluded
lori spangle	Denver, Colorado, US	2015-03-29	My father is in a locked down care home which is not the place for him the owner and my sister who for the moment is POA for my dad are greedy people who are more interested in my dads bank account then they are for my dad's well being .My dad is looking to me to correct this . This place is holding my dad hostage and taking his civil rights away. The owner has been told he is not allowed to do so but he ignores this .
Ju Lowe	Warrington, England, UK	2015-03-29	Things have to change end the abuse and loss of life !
Diego Canciani	London, England, UK	2015-03-30	I'm signing because it is important to support whistle-blowers!

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Helga Warzecha	Bedford, England, UK	2015-03-31	We need both WBS and Complainants to be heard to make a better NHS for all. I have buried 2 children both because of neglect and cover up in NHS Edward at 18 hours on 1976 and Dani aged 30 years in 2011.
Jason Ginnelly	Barnsley, England, UK	2015-03-31	of what happened to my beloved late dad william ginnelly and because edna's law is the right way forward to protect others like my dad and the brave ones that do whistleblow for all our greater good, nothing comes from secrets lies deception other than lies suffering and pain for people
george fuller	London, England, UK	2015-03-31	I am a blacklisted building worker (BLSC member) and agree with Edna's Law.
Louise Hampshire	Oldham, England, UK	2015-04-01	I HAVE BEEN A CARER FOR 15 YEARS and believe there needs to be a change for future generations so we can teach them to respect other human beings more no matter age race religion.
Rocky Ferrari	Glasgow, Scotland, UK	2015-04-01	need protecting
Angela Forsyth	Cambuslang, Scotland, UK	2015-04-01	I believe the illness I and thousands of others have M.E and fibromyalgia is a government cover up here and America.
peter farrell	tunbridge wells, England, UK	2015-04-01	Like Blacklisted workers these brave people stand up for those in danger. They deserve our fullest support
Mary fleming	Rutherglen, Scotland, UK	2015-04-01	I believe people should speak up if they witness something that's not right and not feel frightened of any repercussions. And they should be protected at all times
Anna Heath	Lydney, England, UK	2015-04-02	We need to look after our elderly better. They pay thousands for the service in care homes. But services don't make sure they eat or call a doctor when they are sick. I saw it with my own eyes. We could not communicate our message in the right (courteous, of course) way to improve this service.
N A	Australia	2015-04-02	Reward for anyone who can help me. I run savetheWorldfree.ning.c0m and I think I am in danger. I want to know who I can I trust? I want to see who is confident about the people they talk about because spies are all over SM. Ask someone from Assange to offer some evidence they are not from the !%
Graeme Cederman	Auckland, New Zealand	2015-04-03	I care about people and the planet and know that particularly the US Government is corrupt and punishing those citizens that care and uphold decent, humane, moral standards.
Jeanette Nicholson	Calgary, Canada	2015-04-04	Whistle blowers are needed so we can keep tabs on nefarious deeds our governments are involved with.
Jane Venis	Faversham, England, UK	2015-04-04	Whistleblowers are still being victimised - a shameful injustice

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Melanie bate	Rutherglen, Scotland, UK	2015-04-09	It is a great cause
Renate Christie	Canberra, Australia	2015-04-13	I don't think in this day and age something so personal as having something injected into your body should ever be compulsory. People should always have freedom of choice. We are just slaves if this freedom is taken away from us. How dare the government or anyone think they can decide what is best for me. I am never sick so of course Big Pharma would not be pleased about that because they are making no money out of me. I do not believe our rights should be violated like this. Also noone loves their child more than a parent and to force a parents hand when times are tough is unthinkable. I am truly disgusted to witness this in my lifetime.
Matthew McCarthy	Newport, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-04-15	I
Jeanne Church	London, England, UK	2015-04-16	For all our sakes, this has to change. Too many suffering, too many silenced.
Marcin Kawczynski	Cowplain, England, UK	2015-04-25	Enough is enough. No more torturing. <a href="http://www.greatdreams.com/RNM.htm" rel="nofollow">http://www.greatdreams.com/RNM.htm</a>
Sacha Langton-Gilks	Shaftesbury, England, UK	2015-04-25	As a mother whose child was terminally ill and then died, you want to be certain that the NHS would support clinicians if they had concerns about a patient's care, not bully them, sack them & take them to court thereby ruining their reputation and health.
Angela Richmond	Stevenston, Scotland, UK	2015-04-26	I too have been a victim of coverup. The Nursing and Midwifery Council took my registration, rather than deal with the law and the objective truth.
Lorraine James	Lichfield, England, UK	2015-04-26	my son is being mentally abused in his care home i have alerted all authorities and no one is listening
Alan Ashton	Bootle, England, UK	2015-04-29	I agree with the principles and I'm trying to get my mum out of the care business and back home with support where she will receive better care and be happier and where she wants to be. She hasn't a voice due to not having "mental capacity"
Marcin Kawczynski	Cowplain, England, UK	2015-04-30	They came for whistleblowers and other targets using those methods <a href="http://www.bibliotecapleyades.net/sociopolitica/esp_soc" rel="nofollow">http://www.bibliotecapleyades.net/sociopolitica/esp_soc
Elise Editing	Barnstaple, England, UK	2015-05-13	I whistle blew on managers doing wrong at a large supermarket we cannot name. I had taped evidence. The union attacked me and the supermarket head office did not act. The same offences I whistleblew would have been sackable in other supermarkets. I was just told get back to work. I left as I could not work at risk of bullying and set up

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			in revenge. The bad people have been promoted and I am still unemployed.
christine clark	Greater Manchester, England, UK	2015-05-21	We all need care, particularly when we are old and vulnerable. This must be our human right and the carers should be properly valued and given a living wage.
Georgie` Stagg	London, England, UK	2015-05-23	One sure thing in life is that we will all get elderly. Being elderly and infirm takes away your independence. It must never take away your dignity. The elderly must be treated with respect and kindness not abuse. In support of the bravery of whistleblowers who put their jobs on the line standing up for what is right.
Stephanie mathivet	Glastonbury, England, UK	2015-05-23	This could be me one day
D Braund	Burgess Hill, England, UK	2015-05-24	On the bottom rung of democracy, whistle-blowers are our best hope.
David Drew	Sutton Coldfield, England, UK	2015-05-26	Patients are still harmed on a daily basis while whistleblowers are ignored or suppressed. A PI judicially led is needed to ensure a genuine solution.
Peter English	Epsom, England, UK	2015-05-26	I have had direct experience of similar treatment as a scapegoat.
John Worley	Cwmrhydyceirw, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-05-26	I feel that this should have been law years ago, not know, so I hope that this gets all the support it needs.
Alan Harris	Bristol, England, UK	2015-05-26	The truth must not be hidden for fear of intimidation and harassment.
Hazel Lamb	Auckland, New Zealand	2015-05-26	We need people to tell us what is wrong so that we can make things right.
Rick Shaddock	Washington, District of Columbia, US	2015-05-27	Whistle blowers are on the side of the law.
Sara Eriksson	Karlstad, Sweden	2015-05-27	This is important!
Jeri Dies	Milledgeville, Georgia, US	2015-05-27	Whistleblowers are vital for a democracy.
Fiona Watts	Sheffield, England, UK	2015-05-27	I had not realised that I had been treated as a whistleblower until the former teaching assistant that I had reported - came back to unlawfully arrest me 5 years after I'd reported him for 18 months when he worked at King Edward VI School, Bury St Edmunds, IP33 3NL
Elizabeth Bainbridge	Wildsworth, England, UK	2015-05-28	Too many great people in public bodies are silenced and their careers ruined because all they tried to do is

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			highlight poor practice and corruption within public sector organisations
Sarah Monaghan	Lincoln, England, UK	2015-05-28	It's a disgrace hoe the law treats dedicated and honest people who want to do what's right. A very good friend of mine has suffered enormously because she whistle blew and tried to do the right thing
henry horstead	Tonbridge, England, UK	2015-05-29	to help get justice for ray earl
Rachida Sobhi	Bromley, England, UK	2015-05-30	I'm signing because as a Met. Police whistle blower PIDA proved utterly ineffective in my case and others like me. PIDA is not a law but a mere procedural entrapment designed to silence us from disclosing information which is in the public interest. Time to scrap it and replace it with Edna's law which is a lot more credible and tailors whistle blowers' need for proper protection. Rachida Sobhi
Kelly Little	Stowmarket, England, UK	2015-05-31	I believe in the need for this change in law more than anything. I've witnessed first hand the lack of action being taken.
yvonne goodright	Ashtead, England, UK	2015-06-02	I am disgusted by the corruption throughout central and local government
Lance Forbat	Burrington, England, UK	2015-06-05	I have suffered the consequences of whistleblowing and losing my consultant post in 2002 and since then have done so again in locums. Work is hard to come by and bankruptcy on horizon every month. We need to engage with the new Heal Select Committee and get 100's of whistleblowers to lobby them through their MP's. Patients First needs to up its game her too.
Anne Bathurst	London, UK	2015-06-07	I am a whistle blower who witnessed the futility of the exercise three times - loss of job with £750.00 awarded for constructive dismissal - total failure by CQC and local authority. Child abuse covered up by the establishment, an attempt on my life and forced to move - 14 years and still fighting this one. The loneliest path to follow!
Laura Bathe	Hayes, England, UK	2015-06-10	It's the right thing to do.
Eileen Daly	Glasgow, Scotland, UK	2015-06-10	For few years I've discussed PIDA with Parliament and moving PIDA into Criminal Justice law, (as per a previous successful law request change). Recently my requests have changed via Parliament, re PIDA in the UK for all industries, also documented within eileendaly.org It is irrelevant the path the law change takes, but imperative the law is changed.Changes are required - urgently.
sandy mcqueen	Newcastle upon Tyne, England, UK	2015-06-11	I KNOW that the elderly suffer at the hands of some carers - I have witnessed that. I KNOW that whistleblowers are silenced and treated unjustly, because I have witnessed that too.

