

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND
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2012-13 Budget Estimates Hearings

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Question No: 361

Topic: Carer Income Support

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Senator Fifield asked:

How many people received the Carer Payment (child), by month between June 2011 and June 2012 ?

Answer:

The table below provides the number of Carer Payment (child) recipients for each month between June 2011 and May 2012. June 2012 data is not yet available.

Month	Number of recipients
June 2011	16,461
July 2011	17,102
August 2011	17,301
September 2011	17,546
October 2011	17,856
November 2011	18,159
December 2011	18,462
January 2012	18,685
February 2012	18,962
March 2012	19,264
April 2012	19,566
May 2012	19,872