

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2012-2013**

Outcome 1 – Early Childhood, Working Age and Indigenous Participation

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Question

Families receiving payment under CCB and CCR

Mr Kimber: The number of families receiving a payment under CCB and CCR for 2011-12 is estimated to be 906,000. Breaking that down, those who receive CCB and CCR, 615,000; numbers only receiving CCB, 121,000; and those only receiving childcare rebate—that is the CCR—134,000. I would have to take on notice though the breakdown for 2007-08 about the different split between CCB and CCR. I do not have that with me. Senator BILYK: Thank you.

Answer

The number of families using approved Commonwealth funded children services and receiving CCB in 2007-08 was 552,864 (Ref: 2007-08 Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs PBS pg 136). In 2007-08, the Child Care Tax Rebate (CCTR) was a rebate that was a tax offset under taxation legislation. The department does not have information on CCTR recipients for this period.