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Steve Turner	Saint Austell, England, UK	2015-06-11	I want to see a just culture and for people to be safe. Stopping the victimisation of whistleblowers in health and social care will not only save lives but also lead to cost savings. It's said £10 million was spent trying to silence Ray Mattu. I don't want to live in a society that condones this behaviour.
Patricia Waters	Derby DE24 0GP, England, UK	2015-06-11	We should all be free to have our say, we won't be bullies anymore by the corrupt system, things need to change, so we can all see better days. We need Edna's law Bring on A public enquiry
Diana Stroh	Bramford, England, UK	2015-06-11	Treated like a criminal by my employers after reporting abusive managers...that's why I'm signing.
karen scanlon	Bridlington, England, UK	2015-06-21	The laws of informing dictate that we must report wrongdoing. It is about time this system was used for what it was designed for....to protect the people we are caring for...not be used as a tool and warning system to instill protection for managers etc to escape prosecution, an opportunity for them to hide and change evidence...and to wrongly persecute the whistleblowers in future fake sackable or trumped up disciplinary offences. as they are too honest to be considered viable employees by the company.....yes this law is needed to protect whistleblowers too at work as well as victims to unstoppped abuse !
Angela Snapes	Erith, England, UK	2015-06-23	I have suffered as a whistle blower, I wasn't taken seriously when I really should have been. We need this law
David Sadler	Hempnall, England, UK	2015-06-24	I work in Social Services and whistleblew on an agency carer. I am now being investigated by my managers!! Even Unison are not supporting me. How wrong is that.
Yasmin Earl	Selby, England, UK	2015-06-24	The elderly deserve respect, dignity, and compassion above anyone else: a fact that should go without saying, much less to those entrusted with and paid for this duty. We should champion and protect those who speak out on behalf of people whose voices are muted, and whose accounts of abuse and maltreatment go unheard, disregarded, or even discredited. I am Edna. So are you and everyone you love.
N A	Huddersfield, England, UK	2015-06-24	Because the vile abuse needs to be publicly exposed in order to help eradicate this disgusting treatment, usually with private homes operating solely for profit instead of the best interests of the residents.
anne smith	Huddersfield, England, UK	2015-06-24	i am like millions of human people who expect old people to be treat human not egnored and care homes not in it just for profit.
susan storey	Liverpool, England, UK	2015-06-25	A family member was in a residential care home, she was physically assaulted, a member of staffs whistle blew, after witnessing the assault. The case was thrown out by the

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			crown prosecution who stated there was not enough evidence. Making the whistle blowing policy a farce.
june broxup	Queensbury, England, UK	2015-06-26	I have been trying for some time to force improvements in the care home that our mother resides in. I have seen appalling standards of 'CARE.' Many of these residential homes are disgraceful should be registered as SCARE HOMES. I hardly need to read about the dreadful treatment that Edna received, as I am witness to inadequate care.
June Watkins	France	2015-06-26	J F Watkins (Mrs)
Kimberley eldridge	Erith, England, UK	2015-06-27	we need whistleblowers to protect vulnerable people , and whistleblowers should not be victimised for doing this
Carlene Williams	Bedwas, Wales; Cymru, UK	2015-06-27	Because everyone needs the support and confidence, to be able to speak up !
evita kerr	Linwood, Scotland, UK	2015-06-28	my mum was looked after by carer had lot bother i reported them.not doing there job as mum sufered.
Gill White	Ascot, England, UK	2015-07-15	I hate any kind of abuse on animals or human beings
Mervyn Fernandez	London, England, UK	2015-07-15	Care not Kill the elderly
Justin and Anne Morahan	Dublin, Ireland	2015-07-21	whistleblowers are good for children and living thingswrongdoers can be very very bad for same
Anne Milstead	South Croydon, England, UK	2015-07-25	I have had to support two people locally who were bullied into leaving in local CSU where the whole culture is bullying. I have also felt some of it from one commissioner and I am a patient.
Linda Osmond	Sutton, England, UK	2015-07-25	elderly need protecting and whistleblowers are just trying to do that
Richard McCrory	Tandragee, Northern Ireland, UK	2015-07-25	There remains a culture where the cost of harm is carried by those who genuinely want change instead of meaningful transformation.
Mary-Anne Tree	Swadlincote, England, UK	2015-07-25	Most of those affected by heinous crimes within the sector no longer have a voice. It feels like a public duty to raise these issues and place them very firmly in the public domain where they can no longer be covered up.
Vanessa Deacon	Thetford, UK	2015-07-26	the continual harrasement, bullying and intimidation of carers continues. this has a domino effect on care for our elderly loved ones.
Phoebe Olesi Muchilwa	Manchester, UK	2015-07-27	I support this petition. Those responsible should be help accountable for their actions. I Say Yes To Change. As a victim of continuous victimisation and Harrassment from council officials with standing, changing the law and making it a criminal offence for anyone involved in

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			covering up or carrying our unfair practice to face criminal court is the only way Britain can develop and improve services. My full story is on <a href="http://www.olesi.com" rel="nofollow">www.olesi.com</a>
Maria Earlsfield	Earlsfield, England, UK	2015-08-04	I am signing this because I blew the whistle when I worked in the NHS.I was bullied.Harassed and Forced out of a Career I once Enjoyed.I have had my Life wrecked.There was no protection for me.Cover up's and corruption are still taking place and those responsible towards the poor patient Care I witnessed have not been held responsible for their actions.Human Resources are part of the Problem,and not the solution.The whole damn system is corrupt.They have failed to protect,me,the public and the patients.I demand Change.
Albano Fernandes	London, England, UK	2015-08-18	I am a whistleblowing victim myself and feel there should be more laws protecting whistleblowers.
Violet Botelho	Witham, England, UK	2015-08-18	I strongly believe that it takes courage to be a whistleblower and they should be protected. The wrongdoer
Fatima Fernandes	London, England, UK	2015-08-20	The way to transparency and less corruption has to be the way forward....whistleblowers need ultimate protection
Sheva Burton	crawley, England, UK	2015-08-25	Really support this,
Mr. Ari R. Kolman	KING, Ontario, Ontario, Canada	2015-08-27	Because the way it goes now is Disgusting, Disgraceful, Discreditable, Reprehensible, Unacceptable, Appalling, Deceitful, barbaric, shocking a Wrongdoing and a Crime against Humanity.
Wendy Dennis	London, England, UK	2015-09-07	I am signing because of the fact that major incidents where public bodies were clearly accountable have not been investigated adequately or at all because of the abuse of The official secrets act.
Wendy Headon	Deal, England, UK	2015-09-09	I am a carer and would whistleblow if I came aware of a situation that needed it, and would like to think that I would be commended for that, not punished. But as a 60 year old i want to be protected from abuse if/when i need care.
Linda Clubb	herne bay, England, UK	2015-09-09	I believe Whistle blowers should be protected and also this may be the only way of improving the despicable lack of good caring care that many vulnerable people receive from people who definitely should know better
Linda Clarke	Basildon, England, UK	2015-09-09	We need to protect those who protect the vulnerable.
Jennie Falconer	Ifold, England, UK	2015-09-12	We need to protect everyone who protests about abuse of the elderly and vulnerable.
Kairen holland-rocker	Sidcup, England, UK	2015-09-12	i know someone who whistleblew and got sacked not the carer who abused the resident with dementia

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Sylvia Threadgold	Underbarrow, England, UK	2015-09-12	My late mum was in a care home, my dad is now in a care home, and my husband has dementia and may one day need to go into care if I cannot meet his needs at home. Vulnerable people need caring people to look after them. Their loved ones need to know they are safe. Edna's Law will help with this, and more.
Ian Sibbald	Hexham, England, UK	2015-09-12	I'm signing this petition because ....A law that protects whistle-blowers helps to protect us all, and that is what Edna's Law would do. Together we can break the shameful chain of complacency, ignorance, denial and silence so please sign and share this petition now.
Lillian Berry	Ulpha, England, UK	2015-09-30	I have been unfortunate to have come across this. We need to know we are putting our trust in others safely and not bury our heads in the sand
Mark Rogers	Notton, England, UK	2015-10-12	I am a whistleblower and I have been persecuted as such
Lian Hiltunen	Hayling island, England, UK	2015-10-18	I have whistleblown a few times and have lost jobs for doing so. I have worked as a Registered manager for 8 years. Always maintain integrity but lost so much for doing the right thing. This has got to stop. I have so much more to say on the matter. There is not adequate protection for whistleblowers.
Elaine Hale	portsmouth, UK	2015-10-19	I am a carer in a residential home
Debbie Sutherland	Muscat, Oman	2015-10-20	Too many greedy people making a fortune at the expense of the clients needs and care.
Jessica Davies	Birmingham, England, UK	2015-10-24	I too am a whistleblower. Punishing whistleblowers cannot continue. It must stop immediately
Melanie Todd	South Shields, England, UK	2015-10-26	I have witnessed so much wrong doing with those who cannot speak out or protect themselves, this needs to stop and whistle blowers should be supported not ignored.
Margaret Brennan	London, England, UK	2015-11-08	People die as result of not able to report and that is organisation murder..
Shona Oliver	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2015-11-12	This has to stop. People need to stand together and demand that the organisations who should be protecting vulnerable people are brought to account.
Denise Talent	Cambuslang, Scotland, UK	2015-11-13	time the offenders were held to account
Sarah Cascarino	Leeds, England, UK	2015-11-17	I am a whistleblower. I have had zero support, my life has changed forever. I think this cause is a wonderful one.
Denise Schofield	Gainsborough, England, UK	2015-11-17	I have experienced the lack of support first hand AND seen the devastation it has caused others because they did the right thing!



