

# Community Health and Hospitals Program for Tasmania

## FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT - HEALTH

**Table 1: Formalities and operation of schedule**

Parties	Commonwealth Tasmania																																								
Duration	This Schedule is expected to expire on 30 March 2027 or on completion of the projects, including final performance reporting and processing of final payments against milestones, unless terminated earlier or extended as agreed in writing by the Parties.																																								
Purpose	This Schedule supports the delivery of four initiatives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) The establishment of a residential eating disorders treatment centre in Hobart and community-based eating disorder services.</li> <li>(b) Stage 1 of the redevelopment to the Kings Meadows Community Health Centre.</li> <li>(c) Improvements to the acute medical facilities at the North West Regional Hospital.</li> <li>(d) Improvements to the West Coast District Hospital, including aged care and allied health facilities.</li> </ul>																																								
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Additional terms	Tasmania will ensure the Commonwealth is kept informed about the expected delivery schedule for each project (expected major milestone delivery dates including completion) and advise the Commonwealth as																																								

soon as practicable of any significant deviations from agreed project plans.

Tasmania will provide annual project status reports for each project in May each year until completion. Annual status reports will address progress towards achieving the objective of each output in the context of the delivery schedule for each project, include photographic evidence of progress (capital projects only), and outline expected activities within the coming 12 months. Status reports may be provided in conjunction with reports addressing performance milestones (see Table 2) where their timing is aligned (within 1 month).

The parties agree that the *Project Agreement for the Community Health and Hospitals Program Tasmania's 2018-19 Eating Disorders Initiative Schedule* is terminated having been superseded by this Schedule and that all reporting for the eating disorders initiative will occur in accordance with this Schedule.

The parties recognise that the residential eating disorders treatment centre and community-based eating disorder services output within this Schedule is to be delivered in parallel with the *National Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Agreement and Bilateral Schedule on Mental Health and Suicide Prevention: Tasmania* which requires the establishment and operation of three eating disorder day programs that are integrated with the stepped system of care for eating disorder services in Tasmania.

The National Health Reform Agreement (NHRA) provides that the Commonwealth will not fund a service where the same service, or any part of the same service, is otherwise funded by the Commonwealth. Tasmania will ensure that any claim for funding under the NHRA is not funding services, or any part of a service, provided for under this agreement and will maintain appropriate records.

