

# SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

**Public Hearings: ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2013-14**

**Wednesday, 26 February to Thursday, 27 February 2014**

**Committee Room 2S1, Parliament House, Canberra ACT**

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**WEDNESDAY, 26 February 2014**

	<b>Health Portfolio</b>
	<b>Department of Health</b>
<b>9:00am-10:30am</b>	<b>Whole of Portfolio/ Corporate Matters</b>
	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)
<b>10:30am-10:45am</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>10:45am-11:15am</b>	<b>Outcome 9 Private Health</b>
	Program 9.1: Private Health Insurance Private Health Insurance Ombudsman (PHIO) Private Health Insurance Administration Council
<b>11:15am-12:15pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1 Population Health</b>
	Program1.1: Prevention, Early Detection and Service Improvement Program1.2: Communicable Disease Control Program1.3: Drug Strategy Program1.4: Regulatory Policy Program1.5: Immunisation Program1.6: Public Health Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) <sup>1</sup> Food Standards Australia New Zealand (FSANZ) National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) Australian National Preventive Health Agency (ANPHA) Cancer Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS) Office of the Gene Technology Regulator
<b>12:15pm-1:15pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:15pm -2:55pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1 Population Health (Continued)</b>
<b>2:55pm -3:40pm</b>	<b>Outcome 5 Primary Care</b>
	Program 5.1: Primary Care and Education and Training Program 5.2: Primary Care Financing, Quality and Access <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medicare Locals</li> <li>• GP SuperClinics</li> </ul> Program 5.3: Primary Care Practice Incentives

<sup>1</sup> Questions about the establishment of the Australia New Zealand Therapeutic Products Agency can be asked under Outcome 1.

<b>3:40pm -4:10pm</b>	<b>Outcome 15 Sport and Recreation</b>
	Program 15.1: Sports and Recreation Office of Sport Australian Sport Commission Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority
<b>4:10pm-4:25pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>4:25pm-5:45pm</b>	<b>Outcome 13 Acute Care</b>
	Program 13.1: Blood and Organ Donation Services Program 13.2: Medical Indemnity Program 13.3: Public Hospitals and Information Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Authority National Blood Authority National Health Funding Body National Health Funding Pool Administrator
<b>5:45pm- 6:45pm</b>	<b>Outcome 11 Mental Health</b>
	Program 11.1: Mental Health National Mental Health Commission
<b>6:45pm-7:45pm</b>	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>7:45pm-8:30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 10 Health System Capacity and Quality</b>
	Program 10.1: Chronic Disease - Treatment Program 10.2: e-Health Implementation National e-Health Transition Authority (NEHTA) Program 10.3: Health Information Program 10.4: International Policy Engagement Program 10.5: Research Capacity and Quality Program 10.6: Health Infrastructure
<b>8:30pm-9:15pm</b>	<b>Outcome 12 Health Workforce Capacity<sup>2</sup></b>
	Program 12.1: Workforce and Rural Distribution Program 12.2: Workforce development and Innovation Health Workforce Australia (HWA)
<b>9:15pm-9:30pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>9:30pm-9:50pm</b>	<b>Outcome 3 Access to Medical Services<sup>3</sup></b>
	Program 3.1: Medicare Services Program 3.2: Targeted Assistance - Medical Program 3.3: Diagnostic Imaging Services Program 3.4: Pathology Services Program 3.5: Chronic Disease – Radiation Oncology
<b>9:50pm-10:20pm</b>	<b>Outcome 2 Access to Pharmaceutical Services</b>
	Program 2.1: Community Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Awareness Program 2.2: Pharmaceuticals and Pharmaceutical Services Program 2.3: Targeted Assistance - Pharmaceuticals Program 2.4: Targeted Assistance – Aids and Appliances

<sup>2</sup> Questions about the Medical Training Review Panel may be asked under Outcome 12.

<sup>3</sup> Questions about PET Scanners may be asked under Outcome 3.