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Hugh Wilkins	Exeter, England, UK	2016-02-12	The current lack of effective protection for people who raise concerns is plain wrong. Those who retaliate against whistleblowers who have raised genuine concerns should be held to account. Democracy needs a just culture in which concerns can be raised safely.
Morag Lennie	Dundee, Scotland, UK	2016-02-25	People must not be afraid to expose poor practices which jeopardise the care of vulnerable people
Nile Solin	Brighton, England, UK	2016-02-25	I agree with its aim.
Siobhan Hughes	Killylea, Northern Ireland, UK	2016-02-25	I can't believe that This law has not been in place those who are brave enough to come forward to protect t vulnerable
Paul Westbrook	Shropshire, England, UK	2016-02-25	Whistleblowers should be protected and not victimised prviding a vital service to the community
Richard Hankins	London, England, UK	2016-02-25	do on to others as you would have them do onto you
Peter Craig	Tarland, Scotland, UK	2016-02-25	of institutional criminality being uncovered today and clearly exposed in tonight's R5 interview with Rhod Sharpe
Clare Sardari Flack	Brixham, England, UK	2016-02-25	I'm signing because I am a whistleblower and if I wasn't, I would still sign!
John Corbett	Bristol, UK	2016-02-25	Whistle-blowers save lives.
Jennifer Miller	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2016-03-06	Abuse usually happens behind closed doors to the most vulnerable of us. The very young and very old are most, but not solely, at risk. This law is a no brainer and must be passed. I salute all whistle blowers for their courage in speaking out.
Theresa Sives	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2016-03-09	Edna's law is well overdue. ALL whistleblowers must be protected. Why are we being persecuted for "doing the right thing".
N A	Croydon, England, UK	2016-03-10	Too many get away with too much.....
Sarah Sharp	Purley, England, UK	2016-03-10	I have a vulnerable relative living in care and want to improve care foreveryone.
Jamie Swallow	Lincoln, England, UK	2016-03-10	My Mum was a whistle blower and won her tribunal but she was treated terribly and the wrong doing was not put right.I am proud of my Mum. She did the right thing for vulnerable people.
Wendy Ward	Pontypool, UK	2016-03-15	My mum and my family have suffered abuse in nursing home and I want justice for joan

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julie green	coventry, England, UK	2016-03-17	I work in care and would love people to be safe when whistle blowing and for the right people to be looking after those who live in care facilities
ann fergusson	Peterborough, England, UK	2016-03-21	My brothers life was saved by a whistleblower. He has a profound learning disability & cant speak or stop people who hurt or mistreat him. There are many vulnerable people whose lives literally depend on this
helen daly	peterborough, England, UK	2016-03-21	My son cannot speak for himself. He has profound multiple learning disabilities. He needs whistleblowers.
Sarah Deane	Liverpool, England, UK	2016-03-30	I am appalled that decent people get punished for exposing evil, while evil people get rewarded for their acts. Des Kelly, in particular, should be hanging his head in shame. And Maria Keenaghan should be in jail where she can no longer murder defenceless men and women.
MICHAEL TUNSTALL	Dundee, Scotland, UK	2016-03-31	we need to protect victims from an oppressive government
Linda Baldwin	Wolverhampton, England, UK	2016-03-31	I am a whistleblower and not that I was thinking it would be easy, but I did not think I would be treated so badly for raising concerns, especially as internal managers in internal meetings were advising staff to speak up, but then suspended me when I did. I thought that I was protected, but some senior NHS managers live in a different world to me, they are so ruthless.
Erich Gross	Dartford, England, UK	2016-03-31	I'am signing this because is the right think to too.
Nicola Beresford-Tomlin	London, England, UK	2016-04-03	my mother has alzheimers and is in a care home and she is being evicted from the home as I stood up to the manager. im looking for a new one
Nicola Tomlin	London, England, UK	2016-04-05	My mother is in a poorly managed hone and is being thrown out
Amanda Beards	Flintshire, England, UK	2016-04-19	Something needs to change people are suffering at the hands of others everyday in these places and no one is accountable, how can this be right.
Linda Moroney	HUDDERSFIELD, England, UK	2016-04-21	My mother was neglected in a care home despite several complaints to the CQC and Safeguarding the neglect continued and contributed to her death. I fight on for justice and recognition that no one protected the residents and my mother. Despite the L A and CQC monitoring since her death, the latest CQC report has now deemed the home inadequate and it is now in special measures. Being vindicated does not bring my mother back or help all those who suffered neglect at the hands of the care home involved.
Damien Quigg	Fantasy Land, England, UK	2016-04-24	The failures of our prostitute politicians to protect those with the courage, integrity and moral fibre must be addressed

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AnnaKate Putter	Saint Andrews, Scotland, UK	2016-04-25	There needs to be significant change with regards to whistleblower protection law in general.
Vergo Willis	Hemel Hempstead, England, UK	2016-04-30	Shouldn't be punished for safeguarding!
Carol searle	Middlesbrough, England, UK	2016-05-14	I totally agree that laws should be changed and abuse and neglect made a criminal offence
Chris Humpage	Wolverhampton, England, UK	2016-05-16	Protecting whistleblowers is common sense. The law is currently back to front. People are not safe. I know this because my mum was killed by corrupt doctors.
Alison Garmonsway	Bourne End, England, UK	2016-05-18	Because I tried to whistleblow and was bullied & victimised
Owen Beith	London, England, UK	2016-05-19	Public safety depends on adequate safeguards for whistleblowers.
Janet Smith	Nottingham, England, UK	2016-06-03	It takes a very brave person to be a whistleblower.
Patricia Sadio	Huddersfield, England, UK	2016-06-05	No-one is ever held to account for abusing whistleblowers who report abuse of the most vulnerable. What a world we live in.....
Michael Reddy	Brooklyn, New York, US	2016-06-11	Because we must respect the Sanctity of Life at all stages
Mick Vakante	London, England, UK	2016-07-08	I have been extensively researching (and experiencing) impact of PIDA and other Law Acts for 5 months now. My conclusion (based on extensive evidence) is that the whole system is a farce and is also corrupt. Concept of Whistleblowing and the mindset of managers of UK public institutions (even several watchdog institutions, charities and police) are TOTALLY incompatible and mutually exclusive.
Linda Baldwin	Wolverhampton, England, UK	2016-07-09	Its still happening now in mid 2016, post the BUPA 7 case in 1999 and post a number of high profile cases and ensuing enquires, i.e. Sir Robert Francis, Mid Staffs, Winterbourne and Berwick so forth and all the shared learning and in spite of PIDA legislation. So whilst it might be argued that in the distant past that people in positions of power did not know of their responsibilities this can no longer be the case. Looking back in the NHS alone, it can be seen that there have been and there is currently initiatives to protected staff raising concerns, but still the abuse of position prevails which proves negligence on the part of those who fail to act when a public disclosure is made known to them.
Dorothy Loader	Mill hill, England, UK	2016-07-11	Because my grandson has worked in these homes and because he's done whistle blowing .they put him out of work he cares what happens to theses helpless people. They need some body like him to fight for there care

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Nicola Kester	Watton, England, UK	2016-07-11	Care staff should not be victimised for doing what is right by defending their clients against abuse
Elizabeth Grant	Belfast, Northern Ireland, UK	2016-07-11	I understand this completely as I was a whistleblower and suffered the consequences.
Hilary Martin	Plymouth, England, UK	2016-07-13	We left feeling let down we care
Sylvia Power	Liverpool, England, UK	2016-07-19	Because I have allways whistle blown when need be.and it takes courage to do this
tracey evans	Manchester, UK	2016-07-21	I reported poor practice and have suffered detriment and harassment and subsequent career loss as a result.
vincent broun	Hamilton, Scotland, UK	2016-07-22	privatisation of care leads to lack of accountability for wrongdoing
Victoria Allison	Potton, England, UK	2016-07-26	It is so important to protect people that whistleblow
Samantha Jones	Minera, Wales; Cymru, UK	2016-07-31	I believe these vulnerable people should be protected from abuse and wrong doing by people who are supposed to be caring and trustworthy to look after vulnerable people
Ben Angel	HARADS, Sweden	2016-08-01	Those who stand up against wrongdoers should be protected against those who use the law against those who do the right thing
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Tracy Johnson	Edgware, England, UK	2016-08-10	Bullied out for whistleblowing
Sally Baker	Llangollen, Wales; Cymru, UK	2016-08-22	After many years of trying to raise concerns regarding institutional corruption in the NHS in north Wales I obtained documentary evidence of serious wrongdoing on the part of managers and practitioners. I presented this to the Welsh Government. No one was dismissed and no-one was prosecuted despite evidence of law breaking and serious wrongdoing. I was then subjected to such severe threats, harassment and abuse that I was forced to leave the area. Mental health patients are still being neglected and are dying in north Wales. The region is so toxic that the Health Board cannot recruit and is now in crisis.
Valerie Robertson	Bradford, England, UK	2016-08-26	Care needs to be a priority
Tracy Johnson	Edgware, England, UK	2016-09-12	As a whistleblower there is no for those most vulnerable who are abused and for the whistleblowers who are discriminated for it!

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Keith Dobie	London, England, UK	2016-09-18	Because it's the right thing to do. Protecting the human rights of the Whistle blower protects our human rights.
Steve Jefferys	London, England, UK	2016-09-18	We need to have law that protects the whistleblower in their current job and from blacklisting subsequently.
corrina crowley	Preston, England, UK	2016-09-20	Whistle-blowers are an important part of justice. Protect them protect justice.. without them we would not know half of what is going on the same with secrecy it has no place in a supposed democratic society? Honesty and transparency is Key!
michelle Baharier	London, England, UK	2016-09-22	We need this becuase to many get away with abuse across all sectors Chairty, Loacl councilis and private
Dorcas Slaney	Merthyr Cynog, Wales; Cymru, UK	2016-09-27	I'm signing because people suffering abuse need caring and reputable whistleblowers to be believed and their concerns investigated.
ajit chambers	Kingston, England, UK	2016-09-28	This is most important for all of us. Service deserved at this age is the core of our society. I back this completely
Debbie Goleby	London, UK	2016-10-08	I'm signing this petition because I wish more whistle blowers spoke up in my sons care home, instead, the good one left, they told me what was going on so I complained (mum) on many occasion, as all residents were covered in bruising including my son. But then my son got thrown out (served notice on him) then they have decided to close the care home on 5th November 2016 they say to modernise it and reopen then they can start again for 3/4 years a complained please contact me if you need ,ore information I'm not afraid any more this is my son I went to the news shopper and I member of staff has made a comment that abuse DID happen in his home I KNEW IT DID so what are they now going to do someone child WAS ABUSED i support whistle blowers all the way we need you my son is now moving into his own home ai would never put him in a care home again so if any whistleblowers out there are looking for a job I have a few part time places for my son
Angela Terry	Jaywick, England, UK	2016-10-09	I strongly believe that when wrong-doing is seen the whistleblower should be protected and allowed to speak without repercussions of their job or safety. I strongly believe that every whistleblowers complaints should be acted upon by law and wrongdoers prosecuted by law.
Kay Thompson	Basildon, England, UK	2016-10-22	something has to be done about the care of our elderly it seems no care home is safe
Yvonne Wilson	Denny, Scotland, UK	2016-10-26	Years on and still impacted by 'whistleblowing'...were made to feel like we were problematic individuals within the employment we took up for a few years after putting our jobs at risk. Eventually prompted me to leave working in the care sector and change career. My name was mud. I fully support Edna's Law....to protect those of us who speak the

