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To whom it may concern:

I was a chronic pain patient for many years, but after refusing to continue with the injections in the ablations, I was no longer given my medication. After tens of thousands of dollars spent on useless injections just to get my pain medication because of all these new guidelines is simply sad. The government needs to stay out of my doctors practice. I don't think anyone would want me coming to the CDC and writing guidelines and rules that you had to follow when I know zero about the subject. That's exactly what the CDC has done to hundreds of thousands of chronic pain patients. Things have gotten so ridiculous now that even people getting serious surgeries aren't given the option to have an opioid they're told to take tylenol. I guess until you're in the situation to where you need a pain medication , you don't care but I promise you one day you or someone you love will need pain medication and it's not going to be available because of the ridiculous guidelines that the CDC has put on opioid prescriptions and Manufacturing. The overstepping that the CDC has done with opioids is unbelievable. Whenever you can't even get pain relief for someone who is on hospice dying from cancer because the doctors are afraid they will get addicted are you kidding me y'all need to take a look in the mirror and reassess your values and what you're doing because you are ruining the lives of millions of Americans.