Community Affairs References Committee

Planning Options and services for people ageing with a disability ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Outcome Number 5: Disability and Carers Question No: 3

Topic: Number of people with disabilities with individualised funding packages

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Senator Boyce asked:

Would you have any sense of how many people have individualised funding packages, compared to those who do not?

Answer:

The most recent publication of data on individualised funding was the *Commonwealth State Territory Disability Agreement National Minimum Data Set* in 2006-07. Based on that report, approximately 27 per cent of service users, or 59 016 people, were reported to be on individualised funding arrangements.