

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2015-16 Additional Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: 5.1 Disability Mental Health and Carers Programme**

**Question No: SQ16-000256**

**Topic: YPINH**

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**Senator Linda Reynolds asked:**

The exact number and location of those who have been subject to an ACAT so that we know exactly how many there are and where they are and what facilities they are in. With a state breakdown.

**Answer:**

All people under 65 years of age, who are in Australian Government subsidised residential aged care places, have been subject to an assessment by an Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT).

The following table provides the number of permanent aged care residents under 65 years of age, by state/territory, as at June 2015.

<b>State/territory</b>	<b>Number</b>
New South Wales	2,260
Victoria	1,569
Queensland	1,205
Western Australia	513
South Australia	441
Tasmania	151
Australian Capital Territory	62
Northern Territory	51
Australia	6,252

Source: Report on Government Services 2016, Table 14A.57

Further questions on the ACAT programme should be directed to the Department of Health.