

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 1 - Population Health

Topic: Ice Addiction Treatment and Rehabilitation Services

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Xenophon, Nick

Question:

Families report up-front costs in excess of \$40,000 for treatment, which would clearly be prohibitive for many Ice addicts and their families.

Has the Department conducted any modelling on offering a subsidy for private programs such as these?

Answer:

No.