

Inquiry into the provision of primary, allied and private health care, aged care and NDIS care services and its impact on the Queensland public health system

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Often can't get Dr appointments for client we support. Can't get new clients into doctor - if you move here there are no doctors taking new clients. Lack of services overall - On wait list for allied health for speech, OT (vital for NDIS reports and reviews) Long wait list for medical issues/surgeries - don't consider clients with disability have extra issues regarding travel to/from appointments and support required to attend these appointments. For many it's a 1.5hr way way trip (more for more regional areas) Have to go to Cairns for most things. No bulk billing services for people with high medical needs We get far more requests for NDIS supports than our capacity to provide.