

Impacts to Broken Hill Hospital campus due to redevelopment from Monday 1 July 2024

Health Infrastructure is building a new Acute Mental Health Inpatient Unit and refurbishing the Emergency Department at Broken Hill Hospital to better meet the health needs of the Broken Hill community now and into the future.

Health Infrastructure has engaged Barpa Construction Services to carry out this work, with construction to start shortly. Site set up and occupation will take place from **Monday 1 July 2024**, with the following impacts to staff, patients and visitors to the Broken Hill Hospital campus.

How will the work affect you?

We recognise that building new infrastructure can be disruptive to consumers, visitors, staff, nearby residents, businesses and road users. All construction activities are carried out with the health and safety of the local community as our top priority.

From 7.00am, Monday 1 July 2024 until end of construction of Acute Mental Health Inpatient Unit (MHIPU)

Changed traffic conditions impacting vehicle and pedestrian movements:

The Thomas Street entry will be closed to vehicles and pedestrians to enable the establishment of the Acute MHIPU site and associated works.

Vehicle entry to the hospital campus will only be available via Chloride Street. Detours and signage will be in place. For your safety, please follow instructions at all times.

Parking:

As per the image on page 2, a large part of the western carpark accessed from the Thomas Street entry and the adjacent paddock overflow parking will be affected, and will not be available from 7.00am on Monday 1 July 2024 until construction of the Acute MHIPU is complete in late 2025.

The paddock will be **permanently unavailable** for parking after 1 July as this is the location where the new Acute Mental Health Inpatient Unit will be built. The total number of parking spaces will however not be affected by the redevelopment and offset parking will be available after the completion of the Acute MHIPU.

Bus stop:

The hospital bus stop currently located adjacent to the rear entry of the hospital, will also be impacted by the temporary road closure. The bus will pick up and drop off passengers at the front of hospital in Thomas Street from Monday 1 July until construction of the Acute MHIPU is complete.

Please see map on following page for more details.

Please note:

- The fire egress route will be maintained at all times.
- The needle exchange facility will still be accessible.
- Services and rubbish removal access at the SARU building will be maintained from Thomas Street.
- Vehicle access from Thomas Street to the Safe Haven Café, the adjacent Far West Mental Health Recovery Centre and hospital residences will be maintained via the existing laneway.

Map indicating impacted areas and details:



Keeping you informed

There will be permanent changes to access throughout construction. You will be kept informed at all stages. Thank you for your patience while we complete this important redevelopment for the Broken Hill community.

If you would like to speak with a member of the project team directly, you can call us on 02 8838 8889 or email us at HI-BrokenHillRedev@health.nsw.gov.au.

For more information about the redevelopment, visit our website via the QR code, or at: hinfra.health.nsw.gov.au

