

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2015-16 Budget Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: 3.2 Home Support**

**Question No: SQ15-000359**

**Topic: Budget Measures - Home Care Packages**

**Written Question on Notice**

**Senator Helen Polley** asked:

How will the changes in the allocation of home care packages directly to consumers impact on the growth of home care packages?

**Answer:**

The national operational planning target ratios for 2021-22 remain unchanged for home care places at 45 home care places per 1,000 people aged 70 years and over.