

PUBLIC HOSPITALS - WAITING TIMES FOR ADMISSION AND NUMBER OF
 FTE DOCTORS AND NURSES

1741. Mr P.D. Omodei to the Minister for Health

- (1) What is the monthly chart from Royal Perth, Sir Charles Gairdner, Fremantle and Princess Margaret Hospitals of daily average percentage 8-hour waits for admission?
- (2) What is the current number of FTE doctors at -
 - (a) Royal Perth Hospital;
 - (b) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital;
 - (c) Fremantle Hospital; and
 - (d) Princess Margaret Hospital?
- (3) How does this compare to 2004-2005 and 2003-2004?
- (4) What is the current number of FTE nurses at -
 - (a) Royal Perth Hospital;
 - (b) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital;
 - (c) Fremantle Hospital; and
 - (d) Princess Margaret Hospital?

Mr J.A. McGINTY replied:

- (1) The data below is for the 2005/06 financial year.

	Jul 05	Aug 05	Sep 05	Oct 05	Nov 05	Dec 05	Jan 06	Feb 06	Mar 06	Apr 06	May 06	Jun 06
RPH	40.3%	38.5%	35.9%	35.4%	31.4%	27.2%	37.7%	36.7%	32.9%	35.4%	41.2%	42.8%
SCGH	39.6%	27.8%	27.1%	37.6%	27.4%	26.0%	29.5%	38.0%	42.7%	39.3%	42.3%	42.0%
FH	50.2%	47.1%	50.1%	47.1%	45.4%	40.0%	49.5%	48.8%	57.0%	53.3%	51.8%	49.8%
PMH	5.2%	4.5%	3.3%	5.9%	2.1%	1.6%	1.0%	2.3%	4.8%	2.6%	3.9%	5.1%

Note:

- 1) The data exclude patients in ED observation wards.
- 2) The data are calculated by taking the ratio of admitted patients waiting in excess of eight hours, over the total number of patients who were either admitted, transferred or deceased.

Source: EDIS (Extract date December 2006)

- (2) & (3) FTE doctors:

	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07
	Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov
(a) Royal Perth Hospital	521	489	546	547
(b) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital	522	537	556	597
(c) Fremantle Hospital	291	312	335	344
(d) PMH	206	210	222	234

Note:

- 1) Excludes dentists and agency doctors.
- 2) Royal Perth Hospital excludes Shenton Park Campus.
- (4) FTE nurses:

	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07
	Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov
(a) Royal Perth Hospital	1,185	1,292	1,324	1,390
(b) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital	1,169	1,252	1,275	1,308
(c) Fremantle Hospital	949	1,026	1,055	1,041
(d) PMH	520	531	531	538

Note:

- 1) Excludes registered dental nurses, dental clinic assistants and agency nurses.
- 2) Royal Perth Hospital excludes Shenton Park Campus.