

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 30/31 May 2011

Question: E11-358

OUTCOME 1: Population Health

Topic: AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL PREVENTIVE HEALTH AGENCY (ANPHA)

Written Question on Notice

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

What is the ANPHA planning to do in the future to promote the Australian Guidelines to Reduce Health Risks from Drinking Alcohol to General Practitioners to then pass on to their patients?

Answer:

ANPHA has no specific plans at this time to promote the Australian Guidelines to Reduce Health Risks from Drinking Alcohol to General Practitioners to then pass on to their patients.

ANPHA will be considering evidence and policy options for a range of alcohol-related programs and measures including those potentially, and best delivered through primary health services.