



Improving health outcomes through partnering with our community

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Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

I would like to acknowledge the traditional owners and caretakers, past, present and future of the land on which we meet today.

I would also like to acknowledge the traditional owners and caretakers , past present and future of the land on which we operate our health services.

Who we are

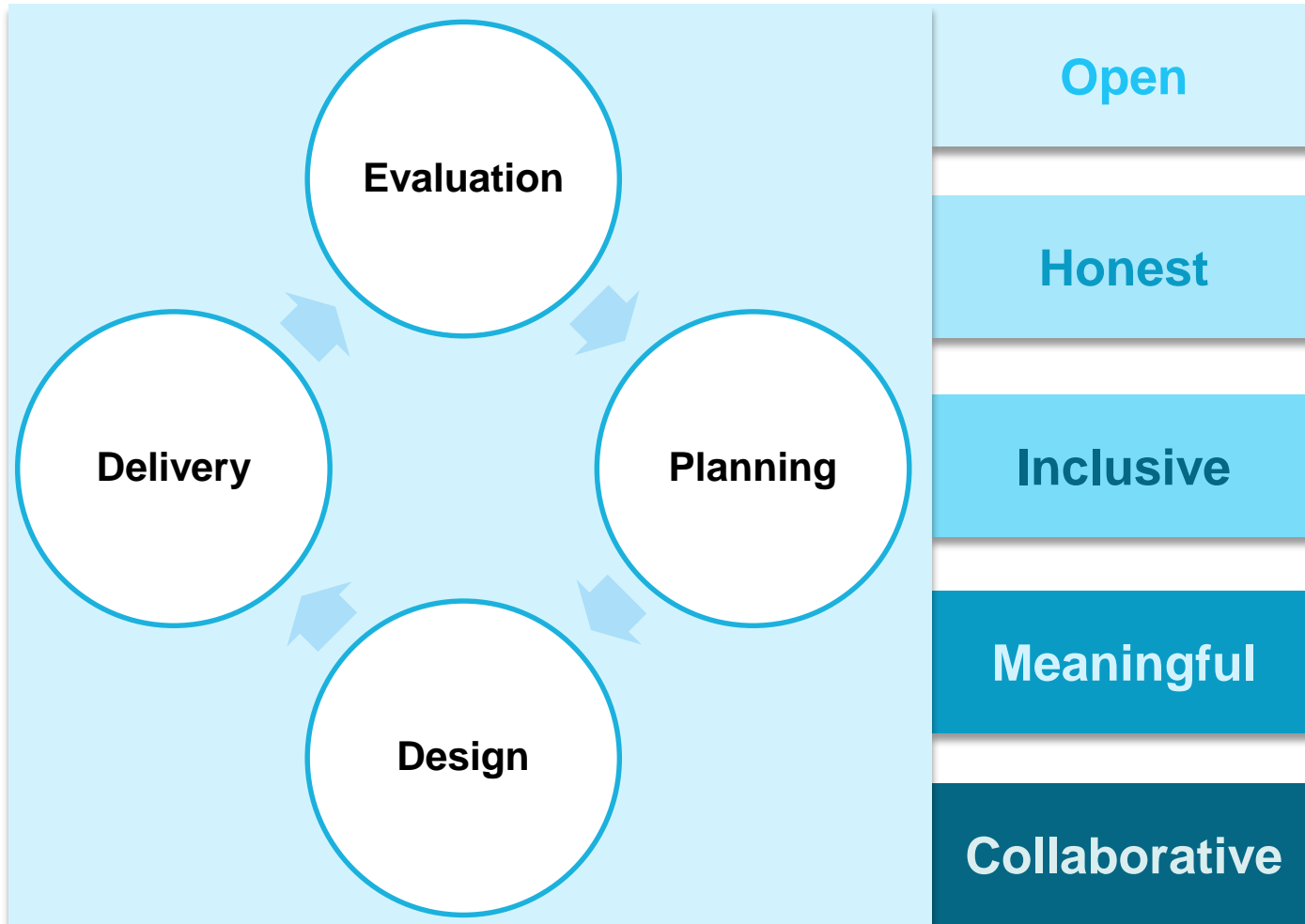


Mix of metropolitan and rural facilities:

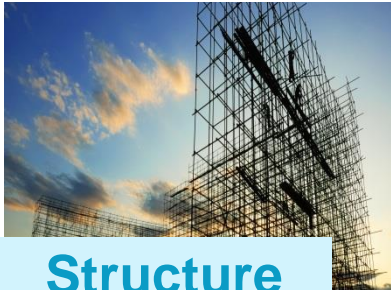
- Ipswich Hospital
- Boonah Hospital
- Laidley Hospital
- Gatton Hospital
- Esk Hospital
- The Park – Centre for Mental Health

By 2026-27 it is projected that our population will increase by 82% which makes the West Moreton Hospital and Health Service the fastest growing in the state.

Goals, Objectives and Hopes



Lessons and Achievements



Involvement of community representatives in:

- Policy development
- Recruitment panels
- Strategic Planning
- Accreditation activities
- Workshops
- Executive committees
- Steering committees
- Events and celebrations
- Projects
- Tours
- Community consultation
- Patient engagement activities

Looking forward



Consultations

- Community Reference Groups
- Review of Publications
- Forums and focus groups
- Surveys and questionnaires
- Interagency Meetings



Engagement

- Working Groups
- Steering Committees
- Community Projects
- Cultural Engagement Groups
- Community Advisory Council

Community Projects

- Health-Media Partnership with West Moreton and University of Southern Queensland Media School
- Library Words for Wellbeing health project in partnership with local councils across West Moreton region







Questions?



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