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			truth and but more importantly to protect the vulnerable client groups who do not have a voice.
Karen Callender Caplan	London, England, UK	2016-11-03	My beloved younger sister Robin died while living in a care home.
Tina Leslie	Morden, England, UK	2016-11-03	I care about other human beings.
Lesley Lincoln	Crawley, England, UK	2016-11-07	My mother suffered neglect in Orchid View Southern Cross Home West Sussex and No one was taken to account for her's and others suffering. This must end!
susan lofthouse	London, England, UK	2016-11-08	No gags, please.
james lodder	Cranleigh, England, UK	2016-11-08	I'm signing this because there are too many victims of institutionalised deviant behaviour that protects the wrong doers at the expense of the patients and those who really care.
Frances Heywood	Saltdean, England, UK	2016-11-08	All progress is overdue, due to corruption by authorities.
harriet baillie	Hythe, England, UK	2016-11-09	care homes are criminals who protect themselves ! They have no interest in care, just profit.
Faith Tamkin	Crawley, England, UK	2016-11-18	What I have heard from care workers is utterly shameful, and the deceit and corruption going on in the name of Care is disgraceful
andrew edwards	liverpool, UK	2016-11-22	Care Homes are to often getting away with negligence and a public inquiry is required
Claire Manson	paisley, Scotland, UK	2016-11-23	We need to protect our loved ones and the elderly xx
Amy Doughty	Nine Ashes, England, UK	2016-11-23	This is just not acceptable. ..where had humanity gone! Disgusting!
Catherine Peat	Middlesbrough, England, UK	2016-11-23	I believe that every person in this world should be treated with respect.
Emma Wells	Mapplewell, England, UK	2016-11-23	I work in the care setting and this is an area of grave concern to me.
danielle Thompson	Hastings, England, UK	2016-11-23	This is so so important to protect our elderly and to help stop abusers working in the care system and protect those who blow the whistle on them.
Sue Halford	Walsall, England, UK	2016-11-23	Both of my parents were in care/nursing homes & though thank God I never witnessed abuse I am sighing this on behalf of the elderly who have...it breaks my heart...
GILLIAN MCMAHON	Wallasey, England, UK	2016-11-23	I am absolutely appalled at the way some so-called carers are treating our elderly people in so-called care homes and

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			it is disgusting the way those who are bringing this abuse to light are being treated. We need to know what is happening to our loved ones.
sally maisey	Three Legged Cross, England, UK	2016-11-23	Abuse against elderly, vulnerable individuals needs to be addressed and those responsible for the abuse need to be held accountable and should be prosecuted.
Marie Revell	Buckfastleigh, England, UK	2016-11-23	Have witnessed abuse myself
Jacqueline Mackin	Liverpool, England, UK	2016-11-23	I found my mother at her nursing home with a serious injury (displaced fracture of the humerus). The arm had been broken for between 3-6 days without any medical treatment and without me being told. She died 3 days after I got her to the hospital. The police investigated but could not prove anything.... covert cameras would have revealed the truth.
Emma Rex	Stanfree, England, UK	2016-11-23	Because abuse in the care system needs to stop and the people standing up for the victims need to be protected.
suzanne silver	Easington Colliery, England, UK	2016-11-23	Elderly Abuse is absolutely deplorable so I believe this Law is so important.
Becky Turner	Royal Wootton Bassett, England, UK	2016-11-23	I feel the elderly need protecting from so called cares that aren't doing their job and abusing them, there needs to be cameras and carers should be properly checked out
Cassie Shrubsall	Gillingham, England, UK	2016-11-23	Poor Edna- nobody should go through that.
sarah green	Tonbridge, England, UK	2016-11-23	Because I have worked in care before. My nan had dementia and died from it.
Shannon Burns	Coventry, England, UK	2016-11-23	Abuse makes me sick. We should protect our elders, not punish them.
Salida Irshad	London, England, UK	2016-11-23	This is wrong
Paula Dearden	Washingborough, England, UK	2016-11-23	I am a carer and it breaks my heart seeing how some people abuse the vulnerable people they are supposed to care for. That's not care.
Rachael Theobald	Basildon, England, UK	2016-11-23	I am a health care assistant.
Joanne Coles	Bristol, England, UK	2016-11-23	The so-called "Care" Commission should be absolutely ashamed of themselves! With the increasing abuse in Care/Nursing & Private Sector Homes, (only coming to light because of hidden camera's, (there is so much more going on that is not caught on camera too, & staff are too afraid to become 'whistle blowers') - The Care Commission needs to step up, do spot checks, not announced visits (at the very least) - What do they get paid for!!!!

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Jennifer Lee	Horwich, England, UK	2016-11-23	I have been a health care assistant for over 10 years and feel very passionate about this.
Amanda bray	Hull, England, UK	2016-11-23	To protect good care staff and out the bad without fear of job loss
Ruth Buggy	Dundee, Scotland, UK	2016-11-23	Having worked with the elderly, I too agree that the majority of careers are fantastic, however & unfortunately: unless there is a change in the law there will always be carers who abuse.
Jean Preece	Cannock, England, UK	2016-11-23	Old people are vulnerable and need protecting from these vile human beings!!
margaret mcgregor	Inverness, Scotland, UK	2016-11-23	I agree with what Edna's law and trying to be achieved for better quality care
Rachel Avenell-Kearsey	Saint Austell, England, UK	2016-11-23	I'm signing because I'm a good carer and I have been, in the past, forced to leave my job and labelled a troublemaker by my managers for bringing poor care practices to their attention. It took too many years and a panorama programme before these homes were forced to acknowledge their failings. It's so wrong and has to a certain extent clouded my opinion of care managers and the care industry.
Julie Layson	West Wickham, England, UK	2016-11-23	This country does not respect the elderly and vulnerable. I have experienced 4 members of my family be frightened of carers. the first was my grandmother in 1974, my grandfather in 1984, my uncle in 1996 and my mother in 2012. Nothing gets better only worse. As the relative I felt helpless. This behaviour must be stopped.
gill fletcher	Hereford, England, UK	2016-11-23	I have seen abuse being carried out against dementia patients and when I've complained I have been suspended and nothing has been done
Joanne Mckenzie	hereford, England, UK	2016-11-23	I believe the system needs changing . To whistle blow is very awful process to have to go through .
Sue Kerr	Liverpool, England, UK	2016-11-23	People need protecting - everyone needs to be able to do the right thing, challenge bad practice - without fear of retribution.
Amba Doughty	Kennington, England, UK	2016-11-23	I think this unrecognised abuse is disgusting and I feel so uneasy that this is still going on to innocent and vulnerable old people. I think something seriously needs to happen, too many people and family's are being affected by this disgusting and cold hearted behaviour.
Alicia Mann	Enfield, England, UK	2016-11-23	My gdad has recently gone into care due to his spiralling dementia condition. No one deserves to be mistreated the way Edna was.
Viv Hyde	West Midlands, England, UK	2016-11-23	There are many fabulous care workers. I loved my job when I did it. Abusers need to be exposed. Our elderly &

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			vulnerable deserve to be safe & cared for. Whistle-blowing has to be taken into account without fear of job losses.
Alison Bell	Horwich, England, UK	2016-11-23	The care of our elderly is disgusting
marjory stevenson	Dundee, Scotland, UK	2016-11-23	Protect them DONT abuse them
Jessica Smith	Cheshunt, England, UK	2016-11-23	to protect those people whos lives depend on whistle blowers
Elaine Galvin	Binley Woods, England, UK	2016-11-23	Our current Law definitely needs changing as its not fit for purpose
sue smith	Cheshunt, England, UK	2016-11-23	Everyone deserves the right to be cared for in a kind and friendly environment with their privacy and dignity respected
Karen Powell	Broseley, England, UK	2016-11-23	I'm a nurse who feels this crisis in care needs addressing
Zak Guetfi	Cheshunt, England, UK	2016-11-23	Grandad is in a home
Julieann Mc nally	Dunmurry, Northern Ireland, UK	2016-11-23	We are fighting for justice for our granny annie who died 13 Nov 2016 after an incident in the home she lived in. We wish there was a law like that here it would make our fight more bearable no one wants to help.
Evie Ball	Bovey Tracey, England, UK	2016-11-23	Animals get better care than older people its shocking .
Victoria Williams	Middlesbrough, England, UK	2016-11-24	Abuse must be stopped
SALLY DENT	Mere, England, UK	2016-11-24	Because the state of care in the country is very poor. Companies sack whistle-blower's instead of actually doing something to solve the problem - so something has to be done to change this.
ELIZABETH TAYLOR	Thatcham, England, UK	2016-11-24	I HAVE WHISTLE BLOWN 3 TIMES AND EACH TIME I HAVE BEEN MADE TO LEAVE MY JOB WHILE THE PEOPLE I REPORTED STILL WORK THERE RESIDENTS IN CARE DESERVE TO BE TREATED WITH RESPECT AND DIGNITY IF YOU CANNOT DO THAT YOU ARE IN THE WRONG JOB
Jan Stewart	Basingstoke, England, UK	2016-11-24	workers in the care sector are vulnerable and need protection.
Jannine Muirhead	Basingstoke, England, UK	2016-11-24	No one should be punished for whistle blowing.
Valerie Patterson	Newtownards, Northern Ireland, UK	2016-11-25	Someone needs to speak for the vulnerable

