

## Hot Issue Briefs

<b>Whole of Portfolio</b>	• Stalled Legislation Measures	SB16-020	<b>PID</b>
	• Modernising Health and Aged Care Payments Services	SB16-021	<b>MACPD</b>
<b>Outcome 1 Health System Policy, Design and Innovation</b>	• Progress of My Health Record Trials	SB16-022	<b>DHD</b>
	• My Health Record Secondary use of Data Consultations	SB16-023	<b>DHD</b>
	• Security of My Health Record Information (following issues with Census 2016)	SB16-024	<b>DHD</b>
	• eHealth Practice Incentives Program (ePIP)	SB16-025	<b>DHD</b>
	• Digital Health Agency – Current Status	SB16-026	<b>DHD</b>
	• Genomics Policy for Human Health	SB16-027	<b>HSPD</b>
	• Trans Pacific Partnership Agreement	SB16-108	<b>HSPD</b>
	• Medical Research Future Fund	SB16-028	<b>RDED</b>
	• Biomedical Translation Fund	SB16-029	<b>RDED</b>
	• Primary Health Care Research (Post PHCRED and BEACH Environment)	SB16-030	<b>RDED</b>
	• Election Commitment on Clinical Trials	SB16-110	<b>RDED</b>
<b>Outcome 2 Health Access and Support Services</b>	• Implementation of Health Care Homes	SB16-031	<b>HSPD</b>
	• Primary Health Networks – Update on Implementation and Activity Work Plans	SB16-032	<b>HSD</b>
	• Mersey Community Hospital	SB16-033	<b>HSD</b>
	• Palliative Care in Tasmania	SB16-034	<b>HSD</b>
	• Quality Improvement in General Practice: Simplification of the Practice Incentives Program	SB16-035	<b>HSD</b>
	• Rheumatic Fever Strategy	SB16-036	<b>HSD</b>
	• Implementation of Mental Health Reforms	SB16-037	<b>HSD</b>
	• Fifth National Mental Health Plan	SB16-038	<b>HSPD</b>
<b>Outcome 2 Health Access and Support Services</b>	• Early Psychosis Youth Service and headspace Programs	SB16-039	<b>HSD</b>
	• National Support for Child and Youth Mental Health Program – Approach to Market	SB16-040	<b>HSD</b>
	• Suicide Prevention	SB16-041	<b>HSD</b>
	• Mental Health Gateway	SB16-042	<b>HSD</b>
	• Mental Health and NDIS	SB16-043	<b>HSD</b>
	• Stigma, Terrorism and Mental Health	SB16-044	<b>HSD</b>
	• Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse	SB16-045	<b>HSD</b>
	• After Hours	SB16-109	<b>HSD</b>
	• Public Hospital Funding	SB16-046	<b>RDED</b>

• Implementation of COAG Heads of Agreement	SB16-047	<b>RDED</b>
• Health Workforce Scholarship Program	SB16-048	<b>HWD</b>
• Alcohol and Other Drugs Future Funding and PHNs	SB16-051	<b>PHSD</b>
• Indigenous Health Budget Overview	SB16-118	<b>IHD</b>
• Funding for Implementation Plan	SB16-119	<b>IHD</b>
• PHN Funding Streams: Mental Health, AOD and ITC	SB16-120	<b>IHD</b>
• Heart of Australia	SB16-055	<b>HWD</b>
• General Practice Rural Incentives Program Redesign	SB16-056	<b>HWD</b>
• Rural Health Commissioner	SB16-057	<b>HWD</b>
• Royal Flying Doctor Service Funding Commitment	SB16-058	<b>HWD</b>
• Skilled Occupation List 2016-17	SB16-059	<b>HWD</b>
• GP Training: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Training Salary Support	SB16-060	<b>HWD</b>
• Rural Workforce Agencies Funding	SB16-104	<b>HWD</b>
• E-cigarettes	SB16-061	<b>PHSD</b>
• National Ice Action Strategy Implementation and Ministerial Forum	SB16-062	<b>PHSD</b>
• Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder	SB16-063	<b>PHSD</b>
• National Drug Strategy and National Alcohol Strategy	SB16-064	<b>PHSD</b>
• Sugar and the Sugar Tax	SB16-065	<b>PHSD</b>
• Low THC Hemp as a Food	SB16-066	<b>PHSD</b>
• Tobacco Current Issues	SB16-067	<b>PHSD</b>
• National Cancer Screening Register	SB16-068	<b>PHSD</b>

