



PARLIAMENT  
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## Budget Estimates 2019–20

### Community Affairs Legislation Committee

Friday, 5 April 2019, Wednesday, 10 April 2019 and Thursday, 11 April 2019  
**Committee Room 2S1**, Parliament House, Canberra

Times listed are indicative only



#### Hearing location

Committee Room 2S1,  
Parliament House, Canberra  
Waiting room: Committee Room 2S2



#### Committee members

Senator Lucy Gichuhi, Chair  
Senator Rachel Siewert, Deputy Chair  
Senator the Hon Lisa Singh  
Senator Wendy Askew  
Senator Dean Smith  
Senator Murray Watt



#### Broadcasts of proceedings

Television channel 112  
Radio  
90.3 [https://www.aph.gov.au/News\\_and\\_Events/Watch\\_Parliament](https://www.aph.gov.au/News_and_Events/Watch_Parliament)

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Senator the Hon Mitch Fifield



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## Health Portfolio

<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Department of Health</b> <b>Whole of portfolio / Corporate matters</b>
<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Outcome 6: Ageing and Aged Care</b> Program 6.1: Access and Information Program 6.2: Home Care Services Program 6.3: Aged Care Quality
<b>10.45am</b>	Break
<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Outcome 1: Health System Policy, Design and Innovation</b> Program 1.1: Health Policy Research and Analysis Program 1.2: Health Innovation and Technology <b>Australian Digital Health Agency</b> Program 1.3: Health Infrastructure Program 1.4: Health Peak and Advisory Bodies Program 1.5: International Policy
<b>11.45am</b>	<b>Outcome 2: Health Access and Support Services</b> Program 2.1: Mental Health Program 2.3: Health Workforce Program 2.4: Preventative Health and Chronic Disease Support Program 2.5: Primary Health Care Quality and Coordination Program 2.6: Primary Care Practice Incentives Program 2.7: Hospital Services
<b>12.45pm</b>	Lunch
<b>1.45pm</b>	<b>Outcome 3: Sport and Recreation</b> Program 3.1: Sport and Recreation <b>Sport Australia</b>
<b>2.15pm</b>	<b>Outcome 4: Individual Health Benefits</b> Program 4.1: Medical Benefits Program 4.2: Hearing Services Program 4.3: Pharmaceutical Benefits Program 4.4: Private Health Insurance Program 4.5: Medical Indemnity Program 4.6: Dental Services Program 4.7: Health Benefit Compliance Program 4.8: Targeted Assistance – Aids and Appliances
<b>3.15pm</b>	<b>Outcome 5: Regulation, Safety and Protection</b> Program 5.1: Protect the Health and Safety of the Community Through Regulation Program 5.2: Health Protection and Emergency Response Program 5.3: Immunisation
<b>3.45pm</b>	Break

## Social Services Portfolio

<b>4.00pm</b>	<b>Department of Social Services</b> <b>Whole of portfolio / Corporate matters</b>
<b>4.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1: Social Security</b> Program 1.1: Family Tax Benefit Program 1.2: Child Payments Program 1.3: Income Support for Vulnerable People Program 1.4: Income Support for People in Special Circumstances Program 1.5: Supplementary Payments and Support for Income Support Recipients Program 1.6: Income Support for Seniors Program 1.7: Allowances and Concessions for Seniors Program 1.8: Income Support for People with Disability Program 1.9: Income Support for Carers Program 1.10: Working Age Payments Program 1.11: Student Payments
<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 2: Families and Communities</b> Program 2.1: Families and Communities Program 2.2: Paid Parental Leave Program 2.3: Social and Community Services
<b>6.30pm</b>	Dinner
<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 3: Disability and Carers</b> Program 3.1: Disability, Mental Health and Carers Program 3.2: National Disability Insurance Scheme <b>National Disability Insurance Agency</b>
<b>8.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 4: Housing</b> Program 4.1: Housing and Homelessness Program 4.2: Affordable Housing
<b>9.00pm</b>	Break
<b>9.15pm</b>	<b>Department of Human Services</b> <b>Whole of portfolio / Corporate matters</b>
<b>9.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1: Support individuals, families and communities to achieve greater self-sufficiency; through the delivery of policy advice and high quality accessible social, health and child support services and other payments; and support providers and businesses through convenient and efficient service delivery</b> Program 1.1: Services to the Community – Social Security and Welfare Program 1.2: Services to the Community – Health <b>Australian Hearing</b> Program 1.3: Child Support
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