

# GLEN INNES HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT

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### Glen Innes hospital master plan released

We have reached a major project milestone with the release of the master plan. The master plan confirms that a new hospital will be built on the existing hospital campus. It shows the overall site plan and how the new building will connect with the existing buildings. Key elements of the master plan include:

- A new building on the existing campus.
- The new building will house all acute services including emergency, imaging, the theatre, birthing suite and the maternity and inpatient unit.
- Consult and clinic spaces for dental, community and ambulatory care services will also be in the new building.
- The new building will be connected to the old hospital to allow access to the existing kitchen and other staff spaces.
- All public access and services will be via the new building from Ferguson Street.

#### **Consultation on the Master Plan**

Thank you to everyone who dropped into one of our recent displays in the main street or our community group meetings.

Feedback received from the first round of consultation includes:

- Excitement about a new hospital for Glen Innes.
- Removing the old nurses' quarters building and replacing with the new hospital is a good use of the site.
- Having a separate public entry and Ambulance entry into the new hospital supports privacy and dignity.
- Ensuring adequate parking and maintaining trees where possible.
- Support for a new Ambulance Station being built on the hospital campus.
- Great to see a new staff accommodation project included on the campus.
- Safe access via Ferguson Street.

The feedback received from community, special interest groups and staff will be collated and used as part of the ongoing design process.





## New Ambulance and staff accommodation units

In addition, to the new hospital project, there will be a new Ambulance Station and staff accommodation coming to the hospital campus.

The new Ambulance Station will be built on the corner of Taylor Street and West Avenue. Once the planning and design is complete, it's expected that construction on the new station will commence later this year.

The District is also planning to have four highend modular units onsite to be used as staff accommodation. These units will be modern, stylish and sustainable to provide staff with comfortable and private accommodation close to the hospital. These units are expected to be completed by late 2022.

While these are all separate projects, the teams will be working in coordination to ensure all these exciting infrastructure projects are rolled out seamlessly.



#### CONTACT US

Now we have the master plan we will continue to consult and move into design. In the meantime you can contact the project team with questions or feedback.

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