

Question on Notice

No. 1239

Asked on 4 December 2020

MR J MCDONALD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON Y D'ATH) –

QUESTION

With reference to the election commitment for a second CT scanner at the Robina Hospital—

Will the Minister advise (a) the services that will be upgraded and benefits for patients, (b) the full cost of the upgrade, (c) a date when the upgrade will commence and (d) a date when the upgrade will be completed?

ANSWER

The Palaszczuk Government is committed to delivering free, world-class health care to all Queenslanders no matter where they live.

Now, in our third term in Government, we will continue to deliver on our commitments to ensure every Queenslander continues to benefit from better health services and better health facilities.

Our 2020 election commitments included:

- expansion and redevelopment of public health facilities and ambulance stations across the State, including a suite of seven new satellite hospitals;
- significant growth in our essential frontline health workforce; and
- delivering more health services across Queensland, particularly in rural and remote areas.

Following the election, Queensland Health has commenced work on scoping out the full details of this commitment including timeframes. That detail will be available in due course.