

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

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

Outcome 2 – Schools and Youth

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Question

Indigenous Youth Mobility Program

Senator SCULLION: Just in terms of subscriptions, which is an issue as well, how are we going relatively between the applicants and the positions available over your last decision-making period in terms of finance or recruitment, whichever one it is?
Mr Davies: I do not think I have that percentage figure here. Senator SCULLION: You can take that on notice. I appreciate that.

Answer

Applications for IYMP are handled at each of the 16 locations separately. Each location markets the program within the broader region covered by that location. Generally there are places available at most locations because young people engage and complete their training at different times or drop out due to family or other reasons.

As at August 2012, 90% of available positions were filled.