**Table 2: Performance requirements, reporting and payment summary**

Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
<p>Establishment of an eating disorders treatment centre</p> <p>(Establishment of a dedicated statewide residential eating disorder treatment centre in Hobart; and delivery of community-based eating disorder services in Tasmania)</p> <p>Note 1: The Project Agreement for the Community Health and Hospitals Program Tasmania's 2018-19 Eating Disorders Initiative Schedule separately provided \$5 million in 2018-19 to this eating disorders initiative.</p> <p>Note 2: The Bilateral Schedule on Mental Health and Suicide Prevention: Tasmania is separately providing \$2.5 million over three years from 2022-23 to establish and deliver three eating disorders day programs in 2022-23 in parallel to this Schedule.</p>	<p>Submission of a project plan to establish an Eating Disorders Treatment Centre that delivers the most appropriate model of care, taking into consideration Tasmania's health needs and service configuration</p> <p>Submission of a status report on progress to establish an Eating Disorders Treatment Centre</p> <p>Submission of a status report on progress to establish an Eating Disorders Treatment Centre</p> <p>Submission of a status report on the establishment of the residential eating disorders treatment centre and delivery of community-based eating disorder services in Tasmania, including the forecast delivery schedule for the residential eating disorders treatment centre and co-located Community Based Intensive Treatment Centre; an outline of the clinical services to be offered (including Model of Care and service functions); and information on progress with workforce development and recruitment.</p>	<p>06/08/2021</p> <p>08/08/2022</p> <p>07/08/2023</p> <p>31/05/2024</p>	<p>\$1.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$2.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$2.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$0.0m (Complete)</p>
<p>Redevelop and extend the existing Kings Meadows Community Health Centre</p> <p>(Stage 1 of the redevelopment to the Kings Meadows Community Health Centre, including:</p>	<p>Provision of a final report for the project, including evidence of completion of construction of the residential eating disorders treatment centre in Hobart and co-located Community Based Intensive Treatment Centre (including a certificate of practical completion and photographs of the facility); a description of the centre (including expected treatment capacity); official opening dates; confirmation of the model of care for treatment services at the residential centre and community-based eating disorder services; and an assessment of the benefits and outcomes of the project.</p> <p>Submission of a report detailing planning and timeframes to redevelop and extend the Kings Meadows Community Health Centre</p> <p>Award of contract to the lead construction contractor for the stage 1 of the redevelopment of the Kings Meadows Community Health Centre (evidenced through provision of the construction contract or other appropriate evidence)</p> <p>Completion of demolition of the existing Joan Marshall building to allow construction activities to commence (demonstrated by photographic and other appropriate evidence).</p>	<p>30/09/2025</p> <p>08/08/2022</p> <p>20/12/2025</p> <p>27/02/2026</p>	<p>\$0.0m</p> <p>\$5.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$3.5m</p> <p>\$0.0m</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demolition and replacement of the existing Joan Marshall building with a new, larger, Renal Health Centre supporting expanded renal service delivery; and</li> <li>Upgrades to the car parking and building surrounds (including landscaping and wayfinding signage).</li> </ul>	<p>Practical completion of construction (demonstrated through photographic evidence and a certificate of practical completion); and scheduling information for the remaining activities to be undertaken through to final completion and opening.</p> <p>Provision of final report for the completion of stage 1 of the redevelopment to the Kings Meadows Community Health Centre demonstrating all outputs to be complete (evidenced by photographic and other appropriate evidence) and including an assessment of the impacts, benefits and outcomes of the project.</p>	<p>12/12/2026</p> <p>31/03/2027</p>	<p>\$1.5m</p> <p>\$0.0m</p>
<p>Improvements to the acute medical facilities at the North West Regional Hospital.</p> <p>(Upgrade to the hospital's heating, ventilation and air conditioning system for day surgery and operating theatres)</p>	<p>Submission of a report detailing planning and timeframes to improve the acute medical activities at the North West Regional Hospital</p> <p>Submission of a status report on progress and completion timeframes</p> <p>Completion of tender process and award of contract for activities necessary for the upgrade of the heating, ventilation and air conditioning system.</p> <p>Provision of a final report demonstrating completion of works (evidenced through a certificate of practical completion); confirming the operational commissioning of the upgraded heating, ventilation and air conditioning system and including an assessment of the impacts, benefits and outcomes of the project.</p>	<p>08/08/2022</p> <p>07/08/2023</p> <p>30/05/2024</p> <p>30/04/2025</p>	<p>\$5.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$0.0 (Complete)</p> <p>\$5.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$0.0m</p>
<p>Improvements to the West Coast District Hospital, including aged care and allied health facilities</p> <p>(Redesign of the emergency department including installation of an isolation room and installation of telehealth facilities; and construction of one additional aged care room)</p>	<p>Submission of a report detailing planning and timeframes to improve the West Coast District Hospital, including aged care and allied health facilities</p> <p>Completion of tender process and award of contract for lead contractor for the necessary works improvement works.</p> <p>Provision of a final report for the project demonstrating the completion of works (evidenced through a certificate of practical completion); confirming the operational commissioning of all improvements; and including an assessment of the impacts, benefits and outcomes of the project.</p>	<p>06/08/2022</p> <p>30/05/2024</p> <p>30/09/2024</p>	<p>\$1.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$0.0m (Complete)</p> <p>\$0.0m</p>

The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this schedule as follows:

Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth  
of Australia by



**The Honourable Mark Butler MP**

Minister for Health and Ageing; Minister for  
Disability and the National Disability Insurance  
Scheme

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Signed for and on behalf of the  
State of Tasmania by



**The Honourable Bridget Archer MP**

Minister for Health, Mental Health and Wellbeing;  
Minister for Ageing; Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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24 February 2026