

QUESTION ON NOTICE
ASKED
Tuesday, 14 October 2025
Answer Due: Thursday, 13 November 2025

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MS W BOURNE ASKED MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON T NICHOLLS)

With reference to answer to Question on Notice No. 532 of 2025, which advised that data was unavailable from October 2024 due to system upgrades occurring in the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care's data portal, and contrary information in correspondence from the Commonwealth Department of Health suggesting that there were no system issues or upgrades they were aware of that would prevent any assessment organisation from accessing wait time information via the Health Data Portal—

Will the Minister (a) provide details of the system upgrades his answer to Question on Notice No. 532 of 2025 referred to and (b) advise the average wait time for an ACAT assessment for the period October 2024 to present, as requested in Question on Notice No. 532 of 2025?