

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

Question Taken on Notice

Date: 14 June 2018
Subject: Budget for mental health services for remote Territorians
From: Ms Selena Uibo
To: Hon. Natasha Fyles
Agency: Health

Number: 4-16

Question: Can you please provide the breakdown of mental health services in the budget that are provided to remote Territorians for remote service delivery?

Answer:

Central Australia Health Service

The total allocated budget for remote mental health service delivery for the Central Australia Health Service in 2017-18 is \$17.4 million and \$18 million for 2018-19. All mental health services provided by the Central Australia Health Service are remote services.

Top End Health Service

Mental Health	17/18 000's	%	18/19 000's
East Arnhem Region	829	2.1%	849
Katherine Region	985	2.5%	1 008
Darwin Region	37 718	95.4%	38 592
	39 533	100.0%	40 449

Please note this breakdown for Top End Health Service reflects budget allocation by Cost Centre but does not truly reflect level of services provided in the regions.