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Topic: Disability Support Pension

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Senator Fifield asked:

Additional Estimates QoN 293 provides a monthly breakdown of the number of transfers to Disability Support Pension from other income support payments from October 2012 to February 2013. Could you provide an update from March 2013 to May 2013.

Answer:

The table below provides the number of transfers to Disability Support Pension from other income support payments for each month between March 2013 and May 2013.

Month	Newstart Allowance	Parenting Payment	Youth Allowance	Carer Payment	Sickness Allowance	Other
February to March 2013	2,323	106	192	66	66	67
March to April 2013	2,456	106	155	70	62	49
April to May 2013	2,908	120	224	82	86	69