

# SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

**Public Hearings: ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2016–17**

**Wednesday 1 March to Thursday 2 March 2017**

**Committee Room 2S1, Parliament House, Canberra ACT**

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<p><b><u>Departmental Attendance Summary</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Health</u></b>—Wednesday (1/03/2017)—9:00am–11:00pm</p> <p><b><u>Human Services</u></b>—Thursday (2/03/2017)—9:00am–12:30pm</p> <p><b><u>Social Services</u></b>—Thursday (2/03/2017)—1:30pm –11:00pm</p>
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<b>WEDNESDAY, 1 MARCH 2017</b>	
<b>HEALTH PORTFOLIO</b>	
<b>Department of Health (DoH)</b>	
<i><b>TIME</b></i>	<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>
<b>9:00am – 10:00am</b> (60 mins)	<b>Cross Portfolio Outcomes/ Corporate Matters</b> Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>10:00am – 10:30am</b> (30/180 mins)	<b>Outcome 4: Individual Health Benefits</b>
	Program 4.1: Medical Benefits Program 4.2: Hearing Services Program 4.3: Pharmaceutical Benefits Program 4.4: Private Health Insurance Program 4.5: Medical Indemnity Program 4.6: Dental Services Program 4.7: Health Benefit Compliance Program 4.8: Targeted Assistance – Aids and Appliances
<i>10:30am – 10:45am</i> (15 mins)	<i>Break</i>
<b>10:45am – 1:15pm</b> (150/180 mins)	<b>Outcome 4: Individual Health Benefits (cont.)</b>
	Program 4.1: Medical Benefits Program 4.2: Hearing Services Program 4.3: Pharmaceutical Benefits Program 4.4: Private Health Insurance Program 4.5: Medical Indemnity Program 4.6: Dental Services Program 4.7: Health Benefit Compliance Program 4.8: Targeted Assistance – Aids and Appliances
<i>1:15pm – 2:15pm</i> (60 mins)	<i>Lunch</i>

<b>2:15pm – 4:15pm</b> (120 mins)	<b>Outcome 2: Health Access and Support Services</b>
	Program 2.1: Mental Health Program 2.3: Health Workforce Program 2.4: Preventative Health and Chronic Disease Support Program 2.5: Primary Health Care Quality and Coordination Program 2.6: Primary Care Practice Incentives Program 2.7: Hospital Services Food Standards Australia and New Zealand (FSANZ) National Mental Health Commission (NMHC)
<i>4:15pm – 4:30pm</i> (15 mins)	<i>Break</i>
<b>4:30pm - 6:30pm</b> (120 mins)	<b>Outcome 6: Ageing and Aged Care</b>
	Program 6.1: Access and Information Program 6.2: Home and Support Care Program 6.3: Residential and Flexible Care Program 6.4: Aged Care Quality
<i>6:30pm – 7:30pm</i> (60 mins)	<i>Dinner</i>
<b>7:30pm – 8.15pm</b> (45 mins)	<b>Outcome 5: Regulation, Safety and Protection</b>
	Program 5.1: Protect the Health and Safety of the Community Through Regulation Program 5.2: Health Protection and Emergency Response Program 5.3: Immunisation National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
<b>8:15pm – 9:00pm</b> (45/90 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Health System Policy, Design and Innovation</b>
	Program 1.1: Health Policy Research and Analysis Program 1.2: Health Innovation and Technology Program 1.3: Health Infrastructure Program 1.4: Health Peak and Advisory Bodies Program 1.5: International Policy National Health and Medical Research Council
<i>9:00pm – 9:15pm</i> (15 mins)	<i>Break</i>
<b>9:15pm – 10.00pm</b> (45/90 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Health System Policy, Design and Innovation (cont.)</b>
	Program 1.1: Health Policy Research and Analysis Program 1.2: Health Innovation and Technology Program 1.3: Health Infrastructure Program 1.4: Health Peak and Advisory Bodies Program 1.5: International Policy National Health and Medical Research Council
<b>10:00pm – 11:00pm</b> (60 mins)	<b>Outcome 3: Sport and Recreation</b>
	Program 3.1: Sport and Recreation Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority (ASADA) Australian Sports Commission

