

Question on Notice
No. 237
Asked on 1 April 2014

MRS MILLER asked the Minister for Health (MR SPRINGBORG)-

QUESTION:

Will the Minister detail Queensland Health's (a) total own source revenue in each financial year from 2003-04 to 2012-13, with the total income from billing private patients listed separately for each year and (b) total projected own source revenue for 2013-14 and 2014-15, including the total expected income from billing private patients (listed separately as a sub-total of the amount for each year)?

ANSWER:

I thank the Honourable Member for Bundamba for her question.

Queensland Health's annual own source revenue generated from user charges and total income from billing private patients between 2003-04 and 2012-13 is:

Year	Queensland Health total own source revenue (\$000's) ¹	Total income from billing private patients (\$000's) ²
2003-04	254,909	77,515
2004-05	258,451	83,402
2005-06	308,762	86,109
2006-07	372,717	89,201
2007-08	439,102	97,538
2008-09	503,934	109,026
2009-10	688,758	137,043
2010-11	778,498	172,679
2011-12	892,790	256,732
2012-13	973,316	311,112

¹ Total own source revenue = total user charges

² Total income from billing private patients = user charges for private patient services and accommodation

With respect to your request for information regarding 2013-14 and 2014-15 projected own source revenue and estimated income from billing private patients, I am advised that these figures are not currently available due to forecasting still being undertaken.

I am informed however, that the details will be dependent on the finalisation of national funding arrangements and the implementation of new private practice arrangements by Hospital and Health Services following recommendations made by the Auditor-General.