## Mackay Base Hospital Expansion Project





\$250 million commitment



Announced as part of the 2022/23 State Budget



128 additional beds



Located between A & F Blocks on the Mackay Base Hospital campus



BESIX Watpac appointed as managing contractor



Forecast for completion late 2026

Design and early works of the Mackay Base Hospital Expansion Project is underway.

Announced as part of the 2022/23 State Budget, the hospital expansion will help to relieve hospital pressures and enhance patient care for the region.

Health services included in the build will be our Women's Health Unit with new birthing suites and maternity ward, Special Care Nursery, Child and Adolescent Unit and new medical wards.

The expansion will provide staff with the facilities they need to meet the rising demand for health care in the region and ensure Mackay residents have access to a range of health services closer to home.

Planning is also underway for a multi-storey car park at the hospital.

The Mackay Base Hospital Expansion Project forms part of the Queensland Government's Capital Expansion Program.

## Benefits

- Additional bed spaces to help us treat more patients.
- Improved patient flow throughout the hospital and health service.
- Enhanced health care services for the Mackay community.
- Better patient health outcomes, experience and access to care.