

Question on Notice

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Asked on Tuesday, 10 May 2005

MR LAWLOR asked the Minister for Communities, Disability Services and Seniors (Mr Pitt) -

With reference to page 2-1 of the Ministerial Portfolio Statements which notes services to regions — What services currently exist and are planned for the Gold Coast region?

ANSWER:

Current service providers on the Gold Coast are:

Horizon Foundation
Arundel Park Riding for the Disabled
Coastal Accommodation Support Service Inc
Bethany Care Respite
Guide Dogs for the Blind (Gold Coast and Brisbane)
Headway Gold Coast Inc
Ozcare
Gold Coast Advocacy
Kawaleigh Respite and Family Support Service
Shepherd Community Services
Cerebral Palsy League of Queensland
Gold Coast Recreation and Sport
Southside Accommodation and Lifestyle Support
Spinal Injuries Association
Endeavour Foundation
Envision Support Services
Gold Coast Family Support Group Inc
House with No Steps
Multicap
Southern Star Community Services
Trinity Accommodation Support
Harmony Accommodation Support Service
Gold Coast Community Lifestyles
Aishling Respite Services

These organisations currently receive total funding of \$15 252 338.

Planned additional services on the Gold Coast include:

Southern Star Community Services
Kawaleigh Respite and Family Support Program
Gold Coast Family Support Group received
Schizophrenia Fellowship

Funding to these organisations will total more than \$200 000.