

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME 11: Mental Health

Topic: Mental Health Nurse Incentive Program

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Senator: Senator Wright

Question:

What is the total amount of base level funding that is allocated to the MHNIP for 2012-13. That is, what the base level of funding of the program is that the \$17.6 million is in addition to?

Answer:

Prior to the additional funding announced in the 2012-13 Budget, the allocation for Mental Health Nurse Incentive Program (MHNIP) in 2012-13 was \$19.055 million.