

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
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**Outcome Number:** Cross Outcome - Across Programs

**Question No:** 244

**Topic:** Cross Department / Corporate Matters

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**Senator Moore** asked:

Please confirm details of all government payments that are now the processing responsibility of the Department of Social Services.

**Answer:**

The Department of Social Services is responsible for the following payments:

Abstudy  
Age Pension  
Aged Care – Home Care  
Aged Care Education and Training Incentive  
Aged Care – Residential  
Assistance for Isolated Children  
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Baby Bonus  
Bereavement Allowance  
Carer Allowance  
Carer Payment  
Disability Support Pension  
Disaster Recovery  
Double Orphan Pension  
Family Tax Benefit Part A  
Family Tax Benefit Part B  
Fares Allowance  
JobSearch  
Maternity Immunisation Allowance  
Mobility Allowance  
Newstart Allowance  
Parenting Payment  
Partner Allowance Benefit  
Pensioner Education Supplement  
Rent Assistance  
Schoolkids Bonus  
Seniors Supplement  
Sickness Allowance  
Single Income Family Support  
Special Benefit  
Utilities Allowance  
Voluntary Income Management Incentive  
Widow Allowance  
Widow B Pension

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Wife Pension (Age)  
Wife Pension (DSP)  
Youth Allowance