

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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Question: E12-066

OUTCOME 1: Population Health

Topic: RU486

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Senator: Senator Fierravanti-Wells

Question:

Please provide the number of medical practitioners who are currently authorised to supply RU486 for the termination of pregnancy, broken down by state and territory.

Answer:

State/ Territory	Current authorisations granted under the <i>Therapeutic Goods Act 1989</i> to prescribe mifepristone
ACT	1
NSW	81
QLD	24
SA	18
TAS	2
VIC	44
WA	8
Total	178