

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL Question On Notice

Tuesday, 20 August 2019

2417. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Minister's media statement of 19 August 2019 entitled "Health care options to be expanded through GP Urgent Care Clinics", and I ask:

- (a) what is the total cost of the 18 month pilot;
- (b) how much of the cost identified in (a) was not budgeted for in the 2019-20 State Budget;
- (c) what are the locations of the 133 GP practices that will participate in the pilot;
- (d) what is the cost of the advertising program;
- (e) will radiology and pathology services be available within each urgent care clinic or alternatively available in close proximity;
- (f) what is the cost of the University of Western Australia and Curtin University review of the pilot;
- (g) how will participating GP practices be funded for services delivered during the pilot;
- (h) what will be the required operating hours for practices to be funded as an urgent care clinic;
- (i) will urgent care clinic's be available in Geraldton, Pilbara, Albany, Bunbury, Kimberley and Kalgoorlie from 10 September 2019, if not, why not; and
- (j) will the Minister please table the business case for the urgent care clinic pilot?

Answer

- (a) Total costs are anticipated to be \$2 million.
- (b) The total commitment of \$2 million was budgeted for in the 2019-20 State Budget.
- (c) The GP Urgent Care pilot includes member practices covering nearly 70 postcodes. The practices will be in the Perth metropolitan area and Bunbury regional area. Attached is a list of practices effective at the pilot launch on 10 September. See tabled paper no #.
- (d) Please refer to (a).
- (e) Yes.
- (f) No additional cost. Costs are within currently funded work programs.
- (g) The GP Urgent Care initiative is a model based on utilising current capacity within the GP sector and will be funded via their usual billing practice.
- (h) The main hours for GP Urgent Care is 8:00am to 8:00pm with the overall GP Urgent Care network including practices potentially operating across a 7-day spectrum. Individual practice times will vary and the current availability will be shown on the website.
- (i) The GP Urgent Care election commitment is a state-wide initiative. Initially the Perth metropolitan area and Bunbury region will be piloted, with an ongoing evaluation being undertaken as part of the initiative. During this time, additional regional-specific models will be developed and implemented.
- (j) The Urgent Care Clinic (UCC) project is a McGowan Government election commitment. Details relating to the project can be found in the Putting Patients First policy statement. A

significant amount of work and consultation has been undertaken to establish the UCC pilot. This has not been condensed into a stand-alone business case.

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Practice Name	Suburb
AHG Super Clinic Midland	MIDLAND
Alkimos Beach Medical Centre	ALKIMOS
Amherst Road Medical Centre	CANNING VALE
Applecross Medical Group	APPLECROSS
Apsley Medical Centre	WILLETTON
Austin Lakes Medical Centre	SOUTH YUNDERUP
Aveley Medical Centre	AVELEY
Azure Medical	PEPPERMINT GROVE
Balcatta Family Practice	Westminister
Baldivis Atwick Terrace Family Medical Practice	BALDIVIS
Baldivis Family Medical Centre	BALDIVIS
Baldivis Medical Centre	BALDIVIS
Banksia Grove Family Practice	BANKSIA GROVE
Bateman Medical Centre	BATEMAN
Bayswater Medical Centre	Bayswater
Beachside Medical Centre	Yanchep
Beeliar Family Practice	Beeliar
Beeliar Medical Centre	BEELIAR
Belmont City Medical Centre	CLOVERDALE
Belridge Medical Group	BELDON
Benara Road General Practice	NORANDA
Bentley Plaza Family Practice	BENTLEY
Booragoon Medical Centre	Booragoon
Brecken Health Care - Bunbury	South Bunbury
Brecken Health Care - Busselton	West Busselton
Brookside Medical Centre	WANNEROO
Building Blocks Medical - Mount Hawthorn	MOUNT HAWTHORN
Bullsbrook Family Medical Practice	BULLSBROOK
Bullsbrook Medical Centre	BULLSBROOK
Butler Boulevard Medical Centre	BUTLER
Canning Medical Centre	FREMANTLE
Canning Vale Medical Centre	CANNING VALE
Cannington Family Doctors	BECKENHAM
Cannington Medical Centre	CANNINGTON
Central City Medical Centre	PERTH
Como Medical Clinic	Como
Core Medical	Port Kennedy
Corfield Doctors Surgery	GOSNELLS
Cottesloe Medical Centre	COTTESLOE
Craigie Medical & Dental Centre	CRAIGIE
Dalkeith Medical Centre	Dalkeith
Darch Medical Centre	DARCH
Dawesville Medical Centre	DAWESVILLE
Dianella Family Medical Centre	Dianella
Eaton Medical Centre & Skin Clinic	EATON
Egerton Drive medical Centre	AVELEY
Ellen Health	FREMANTLE
Ellen Stirling Medical Centre	ELLENBROOK
Ellenbrook Medical Centre	ELLENBROOK

