

Question on Notice

No. 976

Asked on 22 August 2018

DR M ROBINSON asked the Minister for Health and Minister for Ambulance Services (HON DR S MILES) –

QUESTION

With reference to Question on Notice No. 71 asked on 6 March 2018, in which the Minister provides the costs associated with the five palliative care inpatient beds at Redland Hospital from 2012-13 to 2016-17 (and projected costs for 2017-18)—

Will the Minister provide the projected cost figures for the five palliative care inpatient beds at Redland Hospital for the years 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 (reported separately by year)?

ANSWER

YEAR	PROJECTED COSTS
2018-19	\$1,896,905
2019-20	\$1,944,328
2020-21	\$1,992,936
2021-11	\$2,042,759

I am advised that the costs outlined above relate solely to the five palliative care inpatient beds at Redland Hospital which are the subject of this question and do not include any additional funding which may be required to provide palliative care services at Redland Hospital or within the Metro South Hospital and Health Service into the future.