Department of Health Notional Contracted Services Local Hospital Network Service Agreement Deed of Amendment (Abridged)

An agreement between:

Department of Health Chief Executive Officer

And

Department of Health Purchasing and System Performance Division

for the period

1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022

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BACKGROUND

- A. With effect from 1 July 2021, pursuant to section 46 of the *Health Services Act* 2016 (the Act) the Parties entered into a 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim). Section 46(4) of the Act provides that the 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) is binding on the Parties.
- B. The 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) details the health services that the Department CEO undertook to purchase from the Notional LHN and the services the Notional LHN undertook to deliver during the 2020-21 financial year.
- C. An update to the Commonwealth specific purpose payment activity and funding changes the funding set out in the 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) and an amendment to this is required.
- D. This document is not required to be executed in accordance with section 41 of the Act as all amendments have been approved through other processes.

1. OPERATION OF AMENDMENTS

The 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) will be read and construed subject to this Deed, and in all other respects the provisions of the 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) are confirmed, and subject to the terms of the amendments contained in this Deed, will continue in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

Each Party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that Party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other Party to give effect to this Deed.

This Deed is governed by and will be construed according to the laws in force in Western Australia.

2. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Deed together with the 2021-22 Service Agreement (Interim) constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes any previous agreement between the Parties as to the subject matter of this Deed.

2.1 Notional Contracted Services Determination

The Department Notional Contracted Services Local Hospital Network (Notional LHN) consists of an aggregation of contracted public hospital services for the Department.

The Department Notional Contracted Services LHN only includes in scope health services that are eligible for a Commonwealth funding contribution.

As stated in Clause A54(a) of the *National Health Reform Agreement 2011*, the Administrator of the National Health Funding Pool prescribes that the Notional Contracted Services LHN is not required to meet the LHN governance arrangements set out in clauses D11 to D21. However, all requirements and responsibilities outlined in the *National Health Reform Agreement 2011* and *National Health Reform Act 2011* still apply to the LHN.

3. PUBLICATION OF DEED

The Department will publish an abridged version of this Deed on the WA health system internet site, in accordance with Schedule D9 of the National Health Reform Agreement.

Any subsequent amendments to this Deed together with the Service Agreement will also be published in accordance with Schedule D9 of the National Health Reform Agreement.

In accordance with Schedule D8(a) and D8(c), included with the abridged version of this Deed is an additional schedule that provides a calculation of the Commonwealth and State contributions to the National Health Funding Pool under this Agreement.

Notional LHN—Commonwealth and State contributions to the National Health Funding Pool

| | National | Total Expected NWAUs | Total Contribution | Commonwealth | | State |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| | Efficient Price | | | Contribution | Funding Rate | Contribution |
| | | | | | | |
| ABF Service group | (NEP \$) | (#) | (NEP \$) | (NEP \$) | (%) | (NEP \$) |
| Acute Admitted | 5,597 | 2,792 | 15,626,849 | 2,288,634 | 41.4 | 13,338,215 |
| Admitted Mental Health | 5,597 | 161 | 901,117 | 438,720 | 41.4 | 462,397 |
| Sub-Acute | 5,597 | 1,027 | 5,748,146 | 3,647,546 | 41.4 | 2,100,601 |
| Emergency Department | 5,597 | - | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Non Admitted | 5,597 | 13,070 | 73,151,159 | 23,018,482 | 41.4 | 50,132,677 |
| Total ABF | 5,597 | 17,050 | 95,427,272 | 29,393,382 | 41.4 | 66,033,890 |
| Non-ABF Service group | | | (\$) | (\$) | (%) | (\$) |
| Non Admitted Mental Health | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Non Admitted CAMHS | | _ | _ | - | _ | _ |
| Non Admitted Home Ventilation | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Rural CSO sites | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Teaching, Training and Research | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Total Block Funding | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |

This schedule relates to Commonwealth "in-scope" activity only and is a subset of the Summary of Activity and Funding Schedule

Commonwealth \$ contribution is inclusive of adjustments related to the 2020-21 annual reconciliation.