

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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Question: E11-229

OUTCOME 4: Aged Care and Population Ageing

Topic: EXTRA SERVICE STATUS (ESS)

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Senator Siewert asked:

For Western Australia:

- a) Provide a list of extra service places by region:
- (i) numbers allocated;
 - (ii) numbers provisional;
 - (iii) numbers operating
- b) Provide a list per region by State of the proportion of extra service places in light of the 15% cap.

Answer:

a)

Residential places related to Extra Service Status (ESS) grants as at 31 December 2010

Aged Care Planning Region	Number of places related to ESS grants			Number of places where ESS grant is active			Number of places where ESS grant is not active		
	High care	Low care	Total	High care	Low care	Total	High care	Low care	Total
WA									
Goldfields	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Southern	52	16	68	52	16	68	0	0	0
Kimberley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Metropolitan East	236	58	294	170	11	181	66	47	113
Metropolitan North	362	124	486	146	94	240	216	30	246
Metropolitan South East	221	67	288	87	8	95	134	59	193
Metropolitan South West	415	194	609	331	158	489	84	36	120
Mid West	14	0	14	0	0	0	14	0	14
Pilbara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South West	54	26	80	54	26	80	0	0	0
Wheatbelt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total WA	1,354	485	1,839	840	313	1,153	514	172	686

Notes:

Extra Service Status (ESS) is granted under the *Aged Care Act 1997* in respect of a residential care service (whole service) or a distinct part of a residential care service (distinct part), rather than places.

Extra Service data is collected in relation to when a grant is “activated” (ie the whole service or distinct part has been deemed ready to provide the Extra Services and the first resident is admitted on an Extra Service basis); or not active (ie not yet activated or suspended at the request of the approved provider).

The table above outlines the number of places related to Extra Service grants for each aged care planning region in Western Australia, broken-down by activated and non-activated places (as at 31 December 2010).

Once a grant of Extra Service is made, the grant is not linked to the status of the individual residential places (ie allocated, provisional or operational). The Extra Service data is not analysed under these categories.

b) The following table lists Extra Service Status places as a proportion of the total Mainstream Residential allocated places by aged care planning region at 31 December 2010.

Mainstream Residential allocated places are places in residential facilities operating under the *Aged Care Act 1997*; but which are not Transition Care places or Multi-Purpose Service places.

Aged care planning region	ESS places allocated as a proportion of total Mainstream Residential allocated places at 31 December 2010		
	High care	Low care	Total
ACT			
ACT	17.16%	7.20%	11.86%
NSW			
Central Coast	15.50%	2.61%	8.56%
Central West	5.71%	0.00%	2.47%
Far North Coast	12.53%	0.91%	6.53%
Hunter	10.56%	2.08%	6.15%
Illawarra	12.47%	2.14%	7.24%
Inner West	4.63%	0.82%	3.36%
Mid North Coast	8.63%	1.73%	4.70%
Nepean	1.48%	1.17%	1.36%
New England	4.61%	0.00%	1.93%
Northern Sydney	31.57%	5.00%	19.41%
Orana Far West	2.63%	0.00%	1.06%
Riverina/Murray	6.22%	0.64%	3.26%
South East Sydney	22.03%	8.73%	15.75%
South West Sydney	11.57%	3.50%	7.60%
Southern Highlands	12.72%	0.44%	5.86%
Western Sydney	11.75%	2.16%	7.58%
Total NSW	14.15%	2.93%	8.67%
QLD			
Brisbane North	23.20%	2.56%	13.28%
Brisbane South	14.94%	4.11%	9.60%
Cabool	14.79%	4.53%	9.36%
Central West	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Darling Downs	12.05%	0.00%	5.89%
Far North	11.72%	0.00%	5.87%

Fitzroy	4.30%	1.13%	2.61%
Logan River Valley	13.98%	2.97%	8.28%
Mackay	8.37%	0.00%	4.29%
North West	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Northern	5.38%	0.00%	2.80%
South Coast	19.18%	10.19%	14.49%
South West	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Sunshine Coast	17.39%	7.40%	11.97%
West Moreton	7.70%	0.00%	3.58%
Wide Bay	7.30%	1.03%	3.98%
Total Qld	14.43%	3.90%	9.03%
SA			
Eyre Peninsula	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hills, Mallee & Southern	13.66%	9.03%	11.45%
Metropolitan East	20.40%	4.12%	13.03%
Metropolitan North	11.59%	3.05%	8.29%
Metropolitan South	17.44%	3.77%	11.22%
Metropolitan West	3.11%	5.75%	4.38%
Mid North	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Riverland	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
South East	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Whyalla, Flinders & Far North	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Yorke, Lower North & Barossa	10.64%	0.00%	4.56%
Total SA	12.66%	3.71%	8.49%
VIC			
Barwon-South Western	7.10%	1.33%	4.13%
Eastern Metro	26.21%	2.04%	13.36%
Gippsland	5.74%	0.00%	2.62%
Grampians	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hume	3.02%	2.61%	2.80%
Loddon-Mallee	8.13%	0.00%	3.57%
Northern Metro	14.99%	0.36%	7.85%
Southern Metro	23.44%	7.82%	15.86%
Western Metro	10.98%	3.23%	7.05%
Total VIC	16.11%	2.89%	9.33%
WA			
Goldfields	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Great Southern	37.41%	5.84%	16.46%
Kimberley	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Metropolitan East	15.78%	3.66%	9.54%
Metropolitan North	15.93%	5.07%	10.30%
Metropolitan South East	12.35%	4.24%	8.55%
Metropolitan South West	23.54%	10.19%	17.02%
Mid West	14.58%	0.00%	6.33%
Pilbara	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

South West	9.64%	3.71%	6.35%
Wheatbelt	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total WA	15.93%	5.35%	10.57%
NT			
Alice Springs	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Barkly	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Darwin	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
East Arnhem	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Katherine	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total NT	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
TAS			
North Western	7.24%	0.00%	3.52%
Northern	1.49%	0.00%	0.84%
Southern	15.26%	4.96%	10.16%
Total Tas	9.49%	2.59%	6.16%
Australia	14.57%	3.42%	9.00%