

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND
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Topic: Young People in Residential Aged Care

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Senator Fifield asked:

How many people at risk of entering residential aged care have been diverted to a more appropriate accommodation facility under the YPIRAC program?

Answer:

Over the four years of the YPIRAC initiative to 30 June 2010 (latest data available), an estimated 207 younger people with disability, at risk of entering residential aged care, had received alternative accommodation and/or a support services package.