

Question on Notice

No. 966

Asked on Thursday, 28 August 2025

MS J BUSH ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS AND MINISTER FOR YOUTH (HON S O'CONNOR)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the 2025–26 State Budget—

Will the Minister advise (a) the total funding approved over the forward estimates to support improved housing outcomes for Queenslanders with disability (reported separately by financial year), (b) the specific amount over the forward estimates allocated to the implementation of Partnering for Inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with Disability (reported separately by financial year) and (c) the programs or initiatives (other than Partnering for Inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with Disability) supported by the balance of approved funding, with amounts provided by financial year?

ANSWER:

(a) \$79.5 million in total funding is approved over the forward estimates to support improved housing outcomes for Queenslanders with disability, as outlined below:

		2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29
Total funding approved		\$33.7M	\$15.1M	\$15.1M	\$15.6M

(b) \$64.8 million is allocated over the forward estimates for the Department of Housing and Public Works to implement Partnering for Inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with Disability, as outlined below:

	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29
Implementation of Partnering for inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with disability 2024-2027	\$19M	\$15.1M	\$15.1M	\$15.6M

(c) \$14.7 million is allocated to programs or initiatives other than Partnering for Inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with Disability, as outlined below.

	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29
Programs or initiatives (other than those funded under Partnering for Inclusive Housing with Queenslanders with Disability) *	\$14.7M			

*Funding for disability upgrades is allocated annually by the department, noting there is further funding for upgrades more broadly, inclusive of disability upgrades, across the forward estimates.