

Question on Notice

No. 1114

Asked on 28 November 2024

MR T SMITH ASKED MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON T NICHOLLS)—

QUESTION

Will the Minister advise the number of contractors employed (reported separately by each Hospital and Health Service and by position, in a table), as at 28 October 2024?

ANSWER

The Queensland Government's Open Data website provides details of contracts awarded by agencies across Government, including for contractors engaged by Hospital and Health Services (HHS).

The 2023-24 financial year contract disclosure log is available at www.data.qld.gov.au/organization/queensland-health. The Member can use the filter and search functions to search for each HHS, search by key words, time periods, and more.

The data requested is not a publicly reported measure and I am advised that at this current time, the systems and processes of capturing the information requested by the Member as at a particular date can vary across the various Health entities. Furthermore, to report each 'contractor' engaged by each HHS 'by position' as the Member has requested may inadvertently identify individual contractual arrangements which would be inappropriate.