

Question on Notice

No. 1254

Asked on 4 December 2020

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

QUESTION

With reference to the \$15m commitment to establish a Bundaberg Alcohol and Other Drug treatment centre—

Will the Minister advise (a) the location of the centre, (b) the scope of the services to be provided, (c) a date when construction will commence and (d) a date when construction will be complete and the centre operational?

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 project including timeframes. That detail will be available in due course.