



Construction continues under sunny skies

Construction of the new hospital is on track and expected to be completed in early 2025. This will be followed by a commissioning period before services are transferred from the current hospital and the new facility is operational.

Once the new hospital opens, work will focus on the demolition of redundant buildings, creating space for the construction of new car parking, main entry and drop off zone. Refurbishment of the Ambulatory Care Hub and extensive landscaping of the health campus will also be completed in 2025.

When it opens, all inpatient and ambulatory services currently provided to the community from various buildings across the campus and town, will become operational under the one roof of the new Hospital building.



Our redevelopment has come a long way since time lapse cameras began capturing progress in May 2022.

Scan the QR code or click the video thumbnail to watch to construction of the Clinical Service Building.

Benefits for patients, visitors and staff

There will be significant improvements and benefits for patients, staff, carers and visitors including:

- Separate Emergency Department and Reception entrances;
- A mix of single and double inpatient rooms with ensuites;
- Three palliative care rooms, a family lounge and outdoor terrace in the inpatient unit;
- Surgical, and medical inpatient units; including four beds to support patients requiring short term care for their mental health wellbeing;
- Expanded medical imaging unit with new CT and Nuclear Medicine service;
- A new Café and the continuation of the Hospital Auxiliary's Kiosk;
- Co-location of the outpatient clinics, rehabilitation service, renal dialysis, cancer care and hospital in the home to improve accessibility for consumers;
- Outdoor and landscaped spaces available for staff and patient/visitor use.



Paediatric artwork set to ignite imaginations

The art strategy developed for the new Hospital features multiple initiatives which reflect the diversity of Griffith and the surrounding communities.

With the help of students from Griffith schools, Rachel Viski has created a very special artwork for walls in the paediatric unit which captures the excitement of a child's perspective on a journey to visit loved ones. Here is a sneak peek of part of the work. Can you see any familiar sites in the image? Visual cues within the artwork reference local landmarks, traditions, cultures and communities.

The new Griffith Base Hospital will provide:



An emergency department



Intensive care unit



Surgical and operating theatres



A day-stay surgical unit



Dedicated surgical, aged care and rehabilitation beds



Medical imaging services



An outpatient care unit for the community to access outpatient health services



Increased capacity for chemotherapy and improved renal dialysis access



Paediatric and maternity



Direct clinical linkage with St Vincent's Private Community Hospital

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE REDEVELOPMENT:

email: HI-GBHRedev@health.nsw.gov.au | visit: gbhredevelopment.health.nsw.gov.au