

Division 34: Mental Health Commission —

[Supplementary Information No B19.]

Question: Dr A.D. Buti asked for a list of current mental health beds in the system, a list of future beds due to come online as a result of the budget and what years they will come online.

Answer:

The table at Attachment 1 provides details of current specialised mental health inpatient beds in Western Australia, and the expected number of beds up until 2015. Purchasing decisions beyond this period will be made subject to the outcomes of the Ten Year Mental Health and Alcohol and Other Drug Services Plan currently being developed.

With construction of new mental health facilities underway, an additional 136 new and relocated mental health beds are expected to become operational in 2015. These include 20 beds at the \$1.2 billion New Children's Hospital, 30 beds at the \$1.7 billion Fiona Stanley Hospital, 30 beds as part of the \$29 million works at Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital and 56 beds at the \$360 million Midland Health Campus.

Attachment 1. Specialised mental health beds in Western Australia

Hospital	Target Population	Program Type	2013/2014 (as at 21 May 2014)	2014/2015 Expected
Graylands/State Forensic	Adult	Acute	62	69
		Non acute	90	90
	Forensic	Acute	30	30
Total Graylands		Acute	92	99
		Non acute	90	90
		Total	182	189
Selby	Older adult	Acute	32	32
Osborne Park	Older Adult	Acute	24	24
Sir Charles	Adult	Acute	36	30
Swan	Adult	Acute	25	0
	Older Adult	Acute	16	0
Total Swan		Total	41	0
Midland	Adult	Acute	-	40
	Older Adult	Acute	-	16
Total Midland		Total	-	56
Armadale	Adult	Acute	25	25
	Older Adult	Acute	8	8
	Adult	Non Acute	8	8
Total Armadale		Acute	33	33
		Non acute	8	8
		Total	41	41
Bentley	Adult	Acute	50	50
	Adult	Non Acute	12	12
	Older Adult	Acute	26	26
	Child & Adolescent	Non Acute	6	6

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	Child & Adolescent	Acute	12	6
Total Bentley		Acute	88	82
		Non acute	18	18
		Total	106	100
Fremantle	Adult	Acute	48	48
	Older Adult	Acute	16	16
Total Fremantle		Total	64	64
Rockingham	Adult	Acute	20	20
	Older Adult	Acute	10	10
Total Rockingham		Total	30	30
Royal Perth	Adult	Acute	20	20
Fiona Stanley	TBD	Acute	-	30
King Edward	Adult	Acute	8	8
Princess Margaret	Child & Adolescent	Acute	8	0
Perth Children's Hospital				
	Child & Adolescent	Total	-	20
Albany	Adult	Acute	12*	12*
Bunbury	Adult	Acute	27	27
Kalgoorlie	Adult	Acute	7	7
Broome	Adult	Acute	13	13
Joondalup	Adult	Acute	42	42
Mercy	Older Adult	Acute	12	12
Total		Acute	589	641
		Non acute	116	116
		Total	705	757

Notes

Excludes 8 beds in the Mental Health Observation Area in SCGH.
 Excludes 4 beds in Albany (beds authorised but not yet operational)
 Source: BedState

[Supplementary Information No B20.]

Question: Dr A.D. Buti asked: Was the allocation in the 2012–13 budget papers based on the 2011 draft Mental Health Bill or the bill that is currently going through Parliament?

Answer:

The funding allocation for the Mental Health Bill was made in the 2012/13 Budget process. It was based on the 2011 draft of the Bill. The changes made between that Bill and the current version of the Bill are considered to have a minimal impact on the funding requirement for implementation.

[Supplementary Information No B21.]

Question: Ms J. Farrer asked for the distribution of the specialist Aboriginal mental health services between the east Kimberley and the west Kimberley.

Answer:

The table below shows the distribution of Full Time Equivalents (FTE) under the Specialised Aboriginal Mental Health Service in the Kimberley for 2013/14 with funding of \$1,242,000 provided to WA Country Health Service and \$714,300 provided to Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services Council.

Region	New FTE	Provider
Broome - West Kimberley	3	WA Country Health Service
Fitzroy Crossing - West Kimberley	2	WA Country Health Service
Kununurra - East Kimberley	2	WA Country Health Service
Halls Creek - East Kimberley	1	WA Country Health Service
Derby - West Kimberley	2	Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services Council
Balgo - West Kimberley	2	Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services Council

Specific allocations have yet to be made for 2014/15 but will be based on those provided in 2013/14 and will be block funded under specific stand alone agreements.

[Supplementary Information No B22.]

Question: Mr D.J. Kelly asked that the Mental Health Commission seek from the Department of Health how it will meet its contractual obligations with the Mental Health Commission and the contractor for the provision of restricted services at the Midland campus.

Answer:

The procedures that St John of God Health Care, as a Catholic organisation, is not able to undertake at Midland Public Hospital, referred to as 'restricted procedures', will be provided locally by an alternative provider. The 'restricted procedures' (contraception, sterilisation and termination of pregnancy) are predominantly elective in nature. Any patients at Midland Public Hospital with a life threatening emergency will be treated at the Midland Public Hospital.

For voluntary and involuntary mental health inpatients, access to 'restricted procedures' will be as per any other Midland Public Hospital patient, that is, they will be provided with information about services available and have the option to access services elsewhere through another provider. For the most part, 'restricted procedures' are either provided by the patient's General Practitioner (such as contraceptive services), or following referral by the General Practitioner to a provider of these services.

[Supplementary Information No B23.]

Question: Dr A.D. Buti asked for the number of vacancies in the Mental Health Commission as at 1 May, the list of positions that are vacant, where those positions are located and which of those positions will not be filled until 1 July.

Answer:

In respect of specialised admitted patient services, as per page 398 there are 24 FTEs allocated to Specialised Admitted Patient Services. This is a nominal allocation of one quarter of all Mental Health Commission FTEs.

There are no vacancies in the Mental Health Commission in respect of this service specifically. However, two positions in the Mental Health Commission as a whole are expected to be filled following 1 July 2014. They are:

- Principal Policy Officer – Perth Metropolitan Area
- Contracts Officer – Perth Metropolitan Area