<b>Proposed breaks</b>	Morning tea	10:30am	10:45am
	Lunch	1:15pm	2:15pm
	Afternoon tea	4:15pm	4:30pm
	Dinner	6:30pm	7:30pm
	Evening Break	9:00pm	9:15pm

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**THURSDAY, 2 MARCH 2017**

<b>HUMAN SERVICES PORTFOLIO</b>	
<b>Department of Human Services (DHS)</b>	
<i>TIME</i>	<i>PROGRAM</i>
<b>9:00am – 10:00am</b> (60 mins)	<b>Cross Portfolio Outcomes/ Corporate Matters</b>
<b>10:00am – 10:30am</b> (30/135 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Support individuals, families and communities to achieve greater self-sufficiency; through the delivery of policy advice and high quality accessible social, health and child support services and other payments; and support providers and businesses through convenient and efficient service delivery.</b>
	Program 1.1: Services to the Community - Social Security and Welfare Program 1.2: Services to the Community - Health Program 1.3: Child Support
<i>10:30am – 10:45am</i> (15 mins)	<i>Break</i>
<b>10:45am – 12:30pm</b> (105/135 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Support individuals, families and communities to achieve greater self-sufficiency; through the delivery of policy advice and high quality accessible social, health and child support services and other payments; and support providers and businesses through convenient and efficient service delivery.</b> (cont.)
	Program 1.1: Services to the Community - Social Security and Welfare Program 1.2: Services to the Community - Health Program 1.3: Child Support
<i>12:30pm – 1:30pm</i> (60 mins)	<i>Lunch</i>
<b>SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO</b>	
<b>Department of Social Services (DSS)</b>	
<i>TIME</i>	<i>PROGRAM</i>
<b>1:30pm – 2:30pm</b> (60 mins)	<b>Cross Portfolio Outcomes/ Corporate Matters</b>
<b>2.30pm – 3.15pm</b> (45 mins)	<b>Outcome 4: Housing</b>
	Program 4.1: Housing and Homelessness Program 4.2: Affordable Housing
<b>3:15pm – 4:00pm</b> (45/150 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Social Security</b>
	Program 1.1: Family Tax Benefit Program 1.2: Child Payments Program 1.3: Income Support for Vulnerable People Program 1.4: Income Support for People in Special Circumstances Program 1.5: Supplementary Payments and Support for Income Support Recipients Program 1.6: Income Support for Seniors Program 1.7: Allowances and Concessions for Seniors Program 1.8: Income Support for People with Disability

	Program 1.9: Income Support for Carers Program 1.10: Working Age Payments Program 1.11: Student Payments		
4:00pm – 4:15pm (15 mins)	Break		
<b>4:15pm – 6:00pm</b> (105/150 mins)	<b>Outcome 1: Social Security (cont.)</b>		
	Program 1.1: Family Tax Benefit Program 1.2: Child Payments Program 1.3: Income Support for Vulnerable People Program 1.4: Income Support for People in Special Circumstances Program 1.5: Supplementary Payments and Support for Income Support Recipients Program 1.6: Income Support for Seniors Program 1.7: Allowances and Concessions for Seniors Program 1.8: Income Support for People with Disability Program 1.9: Income Support for Carers Program 1.10: Working Age Payments Program 1.11: Student Payments		
<b>6:00pm – 6:30pm</b> (30/125 mins)	<b>Outcome 3: Disability and Carers</b>		
	Program 3.1: Disability, Mental Health and Carers Program 3.2: National Disability Insurance Scheme National Disability Insurance Agency		
6:30pm – 7:30pm (60 mins)	Dinner		
<b>7:30pm – 9:05pm</b> (95/125 mins)	<b>Outcome 3: Disability and Carers (cont.)</b>		
	Program 3.1: Disability, Mental Health and Carers Program 3.2: National Disability Insurance Scheme National Disability Insurance Agency		
9:05pm – 9:20pm (15 mins)	Break		
<b>9:20pm – 11:00pm</b> (100 mins)	<b>Outcome 2: Families and Communities</b>		
	Program 2.1: Families and Communities Program 2.2: Paid Parental Leave Program 2.3: Social and Community Services		
<b>Proposed breaks</b>	Morning tea	10:30am	10:45am
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