

HEALTH — STAFF

634. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:

I refer to the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) frontline health workers in the WA health system and ask:

- (a) How many FTE nurses were employed in each quarter in:
  - (i) 2021–2022; and
  - (ii) 2022–date;
- (b) How many FTE midwives were employed in each quarter in:
  - (i) 2021–2022; and
  - (ii) 2022–date;
- (c) How many FTE doctors were employed in each quarter in:
  - (i) 2021–2022; and
  - (ii) 2022–date; and
- (d) How many FTE paediatricians were employed in each quarter in:
  - (i) 2021–2022; and
  - (ii) 2022–date?

**Ms A. Sanderson replied:**

(a)–(d)

Month-Year (Quarter)	Nurses and Midwives	Doctors	Paediatricians
Jul–Sep 21	15,410	5,133	314
Oct–Dec 21	15,595	5,158	447
Jan–Mar 22	16,281	5,482	320
Apr–Jun 22	16,562	5382	474
Jul–Sep 22	16,199	5,603	343
Oct 22–date	16,239	5,607	474