

# Key Features

- The 2022–23 Budget measures will support more jobs in more industries, deliver better services and protect Queenslanders' lifestyle.
- Queensland is leveraging the momentum of its strong recovery to focus on growing the economy and enhancing the quality of life of all Queenslanders.
- To support the health system, the Budget will provide a transformational \$9.785 billion capital boost to expand bed capacity over the next 6 years, \$6.784 billion over 4 years to support the ongoing growth in health and ambulance services as well as \$1.645 billion over 5 years for mental health services.
- A growing economy will allow the government to deliver better services across the state, including in education, justice and social services.
- To support the manufacturing sector to take advantage of new opportunities, the 2022–23 Budget commits to additional funding of \$40 million over 2 years to continue the Made in Queensland program and an additional \$10 million for the Manufacturing Hubs Grant program.
- The government is also providing additional funding of \$964.2 million over 5 years as part of the 10-year \$2.1 billion Waste Package to support councils and industry to invest in infrastructure and will deliver programs to reduce waste, meet resource recovery targets, create jobs, and reduce impacts on households.
- The Queensland Resources Industry Development Plan aims to fast track new economy minerals production and processing. As part of the \$68.5 million package to support the plan, an additional \$17.5 million over 4 years will be provided to enhance the Collaborative Exploration Initiative and support resource exploration companies to make more new economy mineral discoveries in Queensland.
- The government is providing funding of \$470.4 million (\$464.5 million increased funding and \$6 million met internally) over 4 years and \$104.7 million per annum ongoing to continue the family support and child protection reforms through the *Supporting Families Changing Futures* program.
- The Queensland Government is committing more than \$3 billion over 4 years under Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements in partnership with the Australian Government to support recovery from the 2021-22 disaster season. This includes \$1.818 billion from the Resilient Homes Fund and Category C and D Extraordinary Packages.
- The government's cost of living support measures includes \$6.786 billion in concessions for Queenslanders in 2022–23 including a \$175 Cost of Living Rebate to help manage electricity costs.
- The government is committing additional funding of \$150 million over 3 years to increase the Catalyst Infrastructure Fund to unlock development and increase the supply of housing in the state's Priority Development Areas.