

Roof complete on new hospital building

The new hospital is one step closer to being watertight now that the roof is complete. Some interesting roof facts are included here →

The builders have been diligently working away in sometimes difficult rainy conditions and in the space of a couple of months have now achieved the concrete pours, erected the building frames, constructed the fire walls, and most recently completed the window and roof installations.

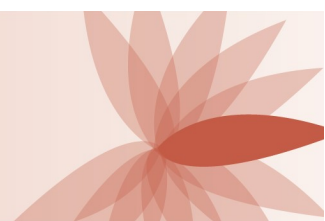
Work has also started on the internal services, as well as the external wall bricklaying and brickwork for the new courtyard.

Roof fast facts:

- ⇒ The new hospital roof is approximately 1,100 square metres in size
- ⇒ Sheeted with custom orb corrugated iron in *evening haze* colour
- ⇒ Roof and guttering system built to withstand a Q100 rain event, otherwise known as the “1-in-100 year event”
- ⇒ Sustainable design involving two 20,000 litre rainwater tanks to capture water for reuse for hospital toilets and irrigation purposes



Aerial photograph taken in late August 2020



Expression of interest for local artists

As part of the new hospital's Arts in Health program, the project team is excited to release an Expression of Interest (EOI) for artists within the Murrurundi region.

The selected artists will be commissioned to provide artwork for the clinical corridors within the new hospital building that is calm, uplifting and hopeful.

Full details of the EOI are included here:

www.mps.health.nsw.gov.au/projects/murrurundi

The EOI closes on Monday 28 September. For further information contact Kylie Neville: kylie.neville@health.nsw.gov.au / 0438 254 008.

We look forward to working with local artists to create beautiful artwork for the new hospital.



Example of a historical timeline installed in the Murrumburrah-Harden Health Service

Seeking your photographs and stories

Residents are encouraged to dig through their photographs and memories to help tell the history of the health service in Murrurundi.

As part of the redevelopment project, a timeline of the history of the health service in Murrurundi is being established for inclusion in the new hospital building.

We are seeking photographs and stories of the Wilson Memorial Hospital as well as the 1860s hospital building for potential inclusion in a photographic and historical timeline.

If you have any photographs or material please contact Kylie Neville on kylie.neville@health.nsw.gov.au or call 0438 254 008.

Physical photos can be reproduced so you can keep your precious memories.



Local photography was installed in the new Mudgee Hospital as part of the Arts in Health initiative

