

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

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**OUTCOME:** 2 - Health Access and Support Services

**Topic:** Primary Care - Health Care Home Trial

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

**Senator:** Di Natale, Richard

**Question:**

In the absence of information from the department, the CHF, George Institute, RACGP and Menzies Centre for Health Policy brought the stakeholders together and produced the 'Patient Centred Health Care Homes in Australia: Towards Successful Implementation' document.

- a) Has the department provided advice on this document to the Minister?
- b) Will the recommendations of that document be adopted?

**Answer:**

- a) Yes.
- b) The document followed the release of the Primary Health Care Advisory Group's report to Government and its recommendations align closely with the Health Care Home model.