

Masterplan in final stages

The \$200 million Eurobodalla Health Service will deliver a new, modern and purpose-built facility to support the healthcare needs of the entire Eurobodalla Shire from Narooma to Batemans Bay.

The project is progressing with investigative works recently conducted at the preferred site to test the ground conditions. This included a series of drill holes across the site at various locations and depths to assist in the design of the new facility's structure, as well as further inform the environmental conditions of the site.

The Site Master Plan is in the process of being reviewed by key stakeholders and design workshops are scheduled to go ahead in May 2021 to commence Functional Briefing. Design workshops help to inform the Concept and Schematic Design and will include Project User Groups (PUGs) comprising nominated



Valued representatives from the local Aboriginal community talk to the project team.

clinical leads and health service staff. Consumer Reference Groups will be established as the project progresses.

An Aboriginal Reference Group is in the process of being set up and the project team recently met with representatives from the local Aboriginal community. The Aboriginal Reference Group will help shape the planning of the new hospital by informing and reviewing aspects of the project as a key response to the Government's Connecting with Country framework.

The Project Office has now been established in Moruya and the team is happily working together in the same location.

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Figure 1. Site Selected

NEXT STEPS

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As Functional Briefing gets underway the team will continue to finalise the acquisition of the site. This is expected to be achieved by mid-2021. Other minor site inspections and activities will be undertaken to inform the best possible use of the site.

Project User Groups will get underway for the Functional Design Briefing.

CONSULTATION WILL CONTINUE

This is a regionally significant development and planning and design of the new health service will be a collaborative process involving consultation with clinicians, staff, patient groups, local stakeholders and the community. More information about consultation and how to get involved will be available as planning progresses.

LOCAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The new facility will bring an economic boost to the region including jobs and increased activity to local businesses. Preparatory site works are expected to begin once the site is acquired, and project planning and design processes have progressed.



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