#### **Outcome 3 Sport and Recreation**

• Performance at the 2016 Rio Olympic and Paralympic Games	SB16-069	<b>ASC</b>
• Sports Funding (High Performance and Participation)	SB16-070	<b>PHSD</b>

#### **Outcome 4 Individual Health Benefits Outcome 4 Individual Health Benefits**

• MBS and PBS 10% Datasets – Importance of the Project	SB16-113	<b>PID</b>
• MBS and PBS Datasets Release – Implications for Other Health 'IT Related' Projects	SB16-114	<b>PID</b>
• 10% MBS/PBS Sample Data Decryption – Delay in Releasing Advice	SB16-115	<b>PID</b>
• Encryption Mechanism for MBS/PBS 10% Datasets	SB16-116	<b>PID</b>
• PBS Listing for New Hepatitis C Medicines	SB16-071	<b>PBD</b>
• Eculizumab	SB16-072	<b>PBD</b>
• 1 October Price Reductions	SB16-073	<b>PBD</b>
• Cancer Medicines – Government Response to 2015 Senate Inquiry into Cancer Drugs and Ongoing Issue of Early Access to Cancer Medicines	SB16-074	<b>PBD</b>

• The Child and Adult Public Dental Scheme	SB16-075	<b>HSPD</b>
• Private Health Insurance Reform	SB16-076	<b>HSPD</b>
• Growth in MBS Benefits Paid for After-hours Care	SB16-077	<b>HWD</b>
• Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) Review – Update and Public Consultation	SB16-078	<b>MBD</b>
• Private Health Insurance – Pausing of Indexation, Prostheses Reform, Premium Round	SB16-079	<b>MBD</b>
• Diagnostic Imaging, Bulk Billing and Quality	SB16-080	<b>MBD</b>
• Pathology Rent and Bulk Billing Measure	SB16-081	<b>MBD</b>
• Current MBD Issues (Safety net Changes, Bulk Billing and Indexation)	SB16-082	<b>MBD</b>

#### **Outcome 5 Regulation, Safety and Protection**

• Zika Response	SB16-083	<b>OHP</b>
• Immunisation Registers Expansion	SB16-084	<b>OHP</b>
• Per-and poly-fluorinated alkyl Substances (PFAS) Contamination	SB16-085	<b>OHP</b>
• Lyme Disease	SB16-086	<b>OHP</b>
• Scheduling of Products Containing Codeine	SB16-087	<b>RPS</b>
• Medicinal Cannabis	SB16-088	<b>ODC</b>
• Urogynaecological Mesh Devices	SB16-089	<b>MDPQ</b>
• Review of Medicines and Medical Devices Regulation – Government Response	SB16-090	<b>RPS</b>
• NICNAS Reforms Process	SB16-091	<b>HSPD</b>
• Animal Testing and Animal Rights in Research	SB16-092	<b>HSPD</b>
• International Peer Review of Radiation Safety and Regulation - The 2018 Integrated Regulatory Review Service Mission	SB16-112	<b>HSPD</b>

#### **Outcome 6 Ageing and Aged Care**

• Aged Care Funding Instrument (ACFI)	SB16-095	<b>ACPR</b>
• Aged Care Funding Instrument (ACFI) Compliance – DLW Federal Court	SB16-096	<b>ACPR</b>
• Aged Care Fees	SB16-097	<b>ACPR</b>
• My Aged Care	SB16-098	<b>ACAQ</b>
• Aged Care Approvals Round (ACAR)	SB16-099	<b>AACS</b>
• Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP)	SB16-100	<b>AACS</b>
• Advocacy	SB16-101	<b>AACS</b>
• Dementia Specialist Care Units	SB16-102	<b>AACS</b>
• Eligibility to Aged Care – Refugees	SB16-121	<b>ACPR</b>