

QUESTIONS BOOKLET

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

THURSDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER 2021

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- 249. Hon Wilson Tucker to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Energy; Corrective Services
- 250. Hon Colin de Grussa to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Ports

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- 251. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
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- 258. Hon James Hayward to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing

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- 259. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
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- 263. Hon Brad Pettitt to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport
- 264. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 265. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Treasurer
- 266. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police
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268. Hon Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

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- 269. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water
- 270. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Fisheries
- 271. Hon Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

Notice Given Tuesday, 7 September 2021

- 272. Hon Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 273. Hon Wilson Tucker to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing; Local Government
- 274. Hon Steve Martin to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
- 275. Hon Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

Notice Given Wednesday, 8 September 2021

- 276. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Treasurer
- 277. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police
- 278. Hon Steve Martin to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
- 279. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Road Safety
- 280. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Finance
- 281. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
- 282. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Emergency Services

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283. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to questions without notice 450 and 458, asked on 10 August 2021, and I ask:

- (a) has advice been sought regarding the tabling of documentation relating to guidance material or policy to guide decision-makers in assessing G2G pass applications, particularly those given discretionary approval by the State Emergency Coordinator or a person authorised by him;
- (b) can the Minister please table any documentation identified in (a);
- (c) has the Chief Health Officer or the Vaccine Commander provided advice to Western Australia Police to enable them to process G2G PASS applications for travellers from medium risk, high risk, or extreme risk jurisdictions; and
- (d) if yes to (c), please table this advice?

284. Hon Sophia Moermond to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport:

- (1) Between the years of 2016 and 2021, including all vehicle types, how many road crashes resulting in death or injury, were caused by impaired drivers?
- (2) Between the years of 2016 and 2021, including all vehicle types, how many road crashes resulting in death or injury, were caused by unimpaired drivers?
- 285. Hon Sophia Moermond to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety:
- (1) Between the years of 2016 and 2021, including all vehicle types, how many road crashes resulting in death or injury, were caused by impaired drivers?
- (2) Between the years of 2016 and 2021, including all vehicle types, how many road crashes resulting in death or injury, were caused by unimpaired drivers?

286. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the State Government's policy for mandatory vaccinations for all health care workers, commencing from 1 October 2021, and question without notice 536, asked on 18 August 2021, and the response by the Minister to Part 3, stating "Healthcare workers across WA have been provided access to COVID-19 vaccinations through their workplaces and can walk into any state-run clinic at any time and be vaccinated," and I ask:

(a) is it correct that healthcare workers are able to present at state-run vaccination clinics without a booking and receive a vaccination against COVID-19;

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- (b) is the State Government considering any exemptions for regional health care workers unable to access COVID-19 vaccinations prior to the deadline for mandatory vaccinations;
- (c) please provide a breakdown by WA Country Health Service region of the following:
 - (i) the number of and locations of any state-run COVID-19 vaccination clinics;
 - (ii) the number of and locations of State-run COVID-19 testing clinics;
 - (iii) the number of, and locations of, any tier one health care facilities which health care staff and health support workers will require a full COVID-19 vaccination to enter from 1 November 2021;
 - (iv) the number of, and locations of, any tier two health care facilities which health care staff and health support workers will require a full COVID-19 vaccination to enter from 1 December 2021; and
 - (v) the number of, and locations of, any tier three health care facilities health care staff and health support workers will require a full COVID-19 vaccination to enter from 1 January 2022; and
- (d) noting the Commonwealth Government's Residential Aged Care COVID-19 Employee Vaccination Support Grant, which provides an \$80 payment for casual aged care staff required to go off-site to receive a vaccination; paid leave of up to \$185 for casual staff who become unwell after a vaccination; and grants of up to \$500 to facilitate off-site vaccination for employees to cover transport costs and other reasonable expenses when getting vaccinated, will the State Government implement any similar measures to encourage vaccination and, if so, please provide detail?

287. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce:

I refer to the Department of Mines, Industry Regulations and Safety's Building and Energy division coordinated Western Australia's State-wide cladding audit, and I ask:

- (a) do any Western Australian Government buildings still have high risk combustible cladding;
- (b) if yes to (a), which buildings still have high risk combustible cladding attached; and
- (c) if yes to (a), which does the Government anticipate that all combustible cladding will be removed from these buildings?

288. Hon Steve Martin to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the State Government's preparation for COVID-19, and I ask:

- (a) have any additional ventilators been purchased;
- (b) if yes to (a), how much did each cost, when were they purchased and which hospitals were they allocated to;

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- (c) how many ventilators does the Department of Health have in total across all the hospitals and health campuses; and
- (d) of those in (c), how many are located at metropolitan and country locations?

289. Hon James Hayward to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to staffing at regional hospitals, and I ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware of any requests for additional staff from the Geraldton, Manjimup, Margaret River, Busselton, Albany and Bunbury hospitals;
- (b) if yes to (a), how many additional staff were requested by each location; and
- (c) for each month below, how many shifts were dropped, or not covered, at each of the locations in (a):
 - (i) May 2021;
 - (ii) June 2021;
 - (iii) July 2021; and
 - (iv) August 2021?

290. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to the answer provided to question without notice 591, asked on 1 September 2021, and I ask:

- (a) how many officers accessed the Employee Assistance Programme (external counselling service) in 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 to date; and
- (b) how many officers did a well-being review in 2014, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 to date?

291. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Energy:

For the financial years of 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21, how many staff in the following categories were, or are, employed on a casual, part time, full time or consultancy capacity at Muja Power Station:

- (a) executive and senior management;
- (b) middle management and all tiers of management positions;
- (c) trades foremen, trades people and apprentices; and
- (d) contractors and consultants?

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