

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 1 - Health System Policy, Design and Innovation

Topic: Ehealth

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Di Natale, Richard

Question:

How many people are expected to have one by the end of 2017?

Answer:

As at 11 June 2017, 4,909,983 people had a My Health Record. Approximately 20,000 consumers sign up each week, which means that the total could be as high as 5,500,000 by the end of 2017 if growth continues at current rates.