

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2014-15 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 2.4 Support for Child Care System Question No: SQ15-000180

Topic: Child Care

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Senator Lines, Sue asked:

Nationally, and for each state or territory, and each federal electoral division in the country - and broken down by income - please provide:

- 1 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of CCB
- 2 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of CCR
- 3 - The number of children and the number of families that hit the CCR cap in the last year
- 4 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of JETCCFA
- 5 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of SCCB Children at Risk
- 6 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of SCCB Temporary Financial Hardship
- 7 - The number of children and the number of families in receipt of Grandparent CCB
- 8 - The number of children and the number of families that attract Inclusion Support assistance, and the category of that assistance

Answer:

The table below provides information requested for questions 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6 nationally, and for each state and territory, for the March quarter 2014.

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1a. The number of children in receipt of CCB*	366,440	276,070	268,270	81,630	85,700	22,610	8,670	23,830	1,127,730
1b. The number of families in receipt of CCB*	258,800	184,330	182,350	55,210	61,300	15,490	6,230	16,610	776,330
2a. The number of children in receipt of CCR	333,590	255,750	246,530	75,910	79,200	20,780	8,410	23,180	1,038,390
2b. The number of families in receipt of CCR	234,340	170,810	167,070	51,390	56,700	14,240	6,040	16,180	713,120
4a. The number of children in receipt of JETCCFA	5,650	5,940	4,410	1,260	1,220	380	120	210	19,140
4b. The number of families in receipt of JETCCFA	4,120	3,420	3,060	860	860	270	90	160	12,790
5a. The number of children in receipt of SCCB Children at Risk	1,530	2,930	940	640	830	200	10	60	7,140
5b. The number of families in receipt of SCCB Children at Risk	980	1,910	520	370	480	100	<10	50	4,420
6a. The number of children in receipt of SCCB Temporary Financial Hardship	1,800	1,690	1,520	380	580	120	40	110	6,250
6b. The number of families in receipt of SCCB Temporary Financial Hardship	1,240	1,180	950	260	390	70	30	90	4,200

NOTE: All families must be eligible for CCB to receive CCR.

NOTE: As families and children may use services in more than one state/territory and due to rounding, the sum of component parts may not equal the total.

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For question 3, Department of Human Services reports, as at 19 October 2014, there were approximately 44,380 families that reached the CCR limit in 2013-14. To provide the number of children, or to break this down by state and territory, would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.

For question 7, please refer to Additional Estimates question number SQ15-000135.

For question 8, please refer to Additional Estimates question number SQ15-000141 and SQ15-000154.

To provide information for each question by federal electoral division as well as income would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.