

Question on Notice

No. 398

Asked on 29 April 2025

HON M BAILEY ASKED MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES
(HON T NICHOLLS)—

QUESTION

Will the Minister advise the total number of individuals employed under a temporary contract within Queensland Health as at the most recent pay period ending date, reported separately by (a) Office of the Director-General, (b) Office of the Chief First Nations Health Officer, (c) Office of the Chief Health officer, (d) Queensland Public Health and Scientific Services, (e) Healthcare Purchasing and System Performance Division, (f) Clinical Excellence Queensland, (g) Corporate Services Division, (h) Clinical Planning and Strategy Service Division, (i) eHealth Queensland, (j) Health Infrastructure Queensland and (k) Strategy, Policy and Reform Division?

ANSWER

As at pay period ending 27 April 2025, the Department of Health has a total of 1,580 employees (headcount) engaged under a temporary contract within the following areas:

- (a) Office of the Director-General has eight employees.
- (b) Office of the Chief First Nations Health Officer has 13 employees.
- (c) Office of the Chief Health Officer has eight employees.
- (d) Queensland Public Health and Scientific Services has 426 employees.
- (e) Healthcare Purchasing and System Performance Division has 43 employees.
- (f) Clinical Excellence Queensland has 78 employees.
- (g) Corporate Services Division has 405 employees.
- (h) Clinical Planning and Service Strategy Division has 69 employees.
- (i) eHealth Queensland has 388 employees.
- (j) Health Infrastructure Queensland has 84 employees.
- (k) Strategy Policy and Reform Division has 58 employees.

As at 28 April 2024, the Department of Health had a total of 1,523 (headcount) engaged under a temporary contract.

Individuals employed under a temporary contract are defined as those employee's engaged for a fixed term period who do not have a permanent substantive position. Of the 1,580 employees (headcount) engaged under a temporary contract, 112 are employed as Executives.