

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Additional Estimates 2013 - 2014, 26 February 2014**

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**OUTCOME:** 0 - Whole of Portfolio

**Topic:** Communications Staff

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** Ludwig Joe

**Question:**

For all departments and agencies, please provide – in relation to all public relations, communications and media staff – the following:

- a) How many ongoing staff, the classification, the type of work they undertake and their location.
- b) How many non-ongoing staff, their classification, type of work they undertake and their location
- c) How many contractors, their classification, type of work they undertake and their location
- d) How many are graphic designers?
- e) How many are media managers?
- f) How many organise events?

**Answer:**

a) to c)  
Refer to Attachment A.

d) to f)  
Refer to Attachment B.



Staffing information as at 23 April 2014; please note that Attachment A includes the number of graphic designers, media managers and event organisers – these numbers are also provided separately in Attachment B

**Attachment A**

Department/Agency	Location	(a) Ongoing staff (including (d) number of graphic designers, (e) number of media managers and (f) number of event organisers) *		(b) Non ongoing staff (including (d) number of graphic designers, (e) number of media managers and (f) number of event organisers) *		(c) Contracted staff (including (d) number of graphic designers, (e) number of media managers and (f) number of event organisers) *		Work Type
		No. of Staff	Classification	No. of Staff	Classification	No. of Staff	Classification	
<b>Department of Health</b> <i>*Includes Therapeutic Goods Administration Trust, National Industrial Chemical Notification and Assessment Scheme and Office of Gene Technology Regulator.</i>	ACT, Canberra Sydney, NSW	37	APS 4 – SES Band 1	3	APS 6	5	n/a	Development and implementation of externally focused communication activities including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communication Strategies</li> <li>• Publications</li> <li>• Media releases</li> <li>• Speeches</li> <li>• Events</li> <li>• Web Pages and Social Media content</li> <li>• Manage Media Monitoring &amp; engagement</li> <li>• Graphic Design</li> </ul>
<b>Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC)</b>	Sydney, NSW	1.5	APS6 – EL1	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)</b>	Canberra, ACT	12.4	APS4 – SES Band 1	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Australian National Preventive Health Agency (ANPHA)</b>	Canberra, ACT	1	EL2	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA)</b>	Yallambie, VIC	1	EL1	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Australian Sports Commission (ASC) (inc Australian Sports Foundation)</b>	Bruce, ACT	17	ASC4 – ASC8	1	ASC 6	1	n/a	
<b>Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority</b>	Fyshwick, ACT	4.5	APS4 – EL2	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Cancer Australia (CA)</b>	Surry Hills, NSW	3.8	APS6 – EL2	nil	n/a	1	n/a	
<b>Food Standards Australia and New Zealand (FSANZ)</b>	Barton, ACT	2	APS4 – EL2	2	APS6 – EL1	nil	n/a	
<b>General Practice Education and Training Limited (GPET)</b>	Canberra, ACT	4.3	APS3 – EL2	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>Health Workforce Australia (HWA)</b>	Adelaide, SA and Melbourne, VIC	1.7	HWA5 – EL2	1.5	EL1	2.5	n/a	
<b>Independent Hospital Pricing Authority (IHPA)</b>	Darlinghurst, NSW	2	APS 6 – EL1	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>National Blood Authority (NBA)</b>	Turner, ACT	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>National Health Funding Body (NHFB)</b>	Barton, ACT	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	
<b>National Health Performance Authority (NHPA)</b>	Sydney, NSW and Barton, ACT	9	APS5 – EL2	1	EL1	nil	n/a	

<b>National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)</b>	Canberra, ACT	4.5	APS4 – EL1	nil	n/a	nil	n/a
<b>National Mental Health Commission (NMHC)</b>	Sydney, NSW	1	APS6	1	APS4	nil	n/a
<b>Organ and Tissue Authority (OTA)</b>	Canberra, ACT	4.9	APS4 – SPAO2	nil	n/a	nil	n/a
<b>Private Health Insurance Administration Council (PHIAC)</b>	Barton, ACT	0.70	APS4 – CEO	nil	n/a	nil	n/a
<b>Private Health Insurance Ombudsman (PHIO)</b>	Sydney, NSW	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	1	n/a
<b>Professional Services Review Agency (PSR)</b>	Canberra, ACT	nil	n/a	nil	n/a	nil	n/a

## Attachment B

Department/Agency	Location	(d) Number of Graphic Designers *	(e) Number of Media Managers *	(f) Number of Event Organisers *
<b>Department of Health</b> <i>*Includes Therapeutic Goods Administration Trust, National Industrial Chemical Notification and Assessment Scheme and Office of Gene Technology Regulator.</i>	ACT, Canberra Sydney, NSW	2	4	1.5
<b>Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC)</b>	Sydney, NSW	0.1	0.3	0.2
<b>Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)</b>	Canberra, ACT	2	1	nil
<b>Australian National Preventive Health Agency (ANPHA)</b>	Canberra, ACT	nil	1	nil
<b>Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA)</b>	Yallambie, VIC	nil	nil	nil
<b>Australian Sports Commission (including Australian Sports Foundation)</b>	Bruce, ACT	2	3	1
<b>Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority</b>	Fyshwick, ACT	nil	1	1
<b>Cancer Australia (CA)</b>	Surry Hills, NSW	nil	nil	nil
<b>Food Standards Australia and New Zealand (FSANZ)</b>	Barton, ACT	nil	1	nil
<b>General Practice Education and Training Limited (GPET)</b>	Canberra, ACT	1	nil	nil
<b>Health Workforce Australia (HWA)</b>	Adelaide, SA and Melbourne, Vic	1	0.5	0.5
<b>Independent Hospital Pricing Authority (IHPA)</b>	Darlinghurst, NSW	nil	nil	nil
<b>National Blood Authority (NBA)</b>	Turner, ACT	nil	nil	nil
<b>National Health Funding Body (NHFB)</b>	Barton, ACT	nil	nil	nil
<b>National Health Performance Authority (NHPA)</b>	Sydney, NSW and Barton, ACT	2	1	nil
<b>National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)</b>	Canberra, ACT	nil	1	1
<b>National Mental Health Commission</b>	Sydney, NSW	nil	nil	nil
<b>Organ and Tissue Authority (OTA)</b>	Canberra, ACT	0.3	0.5	nil
<b>Private Health Insurance Administration Council (PHIAC)</b>	Barton, ACT	nil	nil	nil
<b>Private Health Insurance Ombudsman (PHIO)</b>	Sydney, NSW	nil	nil	nil
<b>Professional Services Review Agency (PSR)</b>	Canberra, ACT	nil	nil	nil