

Health, Communities, Disability Services and Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Committee

Public Briefings Program

Abortion Law Reform (Women's Right to Choose) Amendment Bill 2016, and Inquiry into laws governing termination of pregnancy in Queensland

Tuesday 12 July 2016

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Parliament House (public entrance, George Street)

Time	Subject and witnesses
10.45 – 12.45	Current practices in Queensland concerning termination of pregnancy by medical practitioners
	Professional guidelines and standards
	Dr Wendy Burton, Royal Australian College of General Practice
	 Dr John Wakefield, Queensland Health
	 another to be confirmed
12.45-1.30	Break
1.30 – 4.30pm	
	Psychological impacts post abortion
	Psychological impacts if abortion is not available
	Provision of counselling and support services for women
	 Dr Lyndall White, Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists
	 Ms Jacklyn Whybrow, Australian Association of Social Workers, Queensland Branch
	 Ms Heather Gridley, Australian Psychological Society