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Dear Dr Norton,

We are pleased to submit the article entitled ‘The functional status and well being of people with ME/CFS and their carers’ for your consideration. We believe the paper will be of great interest to your readers as it covers a rather common chronic condition, which we show greatly affects the quality of life of those involved and also of their carers.

The burden to individuals affected is considerable, and prevents them from realising their full potentials at work, as well as socially. For the first time we show that the quality of life of those caring for people with ME/CFS is also compromised, especially within the mental health domain, indicating the far
reaching consequences of this disabling illness.
We are submitting the manuscript to this journal, and the authors declare they have no conflict of interest.
We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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