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Lloyd Armstrong	Colchester, England, UK	2016-11-25	Whistleblowers need better protection not be subjected to witch hunts and castigation
Keith Spellman	Pudsey, England, UK	2016-11-29	I and my wife HAVE PROBLEMS WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITY REGARDING DAY CENTER AND RESPIRE SUPPORT BEING CLOSED AND THE COST OF CARE RISING BY 50 %
maggie allen	Cali, Iowa, US	2016-11-29	It is our duty to speak out and be heard and for government to act, to protect the victim and prosecute the perpetrator.
Olive Gronow	Berkhamsted, England, UK	2016-12-05	I have just lost my job through whistleblowing.
Margaret Quirke	Sidcup, England, UK	2016-12-08	I have family in care homes and I want them to feel safe and happy.
Susan Lofthouse	Blackpool, England, UK	2016-12-15	If no-one in the workplace ever speaks out about abuse then it will just continue. It is imperative that those of us who witness abusive behaviour to vulnerable people feel that they will be supported in law for reporting it, and not be abused themselves for trying to put a stop to it.
Gillian Harvey	Brixham, England, UK	2016-12-18	..... it urgently needs to change, to stop the culture of silence and cover up's.
Deirdre Boyd	London, England, UK	2016-12-18	I'm signing because I've seen too many lives lost due to bad practice and fear from witnesses/ participants of losing their livelihood to do anything about it. All it takes for evil to flourish is a few - in this case many - good people to do nothing. No one should be torn between providing for their family or letting people die due to appalling NHS practices.
V Down	Maulden, England, UK	2016-12-19	Progressive law like this is undeniably needed so what's stopping this Govt? Get it sorted now !
Margaret Hill	Glasgow, Scotland, UK	2016-12-23	I'm signing this as I was in a position within the care sector and my manager was committing serious financial abuse we followed the correct procedures and supplied evidence which during a 7 month investigation our manager stayed in position and was free to intimidate us daily and all evidence disappeared manager moved on to new service after we threaten to go to police and continued to be investigated on 3 different services till eventually staff called police she was sacked but not prosecuted this was extremely large amounts and we were the ones treated badly
Justin Bortz	Downham Market, England, UK	2016-12-27	I'm signing this petition because there should be no hiding place for these Cowards who pick on people who cannot defend themselves, and what is more, the company who employs them should not be allowed to cover up the abuse by silencing those Whistle-blowers who have reported the abuse, and by doing so they themselves are as accountable for what is happening as those actually carrying out the abuse themselves. As Edmund Burke said "The only thing

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			necessary for the Triumph of Evil is for Good men to do Nothing"
Sarah Collins	Swinton, England, UK	2017-01-10	im signing because i care!!
Patricia Hopkins	Crossways, England, UK	2017-01-17	Having read this thoroughly I fully support and agree with every point ...
Valerie Rink	Hitchin, England, UK	2017-01-20	I have a parent in a home
MAURA DUMONT	London, England, UK	2017-01-24	THE LAW HAS CHANGED FOR WHISTLE BLOWERS HOWEVER ITS STILL GOING ON STAFF IN THE NHS ARE BEING SACKED FOR WHISTLE BLOWING.
Maria Assumpcao	New Malden, England, UK	2017-02-13	I was a whistle blower during the 10 years I worked as a Carer. Due the victimisation, harassment, unfair treatment I suffered because I stood up and complained and even went to the council, I ended up losing my mental and physical health, and obviously my last job 8 years ago.
Edna Gee	Derbyshire, England, UK	2017-02-27	I believe this should be passed 100% behind her well done xxxxx All the best xxx
Helen Rochester	Eastbourne, England, UK	2017-03-05	I blew the whistle and lost my nursing career because of it. It took the CQC nine months after I reported my concerns to them to take enforcement action and alert adult safeguarding. They only acted then when the NMC closed a malicious referral against me made by the home manager. 64 vulnerable adults were left at risk in all this time. The failure to act on the concerns of whistle blowers and their treatment is scandalous. Edna's law should address this.
jake maverick	Saffron Walden, England, UK	2017-03-15	because i'm kinda in same boat, homeless and destitute for 12 years now.....:-( too late for me....
Patricia McDermott	Manchester, England, UK	2017-03-16	Freedom to speak out lies at the heart of democracy.
Akua Rugg	London, England, UK	2017-03-17	It's really essential to speak truth to power.
adore perrie	Northampton, England, UK	2017-03-18	I'm was abuse as serious I'll disabled woman,I was in Care homes over 6ths I saw , unlawful treatment, unclean medical equipment put infection to other force to share key toilet, equipment. Private companies my area paid by public funds ,cut out food safe equally of care. I was one, I young o saw older people abuse, I reported all via local adult safe gardteam team ,as I'm I'll my self,non one took any action. I kept daiies,of dates etc, still nothing ever was done ,2012.2013,. Then happening to me my own home, 2013/2014, witness too and my data abused. Cause I dare speak up ,I was set up, harmed,police failed me only gave me reff number, nothing else, now ,my prvite friends I had to ask for care help, to replace the carers that abuse me.

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			Not coping,I'm becoming I'll more,so I'm facing, night mare more abuse ,uk
Catherine Smith	Newport, England, UK	2017-03-18	i work in care and whistleblowers and residents should be safe
Pal Singh	London, UK	2017-03-20	My whistleblowing story about the CPS made the front page of The Daily Telegraph, and had the support from Prime Minister Theresa May, despite that it will cost me my livelihood. The choice between your career/livelihood and your integrity...
Davinder Singh	Gravesend, England, UK	2017-03-20	Whistleblowing should be encouraged
Peter O'Keefe	Cardiff, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-03-21	If the whistle needs to be blown then whoever does it cannot be th casualty of their integrity
Babar chaudhri	India	2017-03-21	The current practice of vilifying whistleblowers is unjust.
margaret wilson	Seaham, England, UK	2017-03-21	THIS IS IN EVERYONE'S INTEREST- WE MUST ENSURE THAT WHISTLEBLOWERS CAN BE HEARD WITHOUT FEARING ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES.
bridget sharkey	london, England, UK	2017-03-22	I attended your meeting at CQC Victoria on 22/03/2017 and was moved by what I heard. I agree that whistleblowers should be protected by an Edna's Law. I heard Justice Lowell Goddard refer to the Culture of Denial and Cover-up in the tip of the iceberg Child Abuse Inquiry 2016. It was 20 years after Lord Mostyn in the Childhood Matters Inquiry defined abuse as anything that they do or fail to do that harms or hinders. I am appalled that agencies and individuals who fail us are not held to account and escape culpability under the criminal law for negigence and consequential harm. I hope your campaign succeeds in redressing this.
Lynsay McMaster	Redcar, England, UK	2017-03-22	Xx
Cristian Esanu	Southport, England, UK	2017-03-22	I have blown the whistle on patient safety and fraud.I was a suspended from work as an anaesthetics consultant for two years and 4 months, with the final result: "no case to answer".
Lorna Gregory	Hemswell Cliff, England, UK	2017-03-22	I'm a carer who passionately believes everyone is entitled to good quality care. I have no qualms about reporting or whistleblowing anyone in the care industry who abuses elderly or vulnerable people. I also believe that whistleblowers should receive total support!
Lee Adey	London, UK	2017-03-23	I blew the whistle big time !CQC police social services the lot and got sacked I found a client sitting half naked in her lounge struggling to cover herself while her so called 'carer' sat at table stuffing its face with food that belonged to my client The whole system is a joke Cares are told report abuse report neglect you have an legal obligation Then when you do they sack you They only care about covering their own

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			arses , passing the buck and making scape goats of decent people who do this job for pittance in pay #
Susan brown	essex, UK	2017-03-24	carers care and are to scared to speak up,they leave the job rather than speak up
Dolly Guentner	Glendale, Kentucky, US	2017-03-28	I am a whistleblower of over \$50 MILLION YEARLY KY GOVT PENSION FRAUD. Those who could do something at the Capitol will not do anything. \$500K yearly pension fraud at the City of Elizabethtown, Ky where I had worked prior to being fired. Before I was fired documents I had worked on were altered and many lies were told about me. I was harassed by managers. I went to the FBI and I am being stalked and harassed. No help, just corruption.
Naciye Ozbilenler	London, England, UK	2017-03-31	We need to protect whistleblowers and ensure that people are in a position to be able to report without repercussions. Whistleblowers keep organisations on their feet and help to ensure the service they provide is acceptable.
Pauline Amos	Westminster, UK	2017-04-12	When someone witnesses a situation which puts people at risk of harm or danger to life, that witness should and must report the situation. However, under current law the 'whistle-blower' is not adequately protected or listened to, and as a consequence they are less likely to disclose what they have seen/heard. Junior doctors are particularly vulnerable under current law - there is no law to protect them!! There is no law of protection with PIDA: as it stands it is merely rhetoric which encourages the status quo in unsafe practice. Edna's Law would ensure everyone is protected.
margaret ratcliff	manchester, England, UK	2017-04-14	freedom of speech,
Suzanne Roberts	Hale, England, UK	2017-04-15	My mother has suffered from physical abuse for the second time in 2 different homes.
Jason Barnett	Leeds, England, UK	2017-04-17	I believe that those who choose to protect others should be protected by the appropriate legislation to encourage a better and safer society.
adore perrie	Northampton, England, UK	2017-04-21	To right,i had very good carer she went out her way to help me, till her line manger said it's not in care plan,can't help clean my kitchen area,after cooking, then she left got replaced then i had cuts in care and left in wrose state,i began learning speaking up,that's when CEO funds got pulled,the cover up of my abuse i report to police got no action to protect owner of care company,now I'm wrose state my ferind after Thier shift work, been trying everything since,I'm going to sue CEO and head of care company
Tryn Rose Clark	Tempe, Arizona, US	2017-05-05	If your family member were being harmed, and someone knew about it and had tried to report it unsuccessfully, and your loved one died because of this abuse, wouldn't you like to protect the person who wanted to help? I would.

