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HI MPS,
FYI – linked to MS22-001076 please.
Thanks

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Good afternoon,

Please find attached letter from the office of the Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA Minister for Health; Mental Health.

Kind regards,



Office of the Hon. Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA

Minister for Health; Mental Health

Member for Morley

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Subject: [SEC=OFFICIAL] Letter to the Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson BA MLA

Good morning,

Please see attached correspondence from the Hon Mark Butler MP regarding the WA comprehensive cancer centre.

Kind regards,

Ariane

Ariane Hermann

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Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA
Minister for Health; Mental Health

Our Ref: 76-19931

The Hon Mark Butler MP
Minister for Health and Aged Care
Parliament House
Canberra
ACT 2600

Dear Minister *Mark,*

Thank you for your letter dated 20 October 2022 that confirmed your commitment to the establishment of the Western Australia (WA) Comprehensive Cancer Centre.

The Western Australian Government is currently undertaking significant analysis of cancer services in the State to provide further insight into future demand and optimal clinical service provision across WA. This body of work will help to inform the development of the business case and provide a strong foundation for clinical service planning at the WA Comprehensive Cancer Centre.

The Western Australian Government continues to work closely with clinical stakeholders to determine the appropriate governance framework for the business case development phase and we look forward to providing you with further information on this progress in coming months.

I understand that officers from both the State and the Commonwealth Governments have been working closely to establish a schedule for the funding agreement and I look forward to receiving the formal documentation in due course.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'A. Sanderson'.

HON AMBER-JADE SANDERSON MLA
MINISTER FOR HEALTH; MENTAL HEALTH

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Good Afternoon Minister Butler,

Please find attached letter from the Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA; Minister for Health; Mental Health.

Hard copy will follow in the post.

Kind regards

Carolyn

Office of the Hon. Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA Minister for Health; Mental Health Member for Morley

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Our Ref: 76-23147

The Hon Mark Butler MP
Minister for Health and Aged Care
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Via email: Minister.Butler@health.gov.au

Dear Minister

Thank you for your letter of 16 February 2023 formally offering the Federation Funding Agreement - Western Australia Comprehensive Cancer Centre Schedule (the Schedule).

I am pleased to advise that I have signed the Schedule (attached) that recognises both our governments' investment in the business case for the proposed Western Australia Comprehensive Cancer Centre.

Western Australia remains committed to delivering patient-centred, high quality and financially sustainable health care aligning with the Western Australian Cancer Plan, the Sustainable Health Review and the Future Health Research and Innovation Fund.

I look forward to continuing to work with you to improve cancer care outcomes for Western Australians.

Kind regards

**HON AMBER-JADE SANDERSON MLA
MINISTER FOR HEALTH; MENTAL HEALTH**

18 APR 2023

Att:

Schedule

Western Australia Comprehensive Cancer Centre

FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT – HEALTH

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The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this schedule as follows:

Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth
of Australia by



The Honourable Mark Butler MP
Minister for Health and Aged Care

[Day] [Month] [Year]

16 or 2023

Signed for and on behalf of the
State of Western Australia by



The Honourable Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA
Minister for Health and Mental Health

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Ministerial Submission – Standard

MS23-000153

Version (1)

Date sent to MO: 14 February 2023

To: Minister Butler

Subject: WA Comprehensive Cancer Centre - formal offer of Federation Funding
Agreement – initial business case

Critical date: 22/02/2023, to put in place processes to ensure associated funding is in place.

Recommendations:

- | | |
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| 1. Sign the Schedule to the <i>Federation Funding Agreement – Health</i> at Attachment A. | 1. <u>Signed</u> /Not signed/Please discuss |
| 2. Sign the covering letter to the WA Minister for Health, Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MP, at Attachment B. | 2. <u>Signed</u> /Not signed/Please discuss |
| 3. Note that WA Government funding of the Comprehensive Cancer Centre is contingent on the completion of an initial business case. | 3. <u>Noted</u> /Please discuss |

Signature

Date: 16/02/2023

Media Release required? YES/NO

Comments:

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Issues:

1. This submission recommends your approval and signature of the Western Australia (WA) Comprehensive Cancer Centre Schedule to the *Federation Funding Agreement – Health*.
2. The Schedule provides the terms for the funding arrangements between the Commonwealth and the Western Australian Government with respect to the development of an initial business case for the establishment of a Comprehensive Cancer Centre (Centre).

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3. The terms of the Schedule have been agreed between officials. The WA Minister for Health, the Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MP, wrote to you on 30 January 2023 noting that she looked forward to receiving the formal documentation (**Attachment C**).

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Consultations:

Budget Branch; WA Department of Health; the Treasury

Attachments:

- A:** Schedule to the *Federation Funding Agreement – Health* between the Commonwealth and WA state government.
- B:** Cover letter to the WA Minister for Health, the Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson MP.
- C:** Letter from WA Minister for Health to Minister Butler dated 30 January 2023.
- D:** Letter from Minister Butler to WA Minister for Health dated 20 October 2022.

Schedule

Western Australia Comprehensive Cancer Centre

FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT - HEALTH

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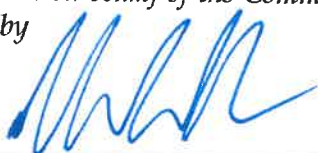
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The Honourable Mark Butler MP
Minister for Health and Aged Care

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Signed for and on behalf of the
State of Western Australia by

The Honourable Amber-Jade Sanderson MLA
Minister for Health and Mental Health

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Minister for Health
Minister for Mental Health
5th Floor Dumas House
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WEST PERTH WA 6005
Amber.jade.sanderson@mp.wa.gov.au

Dear Minister

I refer to your correspondence dated 30 January 2023 concerning the establishment of the Western Australian Comprehensive Cancer Centre (Centre).

I am pleased to formally offer a Schedule to the Federation Funding Agreement – Health that recognises both our governments' investment in the initial business case for the construction of the Centre.

Following completion of the business case, I look forward to the Western Australian Government's policy and financial commitment to the establishment of this important Centre.

I enclose a copy of this Schedule for your review and signature. Please return the executed copy of the Schedule to my office at your earliest convenience.

I look forward to continuing to work with you to improve cancer care outcomes for people in Western Australia.

Yours sincerely

Mark Butler

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Encl (1) Schedule to the Federation Funding Agreement – Health: Establishment of the Western Australia Comprehensive Cancer Centre

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 Minister for Health; Mental Health
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 2 Havelock Street
 WEST PERTH WA 6005
Amber.jade.sanderson@mp.wa.gov.au

Dear Minister

The Australian Government is committed to improving cancer outcomes for all Australians through investment across the cancer continuum. In providing world class cancer care, \$375 million has been committed for the establishment of a Comprehensive Cancer Centre (Centre) in Western Australia.

To support the design and sustainability of the project, the Australian Government is proposing to provide \$2.5 million of this investment to Western Australia, in initial funding for the development of a business case for the Centre. This business case will support a clear vision, provide recommendations on scope and costs, and contribute to the detailed design of a Schedule under the Federation Funding Agreement - Health between the Australian and the Western Australian Governments to oversee and implement construction of the Centre.

The Australian Government is currently considering implementation arrangements for this measure and the Department of Health and Aged Care is working closely with officials from the Western Australian Government to ensure a collaborative approach for the Centre. This will include the establishment of an appropriately convened governance committee.

I look forward to being briefed on the progress with the Centre as the project proceeds and to receiving further advice regarding your Government's financial commitment to the project.

Yours sincerely

Mark Butler

20/10/2022

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