

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Yan to the Minister for Health:

Vaccination Figures – Katherine and Tennant Creek

- 1. When will vaccination figures for the townships of Tennant Creek and Katherine become available? Why have they so far not been available?**

Vaccination rates for Northern Territory (NT) towns have not previously been publicly released due to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) system's inability to accurately filter down to smaller regional towns and the high usage of post office boxes in the NT.

Vaccination rates for each regional city and town are currently being determined by a mathematical interpolation based on a range of data sources. We anticipate that the vaccination rate for these towns will be publicly available soon.