

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND
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2010-11 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 5

Question No: 123

Topic: Better start for children with disability

Hansard Page: Written

Senator Fifield asked:

How many children in Australia under the age of six have been diagnosed with:

- Sight impairments
- Hearing impairments
- Cerebral palsy
- Down syndrome
- Fragile X syndrome

Answer:

FaHCSIA does not have a database that records all those children under the age of 6 years who have been diagnosed with the above disabilities.