

Q04/407

Ms Tanya Bosch  
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Dear Ms Bosch

I refer to your letter of 21 December 2004 regarding questions taken on notice during the Budget Estimates Hearing on 20 December 2004.

The Hon Melinda Pavey MLC asked a question which was taken on notice concerning the total budget for the Department of Health's clinical information systems. The following response is provided:

The NSW Health capital expenditure budget for patient administration and clinical care systems is approximately \$258.3M over the twelve year period 1998/99 to 2009/10.

Yours sincerely

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