

(14/07/2015) Richard Ashby - Re: New MH funding

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From: David Crompton [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]
Date: 26/07/2013 6:27 PM
Subject: Re: New MH funding

Dear Richard

The funding does have a link to replacing the Barrett adolescent unit but they will be different patients and different model. Bill tells me that if Logan works the closure of Barrett will mean the recurrent costs then distributed to Townsville and probably Cairns.

I will organise a time for you and I to meet with Bill.

The original figure I thought was \$35million does that mean the small error of \$23million leaves an increase of \$11million to MH to cover expenditure for new builds?

Regards

David

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On 26/07/2013, at 4:18 PM, "Richard Ashby" [REDACTED] wrote:

- > Thx David,
- > Does this have anything to do with Barrett Centre closing?
- > I was cornered in Town last week by Lesley Dwyer and Bill, and Michael Cleary.
- > I didn't understand what they were telling me !! We definitely need to meet with Bill to go through these various issues.
- > By the way, we found the \$23M ERROR in MH funding so you wont have to spend all that dosh after all.
- > Regards
- > Richard
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- > >>> David Crompton [REDACTED] 26/07/2013 3:54 pm >>>
- > Dear Richard
- > I met with Bill Kingswell today. By early next week you should receive a memo from the DDG about new dollars for MH for 16 to 25 year olds with funds to provide for a new service in community. It will provide for 10 beds in a stand alone community service with building owned by MSHHS.
- > The service will be run by NGO with CYMHS staff providing in reach into the facility.
- > They would like us to use unoccupied beds in MH when new wing opened. They will need to fund some modifications.
- > The budget will be around \$2million recurrent.
- > Will need to go to procurement.
- > Will discuss with you next week once memo received.
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- > Regards
- > David
- > Associate Professor David Crompton OAM

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