

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11-274

OUTCOME 1: Population Health

Topic: AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL PREVENTIVE HEALTH AGENCY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Written Question on Notice

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

- a) What is the background of each of the appointees to Board of the ANPHA?
- b) What is the background of each of the appointees of the Advisory Board of the ANPHA?
- c) Does the Government consider that ANPHA is a balanced body which represents both non-government organisations working in the preventive health area and industry?

Answer:

- a) Australian National Preventive Health Agency (ANPHA) does not have a Board. Biographical details for each of the members of the ANPHA Advisory Council may be found on ANPHA's website: [www.anpha.gov.au](http://www.anpha.gov.au)
- b) ANPHA does not have an Advisory Board.
- c) The requirements for the composition of the Advisory Council are prescribed in the *Australian National Preventive Health Agency Act 2010* (the Act).

The Act does not provide for representational appointments on behalf of non-government organisations working in the preventive health area or in industry. The appointments to the Council have each been made consistent with the Act.