

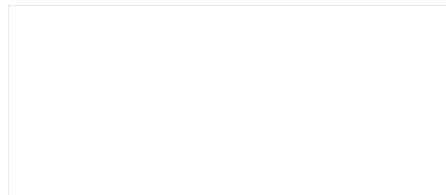
Question No : 217

Question : Tennant Creek Hospital Budget and Staffing

Question Date : 17/11/92

Member : Mr BAILEY

To : MINISTER for HEALTH and COMMUNITY SERVICES



1. Does the Tennant Creek Hospital have a Mission Statement and a Corporate Plan; if so, what are they.
2. What was the total cost of purchases made by the Tennant Creek Hospital, or the Department of Health and Community Services on behalf of the Tennant Creek Hospital, from Modular Medical Products and Territory Surgical Supplies in the following financial years -
 - (a) 1990-91; and
 - (b) 1991-92.
3. Were the purchases referred to in question 2 for medical supplies or medical equipment; how much was spent on each category.
4. How many staff are employed at the Tennant Creek Hospital; what are the position titles and Northern Territory Public Service classifications for each of these positions.
5. How many hours have casual nursing staff been employed at the Tennant Creek Hospital in the following financial years -
 - (a) 1990-91; ;and
 - (b) 1991-92.

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6. How many -
 - (a) nurses; and
 - (b) enrolled nurses,have resigned from the Tennant Creek Hospital in the

following financial years -

- (i) 1990-91;
- (ii) 1991-92; and
- (iii) 1992-93 to date.

7. What is the figure in answer to question 6 as a percentage of the total number of staff in each area.

ANSWER

1. The Tennant Creek Hospital operates within the department's Mission Statement and Corporate Plan.

2. & 3.

A consolidated response covering all Modular Medical Products questions has been supplied under separate cover.

4. Average staffing numbers are currently 68

AO8	Manager Tennant Creek Hospital	1
AO5 x 1	Administration Officer	6
AO3 x 1	Transport	
AO2 x 2	RTM and Patient Travel	
AO1 x 2	Reception and Stores	
Medical	Med Superintendent Grade 2 x 1	3
	Registrars x 2	
Allied HP	Pathology P2	4
	Pharmacy P2	
	Radiography P2	
	Physiotherapy P2	
Nursing	RN 4.3 x 1 DON In Charge	33
	RN 3A x 3	
	RN 2 x 7	
	RN 1 x 16	
	EN x 4	
	HA x 2	
Orderlies	P3 x 2	21
Catering	P4 x 1 Head Cook	
	P2 x 5 Catering assistants	
Domestic	P4 x 1 Supervisor	
	P2 x 7 Domestic	
Grounds	P2 x 1 Gardener	
	P2 x 1 Driver/Gardener	
Maintenance	T3 x 1 Supervisor	
	P4 x 2 Tradesmen	

5. Nil hours.

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| 6. | 1990-91 | 23 RNs and 2 ENs resigned |
| | 1991-92 | 14 RNs and 3 ENs resigned |
| | 1992-93 to date | 5 RNs resigned
1 EN resigned. |
| 7. | 1990-91 | RN 74% |
| | 1990-91 | EN 33% |
| | 1991-92 | RN 45% |
| | 1991-92 | EN 50% |
| | 1992 to date | RN 19% |
| | 1992 to date | EN 25%. |