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michael wharton	leeds, England, UK	2017-05-08	I am an abused whistle blower
Lesley Moorcroft	Liverpool, England, UK	2017-05-12	I am a member of the public who whistleblowed sub standard care and child abuse in a children`s hospital . My daughter was put in care as a response where she has been abused . The last time I saw her she had no hair . She had head wounds and was covered in bruises and had severe weight loss . The social worker and others in the room refused to acknowledge her condition . When I went to the secret sinister court I was made to look a picture of my daughter on a lap top wearing a small disk of very blonde fake hair on her bald head . The judge did not have my daughter freed immediately but instead enabled the abuse to continue . I have not seen her since .
Thomas Boyce	Oxford, England, UK	2017-05-13	We're sick of this !
Midnight DeMaurisha	Cardiff, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-05-13	I've been abused by social services and told to my face that they can get away with it. Time for them to be held accountable.
MARLENE ANN WATTS	Canon's Town, England, UK	2017-05-14	i am a victim of a cover up by police and IPCC and local government and the L.G.O putting lives in danger and a whistle blower who raised her concerns with the police and LOCAL COUNCIL and the L.G.O has been ignored and not acted upon .which should be made a criminal offence so i agree fully with Edna's Law replacing the present public interest DISCLOSURE ACT which has failed to protect the public and victims.
Kelly Coulton	Galgate, England, UK	2017-05-14	I am sign this because of all the cover up in my family
Sue Wallace	Connah's Quay, England, UK	2017-05-21	Whistleblowing is a last resort used when internal process fail due to culture and values. Individuals who do need protection
Jane Craddock	Plymouth, UK	2017-05-21	I am signing this petition through my experience of whistleblowing in the education system; the fact that our government and those who are meant to prevent teachers / exam boards from cheating have none NOTHING to stop it, only encourage it!
Felicity Wall	Wybunbury, England, UK	2017-05-21	I feel its important to get to the truth and maintain integrity
adore perrie	Northampton, England, UK	2017-05-21	since this post set up again , god only knows cause i dare speak up, new comapny called northamptonshisre adult soical serivces limited , i check infromation via company check, i know two ceo. paul and female , whom are high paid public funds, whom pused for new head office by me, over 100 million , i become ill with yrs of meds effects on my teeth, now need all out, so unknown to me, ferinds of local ceo, genrule medical council memeber dr gale, made

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			up , non factual claims comments on my charcter, life, ie, oh im mentally ill, i never seen or spoke to dr gale, nor seen or dignoiss of comments words he used, so he called 999 on 17,3, 2017 as i could not speak , dental infection got so bad,itwas inplied again to east mildlands emplyooees female, 3 in my home, non medical then related, one female sopke to dr gale, he lied about me, she only put this mental health label on her sheet, im alone, cant het hold of my frmaily sister or son on phone, to make sure i do not consent to sahring my prvite data to which is
Laura Jeuda	Macclesfield, England, UK	2017-05-21	People who are brave enough to whistleblow must be protected
Felicity Wall	Crewe, England, UK	2017-05-22	My employer condones and perpetuates bullying and intimidation of anyone who has a counter view or new idea. Staff cant speak up as they have familues and mortgages
BEN ROBERTS	Leamington spa, England, UK	2017-05-23	I am a whistleblower on aviation safety, yes that's right passengers that have been killed or injured due to the recklessness of others. I reported these issues, dismissed, arrested and thrown in jail for six weeks on remand, the law as it is stinks. I've now been in court 31 times, I've not been on the witness stand yet, sacked in March 2009 I have not worked since. This is classic whistleblowers story. Long live Edna's law
Gary Sloane	Coventry, UK	2017-06-26	I feel the more support we have the quicker we can make change
Lorraine Shaw	London, UK	2017-07-05	I have just suffered all the above as a whistleblower against Bupa.Although my case was upheld this Monday , neither Bupa nor the CQC have been held accountable.I am still employed by Bupa yet the court have placed the onus back on Bupa to facilitate my return to work and although I secured a new lucrative employment outside of Bupa , their refusal to answer a safeguarding question led to the new employer withdrawing my contract. I am left in limbo and no compensation for loss of wages over the past three years was awarded.Bupa withheld my statutory sick pay until I informed ACAS .Because I employed I did not tick the right boxes for benefits and was within 3 weeks if receiving an eviction notice from my home for unpaid rent when finally a kind hearted lawyer took on my case pro bono .....
Mary Cotton	Coventry, UK	2017-07-06	My mum was in a care home and we complained daily about mum being left desperate to go the loo and many other failings that happened and the family were seen as the problem!!!!
keyna leyland	todmorden, England, UK	2017-07-06	<a href="mailto:keynauk9@gmail.com" rel="nofollow">keynauk9@gmail.com</a>
Brian Napier	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2017-07-06	I'm signing this because the principal of Edna's Law seems to be an essential component/safeguard in any civilized society that claims to care for all its people.

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Peter Smart	Tonbridge, England, UK	2017-07-06	A close friend has been involved in the care home sector and experienced not only the poor care, but management deficiencies.
Michelle Ward	Penrith, England, UK	2017-07-06	I feel very strongly about the abuse of care workers by the care companies and governmental departments. Laws should be changed into how the homes are run. There should not be MORE than 17 clients in each home to be able to be run properly, managed and also to have enough workers to give the clients good attentive assistance. The bullying culture amongst the bad workers amongst the good workers - not acceptable. The disgraceful way the good care workers are treated by the care companies/councils, the long hours. The far too long being able to get started in a new job, too much slow red tape. Stream lining the certificates that carers have to do, so that they are valid for at least a year and can be used when applying for a new job anywhere in the UK. Speeds up time to get workers working.
Julie O'Donoghue	Seaford, England, UK	2017-07-06	My mother is currently being looked after in a BUPA care home where good care is provided but I see how vulnerable the residents are and that one should always be vigilant. Thank you Eileen for standing up for all those vulnerable people.
wendy tapsell	York, England, UK	2017-07-06	for all vulnerable people especially those totally alone in the world without children who could be in a home at the mercy of uncaring people and nobody would know.
Caroline Drew	Axminster, England, UK	2017-07-06	My father suffered at the hands of callous lack of care as he was dying in Warwick Hospital in 2008 and my mother at the hands of some poor carets in her own home later - when family could not always be there to protect her around the clock. Conversely, having seen some marvellous carers I think they are too poorly paid and undervalued. Both my parents suffered unnecessary pain and despair. My family cannot forgive or forget. Caroline Drew
Charmian Walter	Northallerton, England, UK	2017-07-06	I saw for myself the shocking treatment of my 90 year old uncle in a care home.
CARMEN MARTIN-MARERO	ISLEWORTH, England, UK	2017-07-06	I believe Older People deserve Great Care, Love and Attention. Anything else is Elder Abuse and Bullying of the Staff Who Cares. Enough is enough.
Bilkish Davies	Lewes, England, UK	2017-07-06	Watching channel 4. you made a lot of sense
Kerry Turnbull	Edinburgh, Scotland, UK	2017-07-06	SIGN if you don't hang your head in shame
Alison Arnott	Grantham, UK	2017-07-07	I have a frail precious 95 year old Mother in a 'so called' care home who is mistreated and not cared for correctly according to her needs. I am absolutely fed up complaining to the CQC etc ! they are ineffective! and not in the 'real

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			world' .Something seriously needs doing so that's why I am signing this Petition.
jennifer howells	Llanfoist, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-07-07	Good on whistle blowers
Frances Parkinson	Banwell, England, UK	2017-07-07	I have had experience of poor care and the difficulties in doing anything about it
Carole Gardner	Leamington Spa, England, UK	2017-07-07	I fight for better care for my adult son who has CP and learning difficulties. Whistleblowers anonymity should be protected
Kas Shuter	Basildon, England, UK	2017-07-07	My mum was neglected in a care home in Wickford Essex 2012-2014 . I saw awful things there. My father tried to get the CQC to investigate but was unsuccessful despite his pleas. My mum suffered and we felt helpless. She ended up in hospital with a dvt , the symptoms of which were caused by the neglect of the care home and then ignored by the 'carers'
adore perrie	Northampton, England, UK	2017-07-08	Even on uk staute law of care act 2014, experience of lack of communication lawful facts to make sure all polices are used correct manner,still not happening in public funded management levels,in subject on adult safe gurading clear data sharing not check for correcton of facts, link up Public sector service, means protection for them,not of whom experience a safe guard referral, Even Dr nhs England policy are clear how gp contracts on those of high care soical needs to help not lie about people make up views non factual. Yes clear truth of facts on whom role is for what and how in these areas,as wrong department may just get the adult safe guard referral instead, causing those whom require care support lawful manner being l'll treatment by key public funded employees of public funded service too.,
Claire Rumble	Southend-on-Sea, UK	2017-07-08	i experienced my 'late' mother suffering as a result of time spent at a care home in Wickford, Essex. In fact she almost died whilst there owing to neglect, despite repeated requests for action to be taken. This care home was not fit for purpose. My father has records of all concerns raised whilst she was there. We were eventually able to move her to a lovely care home near Colchester.
Glyn Ridgley	Plymouth, UK	2017-07-08	Those who abuse and are exposed ought not to have the opportunity to abuse all over again
Sydney Turner	Bournemouth, UK	2017-07-08	I fight for justice and transparency. Heinous sexual crimes perpetrated on children and woman are covered up.
Jane Lee	Grantham, England, UK	2017-07-09	I am supporting both Edna's Law and Dr Chris Day's legal case to uphold the rights of whistleblowers in Law and for a fairer and safer society.
paul haslehurst	Bristol, England, UK	2017-07-09	They need protecting at all costs.

