Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME 13: Acute Care

Topic: Dialysis

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Senator: Senator Furner

Question:

In relation to the Red Undies Week launch, please provide statistics to show whether there has been a decline or an increase in dialysis.

Answer:

The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) is best-placed to comment on trends in the incidence and prevalence of end-stage kidney disease and use of dialysis as a treatment modality in Australia.