

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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## QUESTION WITHOUT NOTICE (Of which some notice has been given)

Thursday, 27 November 2014

Hon Alanna Clohesy to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

I refer to needle and syringe exchange programs in Western Australia, and I ask:

1. What organisations offer this service in WA?
2. For each organisation, how much State Government funding does each receive per year?
3. In which specific locations in WA is this service offered?

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I thank the honourable member for some notice of this question. The following information has been provided to me by the Minister for Health.

(1-2) The WA Substance User's Association receives \$1,115,841.

The WA AIDS Council receives \$270,998. The Needle and Syringe Exchange Programs (NSEP) service is only part of the comprehensive services provided by the WA AIDS Council.

The South Metropolitan Community Drug Services Team Palmerston receives \$29,980.

The Community Drug Services Team (Midwest) receives \$53,800.

The WA Department of Health receives \$1,393,870. This includes regional coordinators (\$511,370) and the funding of needle and syringes and disposal costs (\$882,500)

(3) The WA Substances User's Association:

West Perth – fixed site

Bunbury – fixed site

Mobile van service in the South West

The WA AIDS Council:

West Perth – fixed site

Fremantle – fixed site

Mobile van service in the Perth metropolitan areas – Armadale, Rockingham, Gosnells, Mirrabooka, Forrestfield, Midland, Joondalup

The South Metropolitan Community Drug Services Team Palmerston:

Mandurah – fixed site

Community Drug Services Team (Midwest):  
Geraldton – fixed site

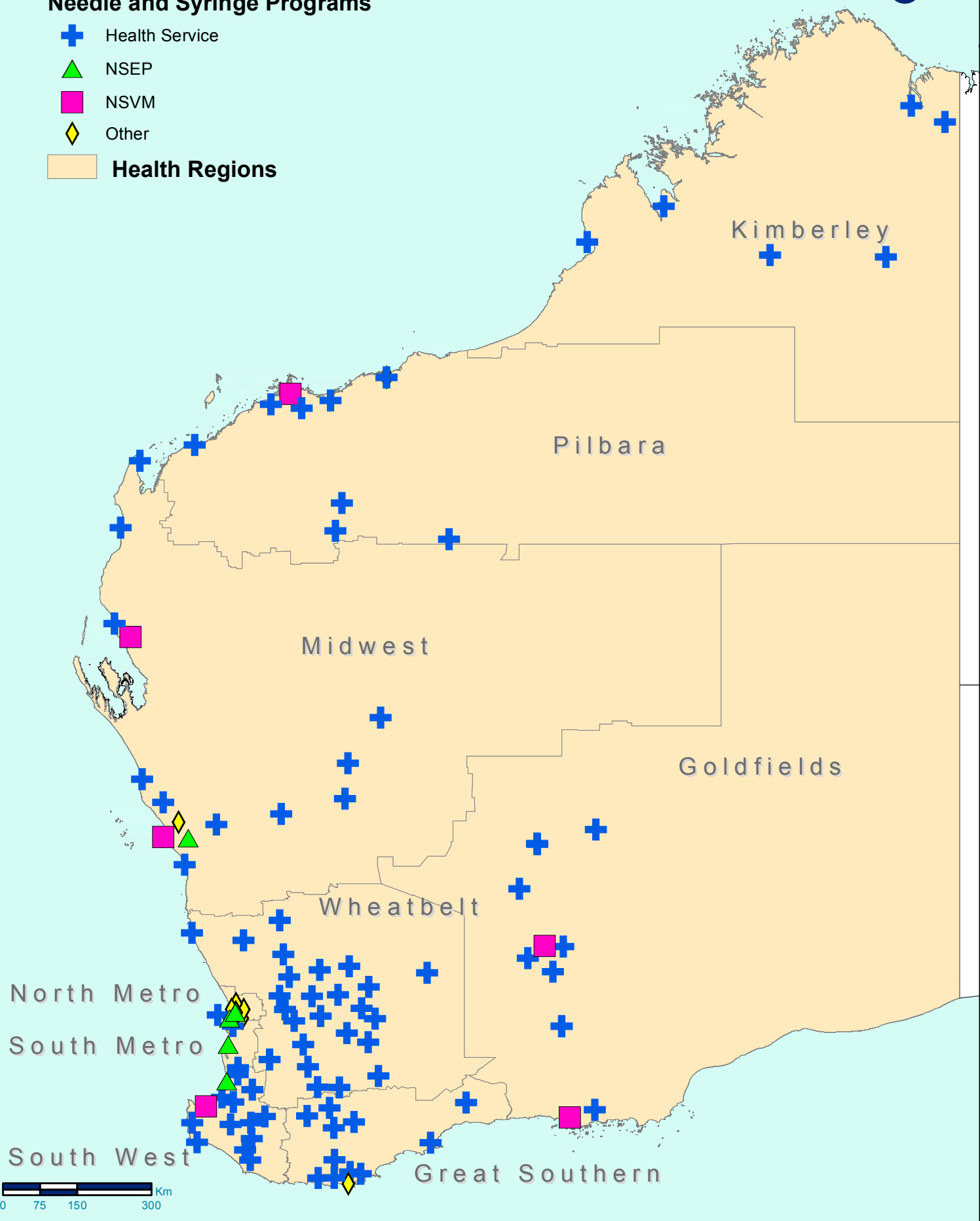
WA Country Health Service Hospital Emergency Departments, Public Health:  
Units and vending machines.

