

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2016-2017 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 3.2 National Disability Insurance Scheme Question No: SQ17-000084

Topic: NDIS Transition

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Senator Rachel Siewert asked:

The response to question on notice 401 from Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016-17 stated that “[f]or Commonwealth funded providers of community mental health services, funding is allocated to providers for this purpose, while longer-term arrangements are developed. It is a matter for state and territory governments how they provide this support.” Is this response saying that when Commonwealth programs currently delivered in community managed mental health settings transition to the NDIS, that people receiving these services but not eligible for the NDIS will be the responsibility of the state and territories?

Answer:

See SQ17-000082.