

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2012-2013**

Outcome 1 – Early Childhood, Working Age and Indigenous Participation

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Question

Inclusion Subsidy Support

Senator NASH: Thanks. What was the total amount paid for the subsidy over last financial year? Mr Kimber: I have not got the last financial year's figures, but I have the estimated 2011-12 budget in terms of the inclusion support agency funding of \$28.1 million and flexible support funding, which sits underneath it, of \$3.7 million. Senator NASH: Okay. Could you take on notice the actuals for the last financial year? That would be great. Mr Kimber: Yes.

Answer

In the 2010-11 financial year, the value of Inclusion Support Subsidy Claims paid to child care services was \$42.1m.