



# TASMANIA'S HEALTH PLAN

## Health system planning

### **NSM01** Develop policy for commissioning new services

Develop a policy for the introduction of new services across all areas of the health services group to ensure they are underpinned by the principles articulated in THP.

### **NSM02** New models of emergency and short stay care (RHH)

Plan and develop new models of care, such as an emergency short stay unit, a fast track clinic, an emergency mental health zone and medical assessment and planning units.

### **NSM03** New models of emergency and short stay care (LGH)

Plan and develop new models of care, such as an emergency short stay unit, a fast track clinic, an emergency mental health zone and medical assessment and planning units. Complete redevelopment of LGH emergency department.

### **NSM04** New models of emergency and short stay care (NWRH)

Plan and develop new models of care, such as an emergency short stay unit, a fast track clinic, an emergency mental health zone, medical assessment and planning units and general practice clinic.

### **NSM05** Aged and rehabilitation services (including in the community)

Develop new service models for aged and rehabilitation services.

### **NSM06** 23 hour elective surgical services in the North West

Explore the need for stand alone surgical centres operating extended day surgery.

### **NSM07** Partnerships and collocation with private hospitals

A viable and strong private health sector is important and strong partnerships between the private and public sector need to be established. Partnerships may provide an opportunity to collocate and or provide services on behalf of the public sector.

### **NSM08** Benchmarking

DHHS will monitor and report annually on benchmarking data including regionalisation utilisation data, length of stay and rate of admissions for ambulatory care sensitive conditions.

### **NSM09** Area self sufficiency

Establish area service delivery arrangements and policy.

### **NSM10** Health industry forum

Establish a health industry forum with the private sector to ensure that the health services are developed and work together cooperatively for the overall benefit of the community.

*This is being implemented through project NSM07 Partnerships and collocation with private hospitals.*

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