

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 7 - Health Infrastructure, Regulation, Safety and Quality

Topic: Organ Donation

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas, Jan

Question:

How many people have accessed the living organ donor program since its commencement?

Answer:

In the period 1 July 2013 to 31 May 2014, 127 prospective living organ donors registered for the programme and 59 claims were paid. Further claims are due to be paid as donors undergo surgery and return to work following their leave.