Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2013 - 2014, 26 February 2014

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OUTCOME: 13 - Acute Care

Topic: Dental

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas Jan

Question:

How many public dental patients have been treated under the public dental waiting list blitz?

Answer:

The total number of additional public dental patients reported to have received treatment under the National Partnership Agreement on Treating More Public Dental Patients from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013 is 204,802. This figure does not include information from the Northern Territory, which has not yet provided its performance data to the Commonwealth.