

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Ms Hersey to the Minister for Seniors:

Elder Abuse

1. What, if any, Northern Territory Government initiatives are currently aimed at addressing the safety of seniors and elder abuse? What is the budget for these and what was expended in the 2021/22 financial year?
2. What, if any, Northern Territory Government initiatives are currently aimed at addressing ageism? What is the budget for these and what was expended in the 2021/22 financial year?
3. Has the Seniors Recognition Scheme been examined for the potential for financial elder abuse? Have any investigations occurred into the potential for financial abuse, or individual cases of possible elder abuse?
4. What, if any, Northern Territory Government initiatives are currently aimed at enabling older workers to fill job vacancies? What is the budget for these and what was expended in the 2021/22 financial year?