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CORRECTIONS

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CORRECTIONS

Questions from the Hon Mark Buttigieg MLC *(on behalf of the Opposition)*

COVID-19 in Correctional facilities

1. How many Custodial staff have returned positive results to COVID-19 from 15 December 2021 to Monday, 7 March 2022, when restrictions were eased?
2. How many inmates have returned positive results to COVID-19 from 15 December 2021 to Monday, 7 March 2022, when restrictions were eased?

Corrections workforce

3. What is the total number of people employed by Corrective Services in custodial roles, broken down by facility, on a:
 - (a) Full-time basis
 - (b) Part-time basis
 - (c) Casual basis
 - (d) On a contract
4. What is the total number of people employed by Corrective Services in non-custodial roles, on a:
 - (a) Full-time basis
 - (b) Part-time basis
 - (c) Casual basis
 - (d) On a contract
5. How many Correctional Officers commenced their employment in the 2020-2021 financial year?
6. How many Community Corrections Officers commenced their employment in the 2020-2021 financial year?
7. What is the cost to employ a Correctional Officer, on a:
 - (a) Full-time basis
 - (b) Part-time basis
 - (c) Casual basis
 - (d) On a contract

8. What is the cost to employ a Community Correctional Officer, on a:
 - (a) Full-time basis
 - (b) Part-time basis
 - (c) Casual basis
9. What is the cost to employ other custodial staff, on a:
 - (a) Full-time basis
 - (b) Part-time basis
 - (c) Casual basis
 - (d) On a contract

Workers Compensation / Injury Management

10. How many workers compensation claims have been made in Corrections from 1 July 2021 to 8 March 2022?
11. How many substantive Injury Manager Positions does Corrective Services have?
 - (a) Are there any vacancies?
12. What is the average caseload of a Corrective Service Injury Manager over the last 24 months?