



## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

# Health Services Amendment (Splitting of the Hunter New England Health District) Bill 2025

22 August 2025, Preston Stanley Room, Parliament House, Sydney

The hearing will be broadcast live on the Parliament's [website](#).

Time	Witness	Position and Organisation	Submission
09:15 AM	Cr Kate Dight	Mayor, Inverell Shire Council	<a href="#">80</a>
	Cr Susannah Pearse	Mayor, Moree Plains Shire Council	<a href="#">101</a>
10:00 AM	Cr Bronwyn Petrie	Mayor, Tenterfield Shire Council	<a href="#">27</a>
	Cr Greg Sauer	Deputy Mayor, Tenterfield Shire Council	
	Cr Darrell Tiemens	Mayor, Narrabri Shire Council	<a href="#">76</a>
	Cr Ethan Towns	Councillor, Narrabri Shire Council	
10:45 AM	Dr Eric Baker		<a href="#">55</a>
11:15 AM	Break		
11:30 AM	Ms Susan Sargent		<a href="#">56</a>
12:00 PM	Professor Frances Kay	CEO and Institute Director, Hunter Medical Research Institute	<a href="#">98</a>
	Dr Michelle Guppy	Head of School, School of Rural Medicine University of New England	<a href="#">105</a>
12:45 PM	Lunch		
01:45 PM	Dr David Scott	Chair, Tamworth Medical Staff Council	<a href="#">22</a>
02:30 PM	Break		
02:45 PM	Ms Tracey McCosker	Chief Executive, Hunter New England Local Health District	<a href="#">30</a>

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	Dr Paul Craven	Executive Director for Children & Young People and Families, Hunter New England Local Health District	<a href="#">31</a>
	Ms Elizabeth Grist	Executive Director of Clinical Services and Nursing & Midwifery, Hunter New England Local Health District	
	Ms Susan Heyman	Executive Director of Operations, Hunter New England Local Health District	
	Mr Luke Sloane	Deputy Secretary of Rural and Regional Health, NSW Health	
	Mr Matthew Daly	Deputy Secretary of System Sustainability and Performance, NSW Health	
	Mr Alfa D'Amato	Deputy Secretary of Financial & Corporate Services and Chief Financial Officer, NSW Health	
04:15 PM	Finish		