

It is necessary for a Senate Inquiry to investigate the Immigration Department, in particular the policy and management of immigration detention. Mandatory detention is a cruel, inhuman treatment of individuals and must not be tolerated any longer. Also, the Inquiry needs to investigate the Immigration Department's processes surrounding the deportation of people from Australia. Mental health care for detainees needs to be investigated, as well as the out-sourcing of management and service provisions at immigration detention centers.

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