

AGED CARE FACILITIES, GOVERNMENT OWNED

1673. Dr Constable to the Minister for Health

- (1) Does the Western Australian Government own any aged care facilities?
- (2) If yes to (1), which facilities are owned by the Government and where are they located?
- (3) If yes to (1), how many people are cared for in each facility?

Mr KUCERA replied:

- (1) Yes.
- (2)-(3) State Government hospitals in the rural sector have traditionally provided nursing home type care where access to local residential aged care specific facilities are not available. In recent years, the State has upgraded a number of rural hospitals, adding permanent care wings to provide nursing home type patients with a home-like atmosphere. There are approximately 190 nursing home type patients currently receiving care in rural hospitals in the State.

The stand-alone aged care facilities owned by the State are at:

- Numbala Nunga Nursing Home, Derby – up to 50 residents;
- Yulanya Nursing Home, Port Hedland – up to 30 residents;
- Brookton Nursing Home, Brookton – up to 21 residents.

Under the Multi-Purpose Service (MPS) program between the State, the Commonwealth and rural communities, the pooling of resources has enabled small aged care facilities in country towns to either enter into a lease agreement, or transfer ownership of all facilities and assets to the local Health Service Board. Details are provided as follows:

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Alex Miles Lodge

LOCATION: Beverley

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 12

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Berringa Frail Aged Lodge

LOCATION: Merredin

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 10

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Boyup Brook Citizen Lodge

LOCATION: Boyup Brook

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 17

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Brookview

LOCATION: Northampton

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 4

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Carinaville

LOCATION: Southern Cross

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred 3

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Denmark Lodge

LOCATION: Denmark

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 6

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Ian Robert Lodge

LOCATION: Cunderdin

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 4

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Koolberrin Lodge

LOCATION: Narembeen

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred

NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 6

MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Lady Brand Lodge

LOCATION: Three Springs

LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 9
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Leeuwin Lodge
LOCATION Augusta
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 13
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY Lovegrove Lodge
LOCATION: Wongan Hills
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 6
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY Murchison Hostel
LOCATION Meekatharra
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Transferred
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 7
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY Pioneer House
LOCATION Dalwallinu
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 4
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Pioneer Memorial Lodge
LOCATION: York
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 15
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: The Lodge
LOCATION: Moora
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Leased
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 9
MULTI-PURPOSE SERVICE (MPS) FACILITY: Wallambin Lodge
LOCATION: Wyalkatchem
LEASE/TRANSFERRED: Owned by Hospital
NUMBER OF RESIDENTS (Varies): 6