

**Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES - 27 FEBRUARY 2014  
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

**Department of Human Services**

**Topic:** Income Maintenance Periods

**Question reference number:** HS 33

**Senator:** Siewert

**Type of question:** Written

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**Question:**

- a) How many Income Maintenance Periods (IMP) were imposed in 2012-13?
- b) Of the Income Maintenance Periods applied, what was the average IMP imposed?

**Answer:**

- a) In the 2012-13 financial year there were 281,469 Income Maintenance Periods (IMP) applied.
- b) The average IMP applied was four weeks and three days.