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Attachments: [Transcript - Australian Society of Rehabilitation Counsellors corrected.pdf](#)

Dear Abegail,

Thank you for the opportunity to appear before the Legislative Assembly Committee on Law and Safety on 10 May 2021 for the inquiry on Physical health of police and emergency service workers.

Dr Boris Fedoric and I have reviewed the uncorrected transcript of our evidence and have made a correction on the transcript to a statement made by Dr Boris Fedoric. Please find correction on page 16, attached.

In response to the question highlighted on the transcript:

Mr MARK TAYLOR: *I do not know if either of you are able to answer this question but do you have any experience or data or knowledge about comparing New South Wales police or emergency services compared to other jurisdictions or do you know of some jurisdictions which you consider are doing, say, a good job?*

We have provided below hyperlinks to data from the workcover authorities in each state to address the request for data from the different jurisdictions. Unfortunately comparisons are difficult given the very different ways each scheme is administered.

In particular the SIRA report (NSW) includes some high level stats regarding: Government Self-Insurers (TMF) emergency services
[workers compensation monthly report november 2020 - SIRA \(nsw.gov.au\)](#)

Statistics from Victoria as at Aug 2020 The spreadsheets contain standardised claims reported to WorkSafe for financial years 2009/10 to 2018/19.

Breakdowns are provided by industry, occupation, age and gender, nature of injury, mechanism of injury, bodily location of injury, agency of injury and injury year.

[Data and statistics - WorkSafe](#)

Statistics from QLD Worksafe as at June 2020

[WHS reports and statistics | WorkSafe.qld.gov.au](#)

<https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/resources/statistics/reports/workers-compensation-regulator-statistics-reports>

Statistics from RTW SA 2020, providing annual statistics on employers insured under the Return to Work scheme (not self-insured) with associated demographics.

[ReturnToWorkSA insurer statistics \(rtwsa.com\)](#)

Statistics from WA Workcover as at Dec 2020 offering insight into the health and viability of the injury management scheme.

[Reports and statistics - WorkCover WA](#)

Please advise if you require any further information.

Kind regards,
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