

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY 14th Assembly

Petition

Registration No.	3
Title	Re-open health facilities at Dundee Beach
Presented on	24 February 2021
Presented by	Member for Daly
Referred to	Minister Fyles and Public Accounts Committee
Assembly debate	If the Committee recommends the Petition be debated it will appear on the Notice Paper
Date referred	24 February 2021
Response due	10 August 2021
Response received	15 March 2021
Response presented	23 March 2021

Petition

TO THE HONOURABLE THE **SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY** OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY:

WE THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH

Strongly urge the Northern Territory government to re-open health facilities at Dundee Beach. To include a remote area nurse providing primary health care, first aid response and acute care for both the resident population and the increasing number of tourists.

YOUR PETITIONERS THEREFORE HUMBLY PRAY THAT

The Northern Territory Government act now to provide a health service at Dundee that:

- 1. Is suited to the needs of residents; and
- 2. Fit for purpose to service the growing needs of the Dundee Beach community, including visitors and tourists that support the local economy.

AND YOUR PETITIONERS, AS IN DUTY BOUND, WILL EVER PRAY.

Response

The NT Department of Health is committed to working together to deliver better health for all Territorians, with healthy Territorians engaged and living in healthy communities. NT Health and the NT Primary Health Network (NT PHN) are currently engaged in a consultation process with the Member for Daly, with the intent of progressing the development of a Dundee Beach health service.

NT Health and the NT Primary Health Network (NT PHN) are continuing to investigate a potential workforce service delivery model with the aim of delivering a financially sustainable, fit-for-purpose health service aimed to meet the growing needs of the Dundee Beach Community, including visitors and tourists.