

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 2 - Health Access and Support Services

Topic: Psychosocial Services

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Senator: O'Neill, Deborah

Question:

Senator O'NEILL: 'Beware that danger lies here.' Is it the case that many if not all of the PHN needs assessments are showing psychosocial services and supports as their highest need?

Ms Cole: I think we have gone through this issue just quite recently.

Senator O'NEILL: There was a little bit of information there for Senator Siewert.

Mr Cormack: We will provide that to you on notice. We said there is not a consolidated document that we can present for you today, but we just said we will take it on notice so we will provide you with information around the outcomes of the gap analysis work that the PHNs have done. We will take that on notice.

Answer:

Please refer to the response provided to Question on Notice SQ17-000446.