

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017, 21 October 2016**

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**OUTCOME:** 2 - Health Access and Support Services

**Topic:** National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Plan 2013-2023

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

**Senator:** Dodson, Patrick

**Question:**

When did the department last meet with the National Health Leadership Forum to discuss the Implementation Plan for the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Plan 2013-2023? Please provide a list of the attendees.

**Answer:**

The Department of Health last met with the Chair of the National Health Leadership Forum (NHLF) at the inaugural meeting of the Implementation Plan Advisory Group (IPAG), which took place on 16 September 2016. This meeting was not attended by Assistant Minister Wyatt.

IPAG is co-chaired by the Department of Health and the NHLF. IPAG includes representatives from Commonwealth agencies, state and territory governments, Indigenous health experts and key stakeholders chosen by the Indigenous health sector. A list of attendees is attached.

## **IPAG Attendance List**

<b>IPAG Members</b>
Mr Richard Weston: Co-Chair IPAG - National Health Leadership Forum
Ms Bobbi Campbell: Co-Chair IPAG - Department of Health
Ms Pat Turner - National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation
Dr Mark Wenitong
Ms Donna Ah Chee
Ms Kate Wallace - Department of Health
Mr Brendan Gibson - Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet
Expert Advisers, and Support and Secretariat Officers from the Department of Health, the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet, and the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.