

Table 5: PBS Other - Summary of direct payments and advances

Expenditure Year ending June 2005, 2006 & 2007- \$ millions

| | 2004/05 \$ m | 2005/06 \$ m | 2006/07 \$ m |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <i>Highly specialised drugs (1)</i> | 459.6 | 526.3 | 583.6 |
| <i>Safety net card issue fees</i> | 8.0 | 7.9 | 7.9 |
| <i>Drs bag items</i> | 9.4 | 10.1 | 12.1 |
| <i>Opiate Dependence Treatment Program</i> | 21.4 | 24.8 | 25.0 |
| <i>Special Authority Program</i> | 30.0 | 54.5 | 61.5 |
| <i>Chemotherapy Access Program</i> | 35.6 | 41.3 | 48.1 |
| <i>Aboriginal health services (GST exclusive)</i> | 22.0 | 23.2 | 27.5 |
| <i>Botox (incl. Dysport)</i> | 7.2 | 6.6 | 8.8 |
| <i>Ostomy preparations</i> | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| <i>In vitro fertilisation</i> | 47.3 | 49.7 | 55.2 |
| <i>Human growth hormones</i> | 18.9 | 19.7 | 20.6 |
| <i>Other</i> | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Total | 660.0 | 764.7 | 850.9 |

(1) Comprises grants paid in advance to the States and Territories and Payments made to Private Hospitals reconciled against actual usage (see page 40).