

Question on Notice
No. 1162
Asked on 10 December 2024

MS J PEASE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR YOUTH JUSTICE AND VICTIM SUPPORT AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON L GERBER)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the current rate of participation in mandatory and non-compulsory rehabilitation services and programs currently provided in corrective services facilities, excluding youth detention centres (reported separately and in a table)?

ANSWER:

The Crisafulli Government is committed to restoring community safety and the Queensland Corrective Service (QCS) are vital to delivering this. QCS officers have the ability to deliver effective interventions to rehabilitate prisoners, reduce reoffending and ensure community safety.

Under the Crisafulli Government, QCS will receive the support they need to provide safe, modern and responsive correctional services which rehabilitate offenders and prevent crime.

With reference to participation in programs in QCS facilities, while an individual may be recommended to engage in QCS services and programs based on their identified risks and needs, participation is voluntary. With reference to non-compulsory rehabilitation services and programs, there were 4,929 prisoner program completions in the last financial year.