

Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 2 - Health Access and Support Services

Topic: National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' Drug Strategy (NDS)
2014-2019

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Dodson, Patrick

Question:

How much Commonwealth funding is allocated to the 'National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' Drug Strategy 2014-2019?

Answer:

No specific funding was provided against the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' Drug Strategy 2014 – 2019 (NATSIPDS) by either the Commonwealth or the states and territories.

As a sub-strategy of the National Drug Strategy, the NATSIPDS is intended to act as a guide for governments in identifying key issues and prioritising existing investment towards nationally agreed priority areas relating to the harmful use of alcohol and other drugs.