

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2008-09 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome 7

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Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Job Network

What is the average duration (in weeks) of unemployment of the current Job Network caseload for each of the following?

- Long term unemployed
- Indigenous Australians
- Mature aged Australians
- People of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds
- Single parents
- People with disability
- Young people

Answer

As at 31 May 2008 the average unemployment duration (in weeks) of the current Job Network caseload, for each of the following groups of job seekers was:

Group of Job seeker	Ave UE Duration (Weeks)
Long term unemployed	201
Indigenous Australians	133
Mature aged Australians	151
People of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds	91
Single parents	83
People with disability	188
Young people	69