

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11-433

OUTCOME 11: Mental Health

Topic: DAY TO DAY LIVING

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Senator Wright asked:

Can you advise the cost per place in the Support for Day to Day Living in the Community Program?

Answer:

Current Day to Day Living in the Community program providers are funded at the following amount per place:

- Low Level/Drop in Support place – \$1,283.00 (GST exclusive) per place; and
- Medium Level Support place – \$2,684.00 (GST exclusive) per place.

From 1 January, 2012 this will increase to the following levels as a result of the additional \$19.3 million allocated to the program in the 2001-12 Budget:

- Low Level/Drop in Support place - \$1,359.98 (GST Exclusive) per place; and
- Medium Level Support place - \$2,845.04 (GST Exclusive) per place.