

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 13 FEBRUARY 2012**

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(AE12/0329) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network**

Senator Abetz (L&CA 114) asked:

Regarding SE11/034: What are the nine primary healthcare professionals employed at Pontville IDC?

*Answer:*

Further to the department's response to the Committee's question on notice SE11/0304, the nine primary healthcare professionals at Pontville IDC consist of general practitioners and registered nurses. The nine mental health care professionals consist of mental health nurses, psychologists and counsellors. IHMS has requested that the specific number of each practitioner type not be disclosed for commercial reasons.