

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: 368

Topic: Carer Income Support

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Senator Fifield asked:

How many people received the Carer Allowance (adult) by month between June 2011 and June 2012?

Answer:

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

Month	Number of recipients
June 2011	385,282
July 2011	388,387
August 2011	389,449
September 2011	391,040
October 2011	393,021
November 2011	394,938
December 2011	396,858
January 2012	398,334
February 2012	400,346
March 2012	402,275
April 2012	404,530
May 2012	405,502