

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

**Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015, 22 October 2014**

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**OUTCOME:** 5 - Primary Health Care

**Topic:** E-mental Health

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** McLucas, Jan

**Question:**

Please provide an update on the establishment of the promised new e-mental health portal to be delivered by the Young and Well CRC. How much is allocated in this financial year (2014-15) to this measure? Has a funding agreement been executed?

**Answer:**

A funding agreement has been executed with Young and Well CRC Limited to establish a new youth e-mental platform.

The budget for the project in 2014-15 under the terms of the Funding Agreement is \$1.5 million (GST exclusive).

Project Synergy is progressing well, with development and implementation plans established. It is anticipated that a trial under Stage 1 will commence in early 2015.