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Gary Marshall	Brighton, England, UK	2017-07-09	The way this country treats whistle blowers is beyond disgraceful and needs to stop
Philip Morris	Barnsley, England, UK	2017-07-09	It's an equitable necessity though facility is needed to securely whistle-blow in the arenas of state security and protection of innocence.
Ana Maria Pena Alvarez	Stanmore, England, UK	2017-07-09	I have suffered it myself and got bully. There was no support; guidance and of course, conflict of interest prevailed.
Katie O'Sullivan	London, England, UK	2017-07-09	I'm so shocked in this day about Grenfell
Jason Ward	Stoke-on-Trent, UK	2017-07-09	I don't trust this government to many cuts and lies
david willis	Hemel Hempstead, England, UK	2017-07-09	There's no officers left to investigate anything, we have to speak up or no one will know.
Judy Berry	Cokato, Minnesota, US	2017-07-09	I am committed to exposing the atrocities of abuse & neglect and protecting the human rights of our vulnerable elderly by changing laws.
carole lloyd	Saint Clears, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-07-10	Ednas law is now needed Too many cover ups and people need to know they are protected when they speak out. We are meant to be a civilised country are we not?
Michele Bohan	Manchester, England, UK	2017-07-10	Whistleblowers should be commended and rewarded for their selfless bravery in exposing dangerous & fraudulent practices that "endanger human lives"!
Jacqueline Daniels	Liverpool, England, UK	2017-07-10	People's lives should not be destroyed for being honest
Sarah Thomas	Stockport, England, UK	2017-07-10	I want to see decency, transparency. There are too many getting away with dreadful deeds. It is just wrong that peoples lives are destroyed for doing the right thing.
Jimmy Byrne	Liverpool, England, UK	2017-07-13	In both the NHS and outsourced healthcare, I have suffered prolonged bullying; harassment; repeated fictional allegations- just because I declined orders to ignore legislation governing administration of prescriptions; and because I declined orders to make false entries on clinical records so employer would appear to meet government targets
James Blackwood	Rochester, England, UK	2017-07-14	I agree with the changes needed to protect whistleblowers, and hold those accountable who do nothing when advised of issues.
Valerie Rink	Hitchin, England, UK	2017-07-14	I am committed in exposing the abuse and cover ups which occurred in my mother's care home. I was belittled by management, mocked and cast aside. Moreover, Mu mother was given 28 days notice to leave. They will not win.

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Hilary Martin	Plymouth, England, UK	2017-07-14	Yes it's you are right whistleblowers life are made a misery and you can't find another job no support from anyone not even the union that's why people are so scared to whistle blow the law needs to be changed check protect people that whistle blow whistle whistle blow for a reason that's because we care of the standard of care that is given to the service users you get discriminated for caring and for doing the job that we love and the people we care for
Clive Morris	Epsom, England, UK	2017-07-14	True, although in this case I'll point out that any relative who visits their parent and raises concerns will be branded a whistleblower by the care home and the local authority who will approve moves to have you barred. Surrey County Council did this to us. Basically it's the strategy you see used by South Yorkshire Police and the Hillsborough relatives: 'You've got something on us? We'll get something on YOU!'
Debbie Goleby	London, UK	2017-07-14	The same happened to my autistic son, I went to the papers, the council never stuck up for me, the home has closed now, but sadly they have many more across the country.
Debbie Goleby	London, UK	2017-07-14	If you live near Eltham I give you an interview I'm looking for a carer
geraldine phillips	London, England, UK	2017-07-15	I strongly believe that people should be free to report mistakes and wrong-doing at work particularly in the case of care for elders without fear of loosing their own careers. We and our relatives are going to be old one day and we never know how that will turn out for us and what care we will need. Vulnerable people need support not cover ups.
Daniel Thomas	Ashington, England, UK	2017-07-18	I'm a whistleblower from the construction industry and from the armed forces personnel royal regiment of fusiliers six years royal logistics corps pioneers four years construction 20 years
kay goody	plymouth, England, UK	2017-07-19	My farther was neglected in a care home and nothing has been done no matter how hard I fought #
Sara Weymouth	South Brent, England, UK	2017-07-20	I know a person who was neglected in a care home and nothing was done aboutit
Lesley Weeks	Wareham, England, UK	2017-07-20	My father was neglected in a care home#
Samantha Buchanan	MANCHESTER, England, UK	2017-07-21	Without people looking out for our most vulnerable members of society, we are failing each and every one of them!
Jez Daniels	Casnewydd, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-07-22	They should also ban gagging clauses - where organisations settle a case on the condition that victims never speak about the wrong-doing. This results in the organisation having no incentive to improve.
Karen Claus	Farnham, England, UK	2017-07-22	End corruption now!

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Elizabeth Belton	Wakefield, UK	2017-07-22	It's the right thing to do.
Hugh Flaherty	Hertfordshire, England, UK	2017-07-24	This is a very worthy campaign & the vunreble need all the support they can get.
Debra Wallen	Ivybridge, England, UK	2017-07-27	Something needs to change
ANGELA BROTHERS	PLYMOUTH, England, UK	2017-07-27	Im signing because my mum is in Ivydene Care Home in Ivybridge, Devon and it has been brought to my attention that there is evidence of neglect
kathrine cooley	Leicester, England, UK	2017-07-28	I wouldn't treat my worst enemy like some care homes treat our elderly people
Jessica Richardson	Kent, England, UK	2017-07-29	Because I was treated wrongly and threatened for whistle blowing!!!
David Mill	London, England, UK	2017-08-02	Whistle-blowing is always too serious to be covered-up / ignored / punished.
james graham	Clydebank, Scotland, UK	2017-08-12	Hands off the NHS
Jennifer Wootton-Boyle	Spain	2017-08-12	I agree with everything ..
Colin Robinson	Pepper Arden, England, UK	2017-08-12	It sounds a hellava lot better than the current system of protectin the, erm, system.
Elizabeth Summerill	Shotton Colliery, England, UK	2017-08-14	If we didn't have people who are willing to come forward bad practice would be allowed to continue.
Clare Saxton	Buffalo, New York, US	2017-08-15	My mother Eldery Clara died in a hospital in a horrible way and I could not get help to save her life
Jaqui Davenport	Bridgend, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-08-19	There are too many people being punished for Whistleblowing which is morally wrong as they are trying to protect individuals and the public
Sue Parker Hall	Gwinear, England, UK	2017-08-19	Sharing concerns should be encouraged not result in suffering.
James Kilty	Germoe, England, UK	2017-08-20	Conspiracies to hide harm are worse than the original harms as it implies intentional continuation of the harms and harms the compassionate worker who told the truth. Lies being rewarded? Another example of croneyism in Government - of course, business can do no wrong - the private sector does it better than Government. I forgot.
Diane Salters	Simons Town, Western Cape, South Africa	2017-08-20	we all benefit from disclosures of wrong doing and people brave enough to take such action deserve protection

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K SMITH	Warwick, England, UK	2017-08-20	This should have been sorted out decades ago
Hazell Hammond	Hayle, England, UK	2017-08-21	The truth is paramount, always.
Brian Townsend	Redditch, England, UK	2017-08-22	I am in full support.
vicky morfitt	Hull, England, UK	2017-08-26	This is why people wont disclose truth,sort it out youre supposed to protectwitnesses!!
sarah ringrose	Modbury, England, UK	2017-08-28	My mother was assaulted twice by staff. She died earlier this year. I was appalled at her care.
Ruth Wells	Redditch, England, UK	2017-09-05	This is so very important- that we feel we can stand up, speak up and feel listened to.Not cornered by white tape and HR policies, that are there mainly to protect establishments and notemployees.
Sue. Masters	Studley, England, UK	2017-09-05	Its the right thing to do. defenceless people need to be protected.
Carers Want Competence	Gloucester, UK	2017-09-09	I have created my page due to social care and Gloucestershire County Council complete dismissal of factual and physical evidence based extremely serious concerns regarding care providers concealment of falls and injury, sexual inappropriate behaviour and incompetence
Carers Want Competence	Gloucester, UK	2017-09-09	I have created my page due to social care and Gloucestershire County Council complete dismissal of factual and physical evidence based extremely serious concerns regarding care providers financial deception, concealment of falls and injury, sexual inappropriate behaviour and incompetence.
Ruby Nelson	North Cliffe, England, UK	2017-09-11	After losing job, home and most importantly the patient I blew the whistle on behalf of dying after I was ignored. Change needs to happen!
Andrew Pritchard	Tenbury Wells, England, UK	2017-09-15	It is crucial that we have a law that ensures those who raise concerns about the most vulnerable in our society do not become victims of abuse themselves.
ken powley	Gisborne, New Zealand	2017-10-01	I'm signing because I am going through this drama myself as a bupa whistleblower right now..I sensed that the covering up went quite high up..now I see that the board of directors gets its management team to do the covering up for them....you are so right when you say that making profit from the care sector is wrong...
Ruth Powley	Australia	2017-10-02	All people should be safe
Tee MONTY	Preston, England, UK	2017-10-02	Its the norm.. CORRUPT

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Andrea Turner	St Leonards, England, UK	2017-10-25	all the time people who flag up concerns lose their jobs less and less people flag up concerns. I don't blame them, but they are the problem. I have lost jobs to protect people. We are teaching people to turn s blind eye because bills must be paid.
Anne palmer	Hastings, England, UK	2017-10-25	if you whistle blow you end up losing a career
Carers Want Competence	Gloucester, UK	2017-11-03	I support whistle blowers on my <a href="https://m.facebook.com/carerswantcompetence/">https://m.facebook.com/carerswantcompetence/</a>
Carers Want Competence	Gloucester, UK	2017-11-03	Less and less newspapers are willing to publicise anything to do with authority..
Alison Bilton	Horden, England, UK	2017-11-06	Every resident and their family need the right care and compassion.All abuse needs to be reported and sorted.But it must STOP
Stacey Chambers	Piddington, England, UK	2017-11-06	The way some homes, not all, treat the elderly residence is absolutely disgusting & appalling!! If I had to put my parents into a home when the time came, I would want total assurance that they would be treated with dignity, care & respect, and not be subject to any kind of abuse whether that be physical or mental abuse. Their is just no excuse for it!!!
Katy Cox	Tipton, England, UK	2017-11-06	Our elderly should be cared for with the dignity they deserve.
Lisa-Marie Beech	Nottinghamshire, England, UK	2017-11-06	I'm signing because abuse does happen in care homes, yes there are amazing care homes with fantastic staff, but there is lots of poor practice that amounts to abuse. Too often those who highlight abuse/bad practice are labelled as troublecausers & isolated, discrediting the whistleblower deflects the attention from what is actually happening. Home owners, authorities, regulatory bodies & Health professionals are just as guilty of 'covering up' bad practice. I've raised genuine concerns yet it is me who has been vilified & warned I will be reported to regulatory body if I continue to speak publicly about what happened to residents in the care home where I worked.
Susan Parker	Essex, England, England, UK	2017-11-06	I've had experience as my elderly mother has been in a care home for over 4years. The recent manager who has now left, bullied, intimidated me; took steps to try to get my mother removed from the Home because of my care complaints. She was allowed to do as she wished because she was the manager, I had this pummeled into me as I attempted to go over her head and make a complaint about her. Also I've seen and know Homes are a business and the look of the Home appears more of a priority to owners.Something has to change and I would love to support this major step.

