

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2016-17 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

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Topic: Disability & Carers Policy

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Senator Rachel Siewert asked:

How many Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families accessed Better Start in regional and remote areas?

a) How did this compare against non-Aboriginal families accessing the program?

Answer:

- 151 self-identified Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families from regional and remote areas have accessed Better Start.
- 1,046 non-Aboriginal families from regional and remote areas have accessed Better Start.