

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** Cross Outcome - Across Programs

**Question No:** 149

**Topic:** Aboriginal Disability Network

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator Moore asked:**

Please provide details of the work being done by Aboriginal Disability Network Incorporated under contract number CN1388771, DSS contract reference number 90002080.

**Answer:**

The Aboriginal Disability Network is contracted to develop, coordinate and implement activities to address the barriers faced by Indigenous Australians assisting them to benefit equitably from the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS).

These activities address four key priority areas:

1. Raise awareness and build capacity among Indigenous Australians about NDIS.
2. Capacity building for Indigenous service providers to deliver support to people with disability through NDIS.
3. Cultural competence services for mainstream organisations.
4. Activities to increase the number of Indigenous people working in the disability support sector.