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## WE NEED YOU

Cystic Fibrosis Australia will be taking its demands to Canberra in one month when our petition on Trikafta goes before Parliament House. Our demands are simple – get Trikafta fully listed and fully funded ASAP!

The PBAC has made its recommendation and there is no more legitimate doubt as to the effectiveness and necessity of this drug. All remaining holdups can only be the result of negotiations on price which have already dragged on far too long.

It is up to us to remind the upper echelons of the Australian Government why this issue is so time-sensitive. It is up to us to remind them that, of the four thousand Australians living with cystic fibrosis (CF), roughly 90% of them can benefit from the use of Trikafta. It is up to us to remind our ministers that these individuals have lives and family and roles in the wider community. And it is up to us to remind our ministers that the continued delays on Trikafta are not just a waste of time, but also an unconscionable waste of life.

The petition is live for only 30 days. We have one month to get our signatures. One month to come together and make this issue impossible to ignore. If you are on this mailing list then you know who we are, what Trikafta is and why it is a number one priority. So please click the link and sign this Petition. Afterwards share it with everyone you can and be part of this moment in CF history.

## https://www.aph.gov.au/e-petitions/petition/EN3915

Best Regards, Jo Armstrong, CEO Cystic Fibrosis Australia