



Palmerston
Regional Hospital
Top End Health Service

Shorter waiting times for planned day and elective surgery

Surgery at the Palmerston Regional Hospital

Palmerston Regional Hospital is planned to open in July 2018 and will operate as a campus of Royal Darwin Hospital.

Patient and staff safety is central to everything we do and that is why we are taking a careful and considered approach to opening services to the public.

Palmerston Regional Hospital is equipped to provide planned day and extended stay surgery where you may need to stay in hospital overnight after surgery.

Our services will include pre-admission clinics, consultation diagnosis, treatment, pain management and post-surgery care.

If you need more complex or specialist surgical procedures these will continue to be performed at Royal Darwin Hospital.



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For more information:
www.palmerstonregionalhospital.nt.gov.au

 NT Health



Palmerston Regional Hospital Top End Health Service

Working together with the Royal Darwin Hospital

Royal Darwin Hospital will remain the Top End's only tertiary referral hospital. It will continue to specialise in major emergency and complex trauma care.

When it opens, Palmerston Regional Hospital will help Royal Darwin Hospital by providing it with the capacity to expand its focus on providing critical, complex and specialist care.

Opening day services

If you are on the Top End Health Service's planned day surgery waiting list and your surgery needs match what can be provided by the hospital, you may be scheduled to have your planned day surgery at Palmerston Regional Hospital.

Planned day surgery procedures will include endoscopies, ophthalmology, specialist dental, urology, ear, nose and throat, gynaecology and plastics.

Day surgery will operate Monday to Friday from 7:00am to 6:00pm, with office hours from 6:30am to 8:00pm.

Service expansion plans

Over the first 12 months, services will expand to include other planned procedures where you may need to stay in hospital overnight.

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