**Template letter to local MP re ABI Bill (survivor/carer), October 2021**

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Dear Name of MP

As one of your constituents, I am asking you to back Chris Bryant MP’s Acquired Brain Injury Bill (Private Members’ Bill) which will be debated in the House of Commons on Friday 3rd December. This legislation could make a huge difference to me and my family so I hope you can support it.

If you are a survivor or carer, please provide any details you can share about your injury/your loved one’s injury, what effect it has had on your life and what support you’ve received from Headway to help with recovery.

There are many more examples of individuals needing this type of help and support. People living with ABI deserve to have their needs recognised and met. That’s why Chris Bryant’s Bill is so important; it will create a much-needed national strategy for ABI and we really hope you are able to support it. You can find out more about the bill here: [www.abibill.org.uk](http://www.abibill.org.uk).

Please let me know if you are willing back the Bill. If you could also confirm your support by emailing chris.bryant.mp@parliament.uk, it would be appreciated.

In addition, it would be helpful if you could also inform the Secretary of State for Health, that you are backing the Bill and ask that the government support the Bill too.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,