

HOSPITALS, TEACHING AND RESEARCH, EXPENDITURE

1338. Mr Masters to the Minister for Health

- (1) Which public hospitals in Western Australia are involved in teaching?
- (2) Which public hospitals in Western Australia are involved in research?
- (3) For each hospital involved in teaching and / or research, what was their total expenditure for 1999 - 2000?
- (4) For each of these hospitals, what proportion of their 1999 - 2000 expenditure was allocated to teaching and related activities and / or what proportion was allocated to research and related activities?

Mr KUCERA replied:

- (1)-(2) Hospitals receive funds for teaching and research from a number of areas including a general allocation from the Department of Health (DoH), specific research grants obtained by hospital staff and private donations. The DoH makes a combined allocation for teaching/research and these funds are provided through the budget allocation process to health services.

In 1999-00 the DoH provided funds for teaching/research to the Metropolitan Health Service Board (MHSB) for the teaching hospitals; Royal Perth Hospital, Sir Charles Gardiner Hospital, Fremantle Hospital, Princess Margaret Hospital and King Edward Memorial Hospital.

- (3)-(4) The general allocation for teaching/research from the DoH for teaching hospitals in 1999-00 was \$89.1M. Hospitals also receive additional monies from other sources (eg private donations and research grants) which may be directed to research and teaching.

Royal Perth Hospital

DoH General Allocation for Hospital Teaching/Research - \$32.7M

Total Expenditure - \$333.7M

Sir Charles Gardiner Hospital

DoH General Allocation for Hospital Teaching/Research \$22.5M

Total Expenditure - \$255.1M

Fremantle

DoH General Allocation for Hospital Teaching/Research - \$16.9M

Total Expenditure - \$171.99M

Princess Margaret/King Edward Memorial Hospital

DoH General Allocation for Hospital Teaching/Research - \$17.0M

Total Expenditure - \$180.6M