

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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OUTCOME 5: Primary Care

Topic: General Practice Education and Training Ltd

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Senator: Senator Fierravanti-Wells

Question:

What is the process of accreditation for supervision of registrars?

Answer:

Training practices and supervisors in the Australian General Practice Training (AGPT) program must be accredited against the education and training standards of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners and/or the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine. The Colleges have delegated the process of accreditation of training practices and supervisors to the regional training providers contracted by General Practice Education and Training to deliver the AGPT program. The regional training providers undertake the accreditation process through desktop audits of required practice information and site visits by a team of regional training provider and College representatives.