Falcon Grove Medical Centre	FALCON
Floreat Medical Practice	FLOREAT
Forrest Medical Group	PINJARRA
Garden City Medical Centre	BOORAGOON
Glen Forrest Medical Centre	GLEN FORREST
GP After Hours Mt Lawley	Mount Lawley
GP on Beaufort	Mount Lawley
GP Superclinic @ Midland Railway Workshops	MIDLAND
Granada Medical (Maddington)	MADDINGTON
Grantham House Medical Practice	WEMBLEY
Hale Road Medical	FORRESTFIELD
Hamilton Hill Medical Centre	HAMILTON HILL
Hammond Park Family Practice	HAMMOND PARK
Harrisdale Medical Centre	HARRISDALE
Harvest Lakes Medical Centre	ATWELL
Hay street Medical Centre	SUBIACO
Haynes Medical Centre	ARMADALE
Health Watch Clinics (Cottesloe)	COTTESLOE
Health Watch Clinics (Jandakot)	JANDAKOT
Health Watch Clinics (Melville)	MELVILLE
HealthSense Medical Centre	GOSNELLS
High Wycombe General Practice	HIGH WYCOMBE
Hocking Medical Centre	HOCKING
Illawarra Medical Centre	BALLAJURA
Joondanna Medical Centre	JOONDANNA
JUPITER HEALTH ALKIMOS	ALKIMOS
Jupiter Health Byford The Glades	BYFORD
Jupiter Health Lakelands	LAKELANDS
Kalamunda GP Super Clinic	KALAMUNDA
Kelvale Medical Group	KELMSCOTT
Kingsway Medical Centre	MADELEY
KMG Medical Practice	THORNLIE
Lagoon Medical Centre	YANGEBUP
Lakes Medical Centre	SOUTH LAKE
LANDSDALE MEDICAL CENTRE	LANDSDALE
Leeming Medical Centre	LEEMING
Leschenault Medical Centre	Australind
Lindisfarne Medical Group	Mount Lawley
Lockridge Medical Centre	LOCKRIDGE
Lynwood Medical Centre	LYNWOOD
Maddington Doctors Practice	MADDINGTON
Mead Medical Group (Forrestfield)	FORRESTFIELD
Mead Medical Group (Kalamunda)	KALAMUNDA
Mirrabooka Medical Centre	MIRRABOOKA
Modern Medical Clinics	HALLS HEAD
Mundaring GP Super Clinic	MUNDARING
Mundijong Family Practice	MUNDIJONG
Murray Medical Centre	GREENFIELDS
New Gumnut Medical centre	WANNEROO
Newpark Medical Centre	GIRRAWHEEN

Nollamara Medical Centre	NOLLAMARA
North Street Medical Centre	MIDLAND
Northbridge Medical Centre	PERTH
Nova Medical Centre	STIRLING
Okely Medical Group	CARINE
Olympic Medical Centre	CANNING VALE
Padbury Family Practice	PADBURY
Pearsall Medical Centre	PEARSALL
Phoenix Medical Centre	SPEARWOOD
Power Medical Centre	Busselton
Queens Park Medical Centre	Queens Park
Rainbow Health	MANDURAH
Ranford Medical Centre	Canning Vale
Ridge Ascot Medical Centre	ASCOT
Rockingham GP	ROCKINGHAM
Rockingham Maternity and Family Practice	COOLOONGUP
Rockingham Medical Centre	ROCKINGHAM
Roleystone Family Medical Centre	ROLEYSTONE
Rudloc Road Medical & Dental Centre Morley	MORLEY
Scarborough Beach Medical Centre	SCARBOROUGH
Secret Harbour Family Doctors	SECRET HARBOUR
Skye Medical Armadale	ARMADALE
Somerly Central Medical Centre	CLARKSON
South Street Medical Centre	O'CONNOR
Southern River Family Practice	SOUTHERN RIVER
St John Medical (Armadale)	ARMADALE
St John Medical (Cannington)	BECKENHAM
St John Medical (Cockburn)	SUCCESS
St John Medical (Joondalup)	EDGEWATER
Stirk Medical Group (Edney Road)	HIGH WYCOMBE
Stirk Medical Group (High Wycombe)	HIGH WYCOMBE
Stirk Medical Group (Kalamunda)	KALAMUNDA
Stirk Medical Group (Lesmurdie)	LESMURDIE
Stirling Central Medical Group	WESTMINSTER
Stratton General Practice	STRATTON
Swan Medical Group	MIDLAND
The Heights Medical Centre	ALEXANDER HEIGHTS
Third Avenue Surgery	MOUNT LAWLEY
Thornlie Medical Centre	Thornlie
Total Health Ellenbrook	ELLENBROOK
Victoria Medical Group	EAST VICTORIA PARK
Waterhall Medical Centre	South Guildford
Wattle Grove Medical Centre	WATTLE GROVE
Willagee Medical Centre	WILLAGEE
Woodlake Village Medical Centre	ELLENBROOK