**A vision for Tumut Hospital**

The Master Plan for the $50 million Tumut Hospital Redevelopment remains on public display - online and in town.

The plan can be found in the Tumut Hospital ward entrance and in the Tumut Library in Wynyard Street as well as on the Murrumbidgee Local Health District (MLHD) website - www.mlhd.health.nsw.gov.au

Feedback is sought until Friday 26 April.

The Master Plan provides an overarching vision of the Hospital campus and where new buildings will be located.

Spaces in the Master Plan include:
- Main Entry
- Inpatient and Birthing Unit
- Emergency
- Operating Theatre
- Wellness Centre
- Medical Imaging
- Staff Amenities
- Support Services
- Clinical Support
- Offices
- Helipad site.

Any feedback on the Master Plan can be left in a suggestion box at the Tumut Library or emailed to MLHD-Tumut-Redevelopment@health.nsw.gov.au
February info sessions

Drop-in information sessions for Tumut Hospital staff and members of the local community were held at the end of February.

That session for staff in the Tumut Hospital was followed by one in the town’s main street.

The Master Plan took centre stage during the information sessions as well questions about the project’s timeline.

More sessions will be held as the project progresses.

What’s next?

Several Project User Groups (PUGs) have been formed with a range of local clinical staff nursing staff and medical professionals as well representatives of the local community.

The PUGs will meet in April to study the layout of the various spaces in the new hospital, to establish a design the meets the needs of local patients and staff.

The Project Team will also be reviewing the feedback from the local community, and where possible, considering as part of the design updates.

The start of construction phase is due towards the end of 2019 pending all required approvals and statutory approvals.

Tumut Hospital Redevelopment project timeline

$50m funding announced

$50m funding announced August 2018

Master Plan

February 2019

Business Case

Q2 2019

Design Phase

Q2 to Q4 2019

Construction commences

Late 2019

Left: MLHD’s Maria Roche (left) and Melanie Mann show the Master Plan to members of the Tumut community.