

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
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Outcome: National Disability Insurance Agency

Question No: NDIA SQ16-000064

Topic: Young people in residential aged care

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Senator Brown, asked:

Number of younger people in residential aged care in the NDIS trial sites and how many of those we have successfully got out of residential care?

Answer:

As at 30 September 2016, there are 211 young people in residential aged care in the National Disability Insurance Scheme with a plan and a further 357 eligible without a plan.

Some young people in residential aged care entering the Scheme over trial have already moved out of aged care into the community. Funded supports in plans, including Specialist Disability Accommodation supports, are intended to provide greater choice in living arrangements for young people in residential aged care over time.