

Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

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

Outcome 4 - Employment

DEEWR Question No. EW0651_12

Senator Payne provided in writing.

Question

JSA - Indigenous jobseekers

Can you please provide figures from the last financial year (and any newer figures) on the number of Indigenous job seekers registered for Job Services Australia, and the number of 13-week and 26-week outcomes, broken down by Centrelink benefit, location and gender?

Answer

Indigenous JSA Active Caseload as at 30 September 2011

State	Total	Allowance Type	Total	Gender	Total
NSW	22,758	Newstart Allowance	54,909	Male	50,653
NT	13,665	Youth Allowance	14,878	Female	38,624
QLD	25,142	Disability Support Pension	1,310	Total	89,277
SA	5,750	Parenting Payment Partnered	1,308		
TAS	1,955	Parenting Payment Single	7,899		
VIC	4,633	Non Allowee	8,079		
WA	15,374	Other	894		
Total	89,277	Total	89,277		

Note: Active Caseload is a point in time measure of job seekers currently referred to Job Services Australia with either a status of Pending, Commenced or Suspended

**JSA Employment and Education Outcomes for Indigenous job seekers
(2010-2011 Financial Year)**

State	13 Week	26 Week	Allowance Type	13 Week	26 Week	Gender	13 Week	26 Week
NSW	6,731	4,268	Newstart Allowance	12,458	2,190	Male	12,687	7,788
NT	1,658	918	Youth Allowance	3,412	452	Female	7,760	4,904
QLD	6,202	3,778	Disability Support Pension	119	57	Total	20,447	12,692
SA	1,300	840	Parenting Payment Partnered	233	120			
TAS	587	389	Parenting Payment Single	1,807	1,053			
VIC	1,474	963	Other	186	179			
WA	2,495	1,536	Non Allowee	2,232	8,641			
Total	20,447	12,692	Total	20,447	12,692			

JSA Employment and Education Outcomes for Indigenous job seekers
 (1 July 2011 to 30 September 2011)

State	13 Week	26 Week	Allowance Type	13 Week	26 Week	Gender	13 Week	26 Week
NSW	1,801	1,113	Newstart Allowance	3,460	658	Male	3,530	2,067
NT	428	275	Youth Allowance	1,137	100	Female	2,317	1,314
QLD	2,017	1,054	Disability Support Pension	38	18	Total	5,847	3,381
SA	376	202	Parenting Payment Partnered	69	29			
TAS	132	113	Parenting Payment Single	574	251			
VIC	443	248	Other	64	45			
WA	650	376	Non Allowee	505	2,280			
Total	5,847	3,381	Total	5,847	3,381			