Maps have been provided and I seek leave to table that information.

# Needle and Syringe Programs



- Health Service
- NSEP
- NSVM
- Other
- Health Regions









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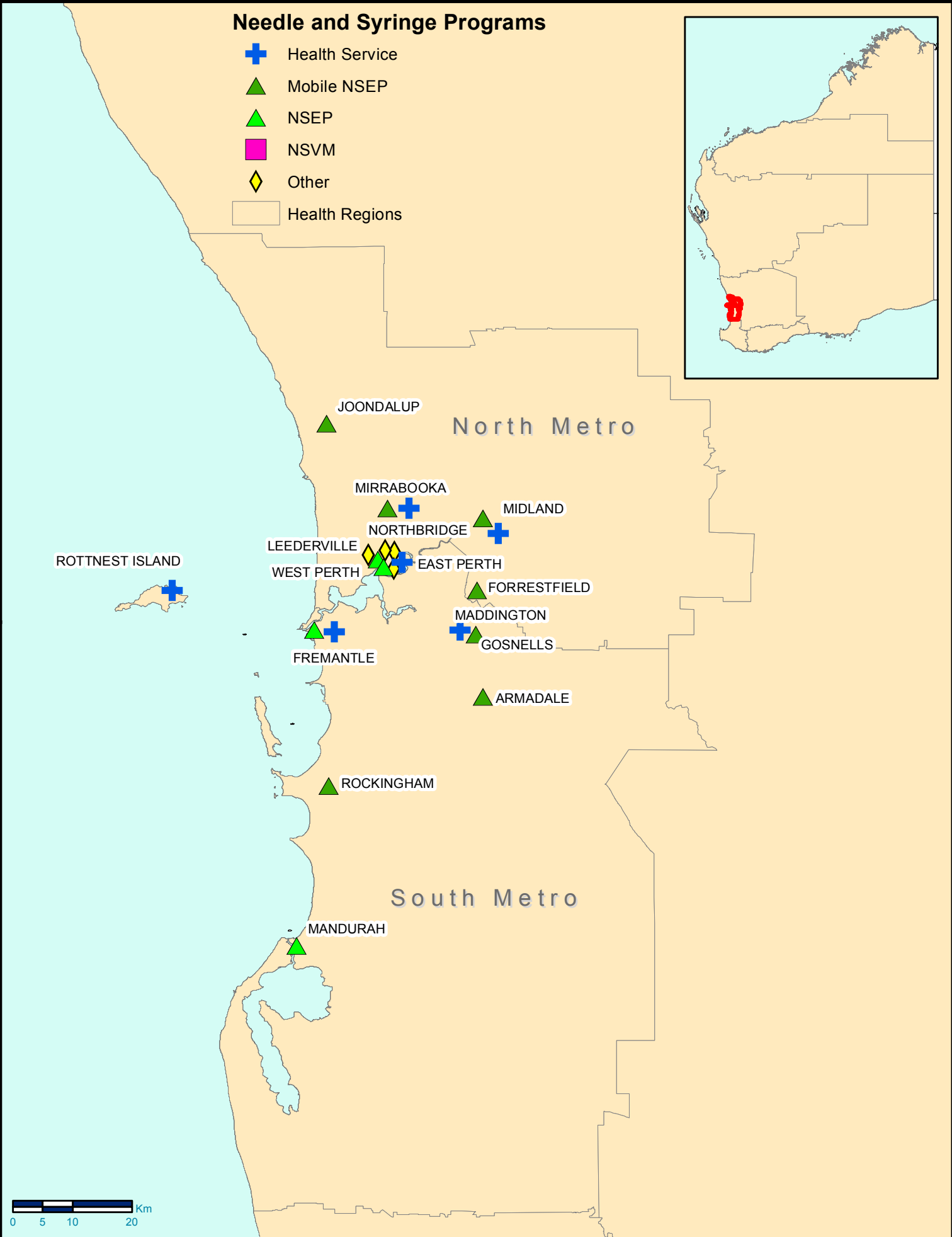
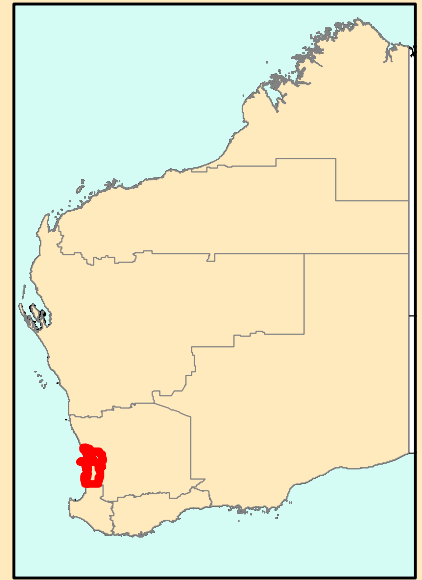
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-  Health Service
-  Mobile NSEP
-  NSEP
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## Needle and Syringe Programs 2013 North and South Metro

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