

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
Question Without Notice

Tuesday, 7 May 2019

C419. Hon Robin Chappie to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the aged care facilities in the Kimberley, Germanus Kent House in the Shire of Broome, and Juniper Numbala Nunga Residential Care in the Shire of Derby-West Kimberley and ask:

1. Have any Shire of Derby-West Kimberley residents been cared for in Germanus Kent House, the Shire of Broome aged care facility?
2. If yes to (1), how many?
3. If yes to (1), why?
4. Have any Shire of Broome residents been cared for in Juniper Numbala Nunga House, the Shire of Derby-West Kimberley aged care facility?
5. If yes to (4), how many?
6. If yes to (4), why?

Answer

I thank the Honourable Member for some notice of the question.

(1)-(6) Germanus Kent House and Juniper Numbala Nunga are privately run residential aged care facilities and therefore, WA Country Health Service (WACHS) is unable to provide any information about residents receiving care in either facility.

WACHS has one patient at Germanus Kent House in Broome for respite only. There are no patients awaiting placement with the Shire of Derby/West Kimberley.

