

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2010-2011, 23 February 2011

Question: E11-162

OUTCOME 7: Hearing Services

Topic: REHABILITATION PLUS

Written Question on Notice

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

- a) What was the rate of participation in the Rehabilitation Plus program in 2009-10?
- b) Has it increased and if so by what percentage?
- c) If not, what will the Department do to ensure the service is adequately utilised?

Answer:

- a) 3,154 clients accessed Rehabilitation Plus services during 2009-2010.
- b) Yes. This is an increase of 51% over the previous year.
- c) N/A.