

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017, 1 March 2017

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OUTCOME: 2 - Health Access and Support Services

Topic: NDIS Eligibility

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: O'Neill, Deborah

Question:

Has the Department of Health advised the Minister for Health on matters related to people with mental illness who will not be eligible for the NDIS? When did the Department begin advising the former Minister and new Minister for Health on this issue? What advice has the Department given to the Minister in relation to continuing funding for people with mental illness who will not be eligible for the NDIS?

Answer:

The department provides advice to the Minister on a range of issues as required.