



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

CSD QON No. 64

STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION

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Inquiry into referred 2019–20 Annual and Financial Reports and Budget Estimates 2020-21
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Asked by Elizabeth Kikkert MLA:

In relation to: strengthening services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people

What specific initiatives are included in the line item 'Strengthening services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children and young people', from p. 25 of Budget Statement G?

Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

Strengthening Services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children and young people relates to the continued delivery of Functional Family Therapy – Child Welfare. While the funding line on page 25 of the Budget Statement shows funding for this initiative expiring at the end of 2021-22, future funding has been provisioned subject to evaluation of program outcomes. See the response to CSD QON No. 32 for further detail.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion

Signature:

Date:

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By the Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs, Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA,