

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

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**OUTCOME:** 5 - Primary Health Care

**Topic:** Primary Care

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** McLucas, Jan

**Question:**

What service delivery models are currently being investigated or considered in relation to the Budget Statements that outline that innovative models of primary care funding and delivery will be explored?

**Answer:**

The Government, through the establishment of Primary Health Networks (PHNs), is providing opportunities for investigating efficient, locally responsive and innovative models of primary health care funding and delivery.