



Freedom of Information Request: FA 21/06/00239

How many people with disability are currently held in immigration detentions in Australia? Please indicate the broad nature of the disability (i.e physical, intellectual, psychiatric).

As at 09 June 2021, there were 130 people in held detention with an ongoing disability. This is based on the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) definitions of disability types, grouped as follows:

- Acquired brain injury;
- Autism;
- Hearing impairment;
- Intellectual;
- Neurological;
- Physical;
- Psychiatric;
- Specific Learning Disorder (other than intellectual); and
- Visual Impairment