

DRAFT CLINICAL SERVICE PLAN | OCT 2022

DENILIQVIN HEALTH SERVICE | SNAPSHOT

The Clinical Service Plan has been developed to identify appropriate services for the community for the next 10 years and beyond.

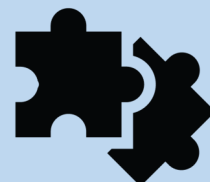


Service planning is underpinned by State and District strategic directions, strategies and policy and MLHD planning principles.

Planning is informed by the catchment population profile, and political, economic, technological, legal and environmental factors.

Opportunities for future service delivery include:

- Support families in the first 2,000 days of life from pre-conception to preschool
- Reduce the inequality in access to care for vulnerable community members
- Provide safe and sustainable quality care in new ways including additional non-inpatient services to prevent and manage chronic disease
- Support people to live well with chronic conditions and as they age
- Strengthen youth services, and community mental health care,
- Strengthen surgery, diagnostic services, education facilities and digital capabilities

**The following will provide the core services the community said they wanted, and are able to be provided safely and sustainably:**

- Expanded access to non-inpatient services, for example, outpatient clinics, infusion/ oncology chairs, renal chairs, Hospital in the Home, community health, community mental health, dental
- Enhanced access to GP type service models
- Diagnostic services including CT, X-ray, expanded ultrasound, and feasibility of MRI to be further explored
- Emergency department with tele-stroke service
- 28 Inpatient beds supporting general medicine, surgical, maternity, rehabilitation, geriatric evaluation and management, and palliative care
- Paediatric safe spaces to enable children to be monitored for up to 48 hours with paediatrician support (where appropriate and safe to do so)
- Staff accommodation.

