



## Royal Darwin Hospital New Patient Accommodation Precinct

The Territory Government has commenced construction on a new Patient Accommodation Precinct, adjacent to the Alan Walker Cancer Care facility.

The Precinct will include an Indigenous Mothers' Accommodation Facility, with 8 self-contained units, and Short-term Patient Accommodation which can accommodate 50 patients.

The new precinct will provide patients travelling from remote and rural areas with accommodation, whilst undergoing treatment at Royal Darwin Hospital.

Construction is now underway on the Indigenous Mothers' Accommodation Facility, with construction of the Short-term Patient Accommodation commencing in August.

Lyons residents may experience some noise and dust over the coming weeks while construction continues.

All care will be taken by the Department of Construction and Infrastructure to minimise disruptions. Water trucks are regularly being used on site for dust suppression.

The new facilities will be open early 2012.

For more information on the facilities and how they will benefit Territorians, visit [www.healthynt.nt.gov.au](http://www.healthynt.nt.gov.au).

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