

Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

Outcome 4 - Employment

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Senator Siewert provided in writing.

Question

Move To Area of Lower Employment Period (MALEP).

"How many Move To Area of Lower Employment Period (MALEP) periods of six months were imposed in 2009-10 and 2010-11? Provide details of the payment types and number of each payment type affected by a MALEP. "

Answer

The following table provides the number of 'Move to Area of Lower Employment Periods' (MALEP) non payment periods of six months in 2009-10 and 2010-11 by payment type. In order to protect the privacy of individuals, populations of less than twenty are reported as <20.

	Newstart Allowance	Youth Allowance (other)
2009-10 Financial Year	71	<20
2010-11 Financial Year	54	<20

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data.