

**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:** 8 - Health Workforce Capacity

**Topic:** Health Workforce Scholarships

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

**Senator:** McLucas, Jan

**Question:**

Has an administrator been selected for the new program? Have contracts been entered into? If so, how much funding was provided to this organisation for the administration of the new scholarships?

**Answer:**

An administrator has not been contracted for the Health Workforce Scholarship Programme.

The new programme will commence on 1 July 2016 following a competitive approach to the market.