

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Supplementary Budget Estimates 2015 - 2016, 21 October 2015**

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**OUTCOME:** 11 – Ageing and Aged Care

**Topic:** Residential

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** Polley, Helen

**Question:**

Please provide vacancy rates for residential aged care, nation wide and state by state.

**Answer:**

The occupancy levels in residential aged care (excluding flexible services), nationwide and state by state, for 2014-15, is in Table A.

**Table A: Occupancy in residential aged care (2014-15, per cent)**

	<b>NSW</b>	<b>Vic.</b>	<b>Qld</b>	<b>WA</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>Tas.</b>	<b>ACT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>Australia</b>
<b>Residential care</b>	92.5	91.6	92.7	94.4	93.2	90.6	94.5	92.8	92.5