

# A New Build

## How to manage during difficult times

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# Why are we here?

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Local Health Districts are responsible for managing public hospitals and health institutions and for providing health services to defined areas of NSW and their primary purposes under section 9 of the *Health Services Act 1997*, are to:

- provide relief to sick and injured people through the provision of care and treatment; and
- promote, protect and maintain the health of the community.

**And now you have a redevelopment team on site!!!!**

# What Happens Next

- There are three main areas you will be impacted
- Each of them bring new challenges and opportunities

Planning phase

Living with construction

Commissioning

# Planning Phase



- CSP
- Site Master Plan
- User group meetings
- New models of care design
- Staffing

# Living with Construction

There are a lot of changes to manage through. All while trying to make sure we don't impact patient care.

- New models of care
- Dust
- Noise
- Delays
- Changes to access routes / flow of patients
- Temporary signage
- Car parking
- Complaints

# Commissioning

- You're already busy!!!
- There are things you will need to do above your already full day
- Setting up
- Orientation



# So why go through this?

- Great for the patients and the community
- Big increase in staff satisfaction
- Enhanced patient experience
- Keep up with growth
- Expanded services

# What tools / support are available?

- Your team is your greatest asset – whatever your role is
- Get the message out
  - Talk to your patients
  - Disruption notices
  - Message boards
  - Volunteers
- HI team have significant expertise
- MoH teams are available to support the development of new and contemporary models of care



# Key Lessons to Remember

- Patient Safety always comes first
- Communication and consultation is critical
- Know what's happening in your area
- Manage your time and prioritise
- Your team is your support base
- Have new models embedded before you move
- Escalate issues early

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Questions?