

Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

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Department of Human Services

Topic: Centrelink Vulnerability Indicators

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Question:

Provide a breakdown of the number and payment type of current Centrelink customers with known 'vulnerability indicators' (indicating where multiple indicators are present).

Answer:

The following table provides details of current Department of Human Services customers who have one or more Vulnerability Indicators recorded.

Table: Activity Tested recipients with a Vulnerability by allowance type

Allowance type	No. of Vulnerability Indicators per customer		
	One	Multiple	Total
Newstart	80,534	25,492	106,026
Youth Allowance	9,533	2,326	11,859
Parenting Payment Single	1,298	301	1,599
Total	91,365	28,119	119,484

Data as at 27 December 2013