

CARNARVON REGIONAL HOSPITAL

**845. Hon MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM to the minister representing the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the staffing levels at Carnarvon Regional Hospital.

- (1) How many full-time equivalent staff were employed at Carnarvon hospital as at 9 September 2008, and what positions do they cover?
- (2) How many FTEs are employed at Carnarvon hospital as at 9 September 2009, and what positions do they cover?
- (3) What positions are currently vacant at the hospital?
- (4) Have these positions been advertised; and, if so, when were they advertised?

**Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:**

- (1) The following is a breakdown of FTEs employed at Carnarvon Regional Hospital as at 9 September 2008. The total figure is 112.8 FTEs. The breakdown of occupational categories is as follows: nursing, 46.5; administrative and clerical, 20.3; medical support services, 2.3; hotel services, 28.3; site services, 5.3; medical salaries, 6.9; and nursing agency, 3.2.
- (2) The following is a breakdown of FTEs employed at Carnarvon Regional Hospital as at 9 September 2009. The total figure is 117.1 FTEs. The breakdown of occupational categories is as follows: nursing, 49.2; administrative and clerical, 19.3; medical support services, four; hotel services, 28.6; site services, seven; medical salaries, nine; and nursing agency, zero.
- (3) The following positions are currently vacant at Carnarvon hospital: one registered nurse, one registered midwife and one assistant in nursing.
- (4) These positions have been approved for advertising and will be advertised within the next two weeks.