

## Safe Patient Care (Nurse to Patient and Midwife to Patient Ratios) Act 2015 Reporting

**Reporting Period:** 1 September 2019 – 29 February 2020

Western Health provides the following to meet our reporting obligations under the Safe Patient Care (Nurse to Patient and Midwife to Patient Ratios) Act 2015 (the Principle Act):

### Mixed Wards:

In meeting the obligations under section 12A(1) of the Principle Act, Western Health nominates the following Mixed Wards:

Name of ward:	Total number of occupied beds in ward	Different ratios that apply to each portion	Expected number of occupied beds of each portion of the ward	
<b>Ward 2A (SH)</b>	36	General Medical/Surgical	AM 1:4 plus in-charge PM 1:4 plus in-charge ND 1:8	28
		GEM	AM 1:5 plus in-charge PM 1:6 plus in-charge ND 1:10	8
<b>Ward 2E (SH)</b>	32	Oncology*	AM 1:4 plus in-charge PM 1:4 plus in-charge ND 1:8 plus in-charge	14
		General medical/surgical	AM 1:4 plus in-charge PM 1:4 plus in-charge ND 1:8	18
<b>Ward 3B (FH)</b>	36	General medical/surgical	AM 1:4 plus in-charge PM 1:4 plus in-charge ND 1:8	16
		GEM	AM 1:5 plus in-charge PM 1:6 plus in-charge ND 1:10	16
		Rehabilitation	AM 1:5 plus in-charge PM 1:5 plus in-charge ND 1:10	4
<b>Ward 3E (SH)</b>	32	Stroke*	1:3 plus in-charge	3
		General medical/surgical	AM 1:4 plus in-charge PM 1:4 plus in-charge ND 1:8	29
<b>Ground Floor Subacute (WH)</b>	30	GEM	AM 1:5 plus in-charge PM 1:6 plus in-charge ND 1:10	26
		Rehabilitation	AM 1:5 plus in-charge PM 1:5 plus in-charge ND 1:10	4

\*From 1 March 2020

## Birthing Suites:

In meeting the obligations under Section 31(6) of the Principal Act, Western Health nominates the following Birthing Suites:

Name of ward:	Number of occupied birthing suites:	Number of occupied birthing suites (Saturdays and Sundays):
<b>Birthing Suite (SH)</b>	10 (10.3)	10 (9.57)