

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

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**Senator:** Moore, Claire

**Question:**

Senator MOORE: When you say stakeholders, this would be the range of people with whom you are consulting?

Ms Duffy: The information sessions are targeted to those organisations who were involved in the preliminary rounds of the scoping study work and it has been broadened out to some groups who were not represented in the first round, particularly those groups representing Indigenous and rural clients.

Senator MOORE: Can we get a copy of those lists?

Ms Duffy: Absolutely.

**Answer:**

Invitee list for the National Disability Insurance Scheme interface information sessions:

ACT Deafness Resource Centre  
Audiology Australia  
Aussie Deaf Kids  
Australasian College of Ear, Nose and Throat Physicians  
Australian and NZ Association of Neurologists  
Australian Association of Audiologists in Private Practice  
Australian College of Audiology  
Australian Medical Association  
Australian Society of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery  
Better Hearing Australia  
Canberra Deaf Children's Association  
Children with Disability Australia  
Consumer Health Forum of Australia  
Deaf Children Australia  
Deaf Society of NSW  
Deafness Forum of Australia  
First Peoples Disability Network Australia  
First Voice  
General Surgeons Australia

Hear and Say  
Hearing Aid Audiometrist Society of Australia  
National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation  
National Disability Services  
National Ethnic Disability Alliance  
National Rural Health Alliance  
Parents of Deaf Children  
People with Disability Australia  
Royal Australasian College of Physicians  
Royal College of Surgeons  
Royal Institute for Deaf and Blind Children  
Self Help for Hard of Hearing People  
Services for Rural and Remote Allied Health  
The Shepherd Centre  
Women with Disabilities Australia