

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 2 - Health Access and Support Services

Topic: Alcohol and Other Drugs Policy

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Di Natale, Richard

Question:

What progress has been made towards establishing the national FASD information hub to support diagnosis of, and data collection about, FASD?

Answer:

A contract was executed on 27 June 2016 for \$400,000 with the University of Sydney to develop the Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD) Hub. The FASD Hub is due to be completed and ready for public release by 30 June 2017.