

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

**Outcome 1 - Early Childhood Education and Child Care**

**DEEWR Question No. EW0588\_12**

**Senator Mason provided in writing.**

**Question**

**Indigenous early childhood education centres**

Is the government still expecting to have 22 centres constructed by 30 June 2012?

**Answer**

Based on most recent advice from state and territory governments, it is anticipated that by 30 June 2012 there will be 13 Children and Family Centres constructed under the Indigenous Early Childhood Development National Partnership.