<b>10:20pm-10:45pm</b>	<b>Outcome 6 Rural Health</b>		
	Program 6.1: Rural Health Services <sup>4</sup>		
<b>10:45pm-11:00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 14 Biosecurity and Emergency Response</b>		
	Program 14.1: Health Emergency Planning and Response		
<b>Proposed breaks</b>	Morning tea	10:30am	10:45am
	Lunch	12:15pm	1:15pm
	Afternoon tea	4:10pm	4:25pm
	Dinner	6:45pm	7:45pm
	Evening Break	9:25pm	9:40pm

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<sup>4</sup> Questions about Rural and Regional Health Australia may be asked under Outcome 6.

<b>THURSDAY, 27 February 2014</b>	
	<b>Social Services Portfolio</b>
	<b>Department of Social Services</b>
<b>9:00am – 10:15am</b>	<b>Cross Portfolio/Corporate Matters</b>
<b>10:15am</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>10:30am-11:00am</b>	<b>Outcome 4 Seniors</b>
	Program 4.1: Income Support for Seniors Program 4.2 : Allowances, Concessions and Services for Seniors Program 4.3: Programme Support for Outcome 4
<b>11:00am-12:30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 5 Disability and Carers</b>
	Program 5.1: Targeted Community Care Program 5.2: Income Support for People with Disability Program 5.3: Income Support for Carers Program 5.4: Services and Support for People with Disability Program 5.5: Support for Carers Program 5.6: National Disability Insurance Scheme Program 5.7: Early Intervention Services for Children with Disability Program 5.8: Programme Support for Outcome 8 National Disability Insurance Agency
<b>12:30pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:30pm-3:00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 8 Aged Care and Population Ageing</b>
	Program 8.1: Access and Information Program 8.2: Home Support Program 8.3: Home Care Program 8.4: Residential and Flexible Care Program 8.5 Workforce and Quality Program 8.6: Ageing and Service Improvement Aged Care Commissioner Aged Care Pricing Commissioner Australian Aged Care Quality Agency
<b>3.00pm-4.00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 2 Housing and Homelessness</b>
	Program 2.1: Housing Assistance and Homelessness Prevention Program 2.2: Affordable Housing Program 2.3: Programme Support for Outcome 2
<b>4:00pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>4:15pm-5.00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1 Families</b>
	Program 1.1: Family Support Program 1.2: Family Tax Benefit Program 1.3: Parent and Baby Payments Program 1.4: Programme Support for Outcome 1 Australian Institute of Family Studies

<b>5.00pm-6.00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 11 Disability Employment Services and Working Age and Student Payments</b>		
	Program 11.1: Disability Employment Services Program 11.2: Working Age Payments Program 11.3: Student Payments Program 11.4: Programme Support for Outcome 11		
<b>6:00pm-6:30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 6 Women</b>		
	Program 6.1: Gender Equality for Women Program 6.2: Programme Support for Outcome 6		
<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Dinner</b>		
<b>7.30pm-8.15pm</b>	<b>Outcome 3 Community Capability and the Vulnerable</b>		
	Program 3.1: Community Capability and the Vulnerable Program 3.2: Community Investment Program 3.3: Income Support for Vulnerable People Program 3.4: Support for People in Special Circumstances Program 3.5: Supplementary Payments and Support for Income Support Recipients Program 3.6: Social and Community Sector Program 3.7: Civil Society, non-profit and volunteering Program 3.8: Programme Support for Outcome 3		
<b>8.15pm-9.00pm</b>	<b>Outcome 9 Settlement Services</b>		
	Program 9.1: Settlement Services for Migrants and Refugees		
	<b>Outcome 10 Multicultural Affairs</b>		
	Program 10.1: Multicultural Services		
<b>9:00pm</b>	<b>Break</b>		
<b>9:15pm-11:00pm</b>	<b>Human Services Portfolio</b>		
	<b>Department of Human Services</b>		
	Australian Hearing Services		
	<b>Outcome 1</b>		
	<b>Corporate CIO Group</b>		
	<b>Program 1.1: Services to the Community</b> Social Security and Welfare		
	<b>Program 1.2: Services to the Community</b> Health		
	<b>Program 1.3: Child Support</b>		
<b>Proposed breaks</b>	Morning tea	10:15am	10:30am
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