

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

Question Taken on Notice

Date: 14/06/2018
Subject: Costs associated with hospital transfers of prisoners
From: Mrs Lia Finocchiaro
To: Hon. Natasha Fyles
Agency: Attorney General and Justice

Number: 4.5

Question: Could the Department please provide a breakdown of the costs to the Department in time, overtime or financial impact that hospital transfers of prisoners cost to the Department?

Answer:

Darwin Correctional Centre overtime hours and cost from 29 June 2017 to 21 March 2018

MEDICAL		HOSPITAL	
Hours	Cost	Hours	Cost
1 146.70	\$72 800	33 751.72	\$2 077 606

Alice Springs Correctional Centre overtime hours and cost from 29 June 2017 to 21 March 2018

MEDICAL		HOSPITAL	
Hours	Cost	Hours	Cost
6 949.73	\$402 210	20 520.42	\$1 168 178

Barkly Work Camp

Physical escorts are conducted as part of routine shift. Barkly Work Camp (BWC) has conducted four Medivac (Flying Doctors) extractions in 2017/18 and no financial liability occurred. BWC has conducted 93 medical/hospital escorts in 2017/18 (to end of March 2018).

Datjala Work Camp

Escorts conducted as part of the shift. Datjala Work Camp has conducted 103 medical/hospital escorts in 2017/18 (to the end of March 2018).