

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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Question: E12-381

OUTCOME 8: Indigenous Health

Topic: THE ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUICIDE  
PREVENTION ADVISORY GROUP

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Senator Siewert asked:

In reference to the principles signed off by the advisory group relating to the funding of projects under TATS

- a) Have the principles been published?
- b) Is it possible that we could get a copy of those principles?

Answer:

a) and b)

On 31 January 2012 the Advisory Group endorsed a set of key principles which will provide strategic guidance on priorities for the investment of \$6 million funding quarantined through the Taking Action to Tackle Suicide (TATS) package and for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander specific suicide prevention activity more broadly. The principles are attached.