Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 3 - Access to Medical and Dental Services

Topic: Dental Care

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Di Natale, Richard

Question:

Does the Department agree that there could be significant Budget savings if the Government expands support to oral health programmes which promote visits to dentists for early detection and treatment?

Answer:

The Government has not asked the Department of Health to cost such a measure.