

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
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Outcome Number: 3.1 Disability, Mental Health and Carers Question No: SQ17-000351

Topic: Disability and Carer Service Improvement and Sector Support Program

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Senator Carol Brown asked:

Can the Department clarify what amount of funding available for the Disability and Carer Service Improvement and Sector Support activities after the deduction of the \$140.3 million for wage supplementation?

Answer:

The Disability and Carer Service Improvement and Sector Support (DCSISS) Program Guidelines of April 2017, note an amount of \$203,356,000 has been allocated over four years from 1 July 2015 by the Australian Government for the Disability and Carer Service Improvement and Sector Support Activity, and that of this, \$140.3 million was for wage supplementation.