



Speech By  
**Ros Bates**


**MEMBER FOR MUDGEERABA**

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**NOTICE OF MOTION**

**Queensland Health**

 **Ms BATES** (Mudgeeraba—LNP) (10.14 am): I give notice that I will move—

That this House—

1. condemns the Palaszczuk Labor government for ongoing health failures and wrong priorities, including:
  - (a) the CEO sacking debacle at the Wide Bay Hospital and Health Service, which has dragged on for more than three weeks;
  - (b) the ongoing sterilisation crisis at the PA Hospital, which has seen hundreds of surgeries delayed and rescheduled;
  - (c) the failed rollout of the \$35 million regional eHealth project in Far North Queensland;
  - (d) skyrocketing ambulance ramping;
  - (e) surgery wait times blowing out;
  - (f) delays in progressing the new drug and alcohol rehabilitation facility in Rockhampton;
  - (g) cutting \$203 million for the hospital building budget for this year, while many of our hospitals are bursting at the seams;
  - (h) overseeing a \$2.1 million reduction in donations to the Children's Hospital Foundation following the removal of the Lady Cilento name;
  - (i) failing to resolve issues with the \$135 million FAMMIS ordering system failures, which has seen nurses having to order medical supplies on the corporate bankcard and extra staff employed just to process ongoing payments;
  - (j) the minister's announcement that 100 complaints per day is 'not a bad thing';
  - (k) refusing to release the investigation report into failures into the integrated electronic Medical Record at 14 hospitals on 10 September 2019; and
  - (l) refusing to release the location of the 16 complaints made at state managed residential aged-care facilities in 2018, that was obtained through RTI; and
2. calls on the Premier to show some leadership and sack the health minister.