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Julie ward	Mastin Moor, England, UK	2017-11-06	I.m going to be old one day
Susan Blake	Earley, England, UK	2017-11-06	Was advised to place my mum in care by social services when she became a bit less physically able...wish I had not succumbed. My mum lived in my home for 10 years with dementia and I gave up work to be with her for the last 4 years. My mum lasted one year in the care home...she passed away in February this year. I spent the whole year that she was in care fighting for her against all the odds and met brick walls, closed doors and yes eventually the threat of placing my mum &quot;elsewhere&quot;. I have continued to fight but today I discovered Compassion in Care and Eileen Chubb and I now feel excitement and hope where there was exhaustion and despair. United we can make a difference.
Susie Kirk	Staveley, England, UK	2017-11-07	The elderly shld be cherished
Barbara Pickstock	Cheltenham, England, UK	2017-11-07	The level of 'Care' in many of our Care & Nursing Homes needs to be greatly improved. We are failing our elderly. This is the way forward.
Nicola Dyne	Gravesend, England, UK	2017-11-07	I believe this law is desperately needed in this day and age.... we should all look after one another...NOT turn away! !!!
Tina Rickwood	Colchester, England, UK	2017-11-07	Protection for everyone is needed
Vicki Allison	Worksop, England, UK	2017-11-07	This should not be happening. These vulnerable patients rely on the care and support of the care staff not to be abused by the people they trust.
Linda Wiltshire	London, England, UK	2017-11-08	Without whistle blowers this country would be even worse than it already is.
Kelly Steven Smith	Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, US	2017-11-09	I'm not British but I will sign. If people of high positions are doing criminal acts then this law should be put into action.
Mark Feltham-Rickard	Great Holm, England, UK	2017-11-09	People telling the truth about people breaking the law should be protected not persecuted.
margaret mcgregor	Inverness, Scotland, UK	2017-11-11	My mother was in a care home and didn't get the care she so rightly deserved, the manageress only cared about ticking boxes and bullied the staff to reach her goals, the care commission should come unannounced which they are supposed to but the home always seem to know when they were coming as there was always extra staff on, one time the manageress took a resident out for the day and treated her to dinner to keep her out of the way of the care commission as she would have told them too much as she had all her faculties about her. This is what goes on in todays world something needs to be done to make it a better environment for our elderly relatives to be in a better life when the day come a care home is the only alternative.

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Gemma Quinnell	Gillingham, England, UK	2017-11-26	Of personal experience that whistle blowers are not protected in any way
rosemary hopkin	cardiff, Wales; Cymru, UK	2017-12-15	I am WHISTLEBLOWING on CORRUPTION in the NHS in HUMAN ORGAN TRAFFICKING for MUSLIMS. DEATHS in the NHS .. Killings in the NHS for ORGANS for MUSLIMS...
mark Golding	Milton Keynes, UK	2017-12-15	evidence rosemary - none?
Alan Rainbird	Leicester, England, UK	2017-12-16	This is simply RIGHT. Even handed and ensures the security of the concerned whilst discouraging the malicious.
Dal Morlar	UK	2018-01-19	I've worked in Adult Health and Social Care and I've seen the problems first hand. Care MUST come before profit and low wages, no sick pay and zero hour contracts that care workers endure which never gets mentioned by main stream media.
Sheila Beer	Martlesham, England, UK	2018-02-06	'whistleblowing' in all and every walk of life is immoral to penalize in any way. For instance those that report sexual abuse are 'whistleblowing', what's the difference between that and reporting any other 'wrong' things. I am enraged that those who 'whistleblow' on the NHS will lose their jobs. 'We' pay for the NHS aren't we entitled to know what's going on - those in power are hiding behind the power they have over those who report the 'issues' that could be improved with the right commitment.
Janet Johansson	Milton, UK	2018-02-12	Keeping silent means nothing changes for the better
Sarah James	UK	2018-02-12	This needs to happen!
MARILYN FACCINI	NECTON NORFOLK, England, UK	2018-02-21	whistle-blowers care about the industry they work in, without them things would not change for the better. They need to be protected!
julie mills	Port Talbot, Wales; Cymru, UK	2018-03-10	Shocking
Sheila Anderson	Liverpool, UK	2018-03-15	I think everyone should report wrongdoing
Lynnette Lea	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	Xxx
Sharon Crook	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	These people need protection, they risk everything to report shocking abuse and failures at certain establishments in order to protect the vulnerable, only to lose their jobs and face discrimination, these people need listening to before any more people are abused/die as a result of neglect
Carol Astley	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	There should be utter transparency in certain jobs. Cover ups should not be happening in this day and age. People who highlight wrong doing in any organisation should be listened to, protected and praised for raising the issue.

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ANTHONY MURPHY	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	This directly or indirectly concerns us all.
Stuart Oldfield	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	Those who are brave enough to expose the truth are the voice of the most vulnerable people in our society and they deserve to be protected.
Francine Godfrey	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-15	People must feel safe when reporting abuse of any sort. They should be applauded for doing so, not penalised. What kind of justice is this!!!
Ian Edmundson	Farnworth, England, UK	2018-03-16	This needs to be law.
Allan Stevens	Handcross, England, UK	2018-03-16	Something must be done about the care system in this country it's disgusting in some care homes 💎
JIM DOHERTY	Ashton-under-lyne, UK	2018-03-16	JIM DOHERTY
Jane Marsland	UK	2018-03-16	I'm signing because no one should be afraid to speak up to protect the most vulnerable people in our society especially those who cannot speak up for themselves
M C	UK	2018-03-16	I have read the article quickly - have I read right that he was promoted for ignoring abuse reported to him!? If this is the case, this is appalling the way he was PROMOTED for ignoring abuse reported to him! Should be sacked - not promoted! This is all too apparent recently and has been going on too long! I am signing this because this/ corruptions of these natures needs stopping..
jodie lea	Bolton, England, UK	2018-03-16	It's disgusting! I'm a HealthCare Assistant and absolutely love my job! If you can't or don't care don't get a job in the industry where vulnerable adults/children are! They need us, they rely on us!Xx
Nicola Aspeotis	Stockport, England, UK	2018-03-17	Very necessary to protect ourselves
Nick T	Cambridge, England, UK	2018-03-19	Whistleblowers have so far revealed just the tip of a glistening iceberg of the corruption and malpractice that exists. They should be supported and protected and never made to fear about repercussions for telling the truth. That we even have to have this petition is a shocking indictment of how far we haven't come!
Edward Coleman	London, England, UK	2018-03-21	Whistle blowers need to be protected
william clarke	Bournemouth, England, UK	2018-03-21	It's the right thing to do.
melanie Leahy	Heybridge, England, UK	2018-04-16	Shameful abuse, going on.

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constanti ortega frances	Spain	2018-04-16	sentido común
Sally Lea	Burnham-on-Crouch, England, UK	2018-04-16	I'd have to be a crook not to.
phil day	London, UK	2018-04-25	The power has to be taken away from purely the home to give an even playing field to protect the vulnerable
keyna leyland	todmorden, England, UK	2018-04-26	its standard response by all the 'protecting' safeguarding authorities. the buck is passed, and so it goes around in circles, with nothing achieved, the vulnerable even more at risk, all the culpable ones are 'let off' and as you say exonerated. If documents are being hidden, information is being suppressed, then only a whistleblower who takes great risks, can possibly reveal the extent to what is going on. The result is: information is out, 'lessons will be learned'; the vulnerable are still at risk; no changes to CQC procedures ( which are very inconsistent in their approach and quite vague); all 'exonerated'; no one accountable: and most dangerously: all is 'airbrushed out of history' and disappears. The cycle continues. An ordinary person raising this safeguarding or genuine concerns are up against the 'entire system', who have money, therefore supreme power behind them. They can make things disappear, with no accountability. A judicial inquest is needed, but out of the hands of the normal individual and
keyna leyland	todmorden, England, UK	2018-04-26	yes they very much do, and also vulnerable people who they are whistleblowing on....there is abuse on a massive scale in the UK, that is so hushed up and brushed under the carpet, meaning vulnerable people are treated as 3rd class citizens
Sharonann Roberts	UK	2018-05-04	I'm signing this petition because someone has to stand up and speak up when wrongs are done, crimes committed ,if knowone stands up for right then those committing wrongs will carry on getting away with it Truth always prevails
Michelle Bennett	Wymondham, England, UK	2018-05-07	I care and agree with this completely
John Mountford	Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK	2018-05-07	I have been a whistleblower in the past and did not get taken seriously
Lesley Prior	Guildford, UK	2018-05-24	Every one has the right to be cared for with privacy dignity and respect
Nikki Roy	Norwich, England, UK	2018-05-24	My father is a vulnerable person in a carehome.
Angela Hind	Portslade, England, UK	2018-05-24	Angela Hind
Suki Pollard	St Jean de Maruejols, France	2018-05-24	To not listen to or punish the outspoken, the truthful, the brave is cowardly at best and criminal at worst. Bring on Edna's Law please

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Joan O'Donoghue	London, England, UK	2018-05-24	The powerful must always be held to account. Whistleblowers deserve protection. Without it there is no transparency and the abuse of power follows.