

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 24 MAY 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0384) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Cash asked:

How many mental health professionals are engaged permanently or temporarily at detention facilities on the mainland? Please provide details.

Answer:

As at 6 May 2011, the following mental health staff were employed at immigration detention facilities on the mainland.

Location	Mental Health staff (FTE)
Leonora APOD	3
PIDC	2
Curtin IDC	10
Port Augusta IRH	2
MIDC	3
MITA	4
VIDC	8
BITA	
Brisbane APOD	2
NIDC	9
Darwin Airport Lodge APOD	7
ASTI APOD	2
Scherger IDC	9
Inverbrackie APOD	7
Jandakot APOD (PAPOD)	2
Adelaide ITA	1
TOTAL (approximate FTE)	71*

* This number includes Mental Health Team Leaders, Psychologists, Mental Health Nurses and Counsellors.