

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11-140

OUTCOME 5: Primary Care

Topic: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REFERRAL POINTS PROJECT

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Senator Adams asked:

Is the savings of \$12.2 million from the redesign of the domestic violence referral points project over four or five years and where will the savings be used?

Answer:

The savings of \$12.2 million are taken over four years, 2011-12 to 2014-15.

Budget Paper No.2 includes 2010-11 as an increase of \$0.1 million was provided for Medicare Australia in that year.

The savings in administered funding were returned to consolidated revenue.