



Administrator
National Health
Funding Pool

QUARTERLY COMPLIANCE REPORT

JUNE 2026

Understanding the Administrator's Quarterly Compliance Report

Clause B81 of the *Addendum to the National Health Reform Agreement 2020-21 to 2024-25* (the Addendum) and one-year extension for 2025-26 requires the Administrator to publish details of Commonwealth, State and Territory compliance with the data requirements specified in the *Administrator's Three-Year Data Plan 2025-26 to 2027-28*.

Clause A152 of the Addendum requires the Administrator to publish additional information in the compliance reports on dates data is submitted or resubmitted by States.

The format of the Quarterly Compliance Report follows a standard structure, with relevant data requirements reflected in each quarter. Further information on requirements can be found in the *Administrator's 2025-26 Data Compliance Policy*.

Executive Summary

2025-26 Service Agreements

Seven out of eight States submitted all 2025-26 Service Agreements to the Administrator, with Victoria providing a partial submission.

127 of 128 service agreements have been submitted to the Administrator.

- Of the **127** service agreements submitted, **89** were provided to the Administrator within the required 14 calendar days from finalisation or amendment.
- Of the **96** ABF LHN Service Agreements, **52** align to activity estimate submissions.
- **Queensland, Tasmania, the Australian Capital Territory** and the **Northern Territory** reported out-of-scope activity and out-of-scope funding in the Service Agreements.
- **All eight** States reported a State Price (or NEP) in the Service Agreements.

Timely submissions of service agreements are important to accurately calculating Commonwealth entitlements and issuing Payment Advice throughout the year.

2025-26 Quarter 3 NHR Data Submissions

With respect to the timeliness of **Submission A**, **six out of eight** States provided their data on time by 15 June 2026. Outstanding data from New South Wales and Western Australia was provided within the two-week resubmission window following 15 June 2026.

The **Leave and Hospital in the Home Care** (L/HITH) national best endeavours data set is to capture periods of formal absences from care facilities within episodes of admitted patient care. In Quarter 3 2025-26, four out of eight States submitted this data set.

Data specifications can be found at publichospitalfunding.gov.au/publications/.

Monthly Financial Reporting

All monthly financial reports were completed by States on or before the due date of the 12th of the following month (except Tasmania's June report).

Maintenance of Effort

Under the Addendum (A102) and one-year extension, Parties agree to, at a minimum for the period of 2020-21 to 2025-26, maintain 2018-19 levels of funding for Public Hospital Services through the National Health Funding Pool (the Pool), while having regard to new, appropriate models of care that may change the setting in which care is delivered.

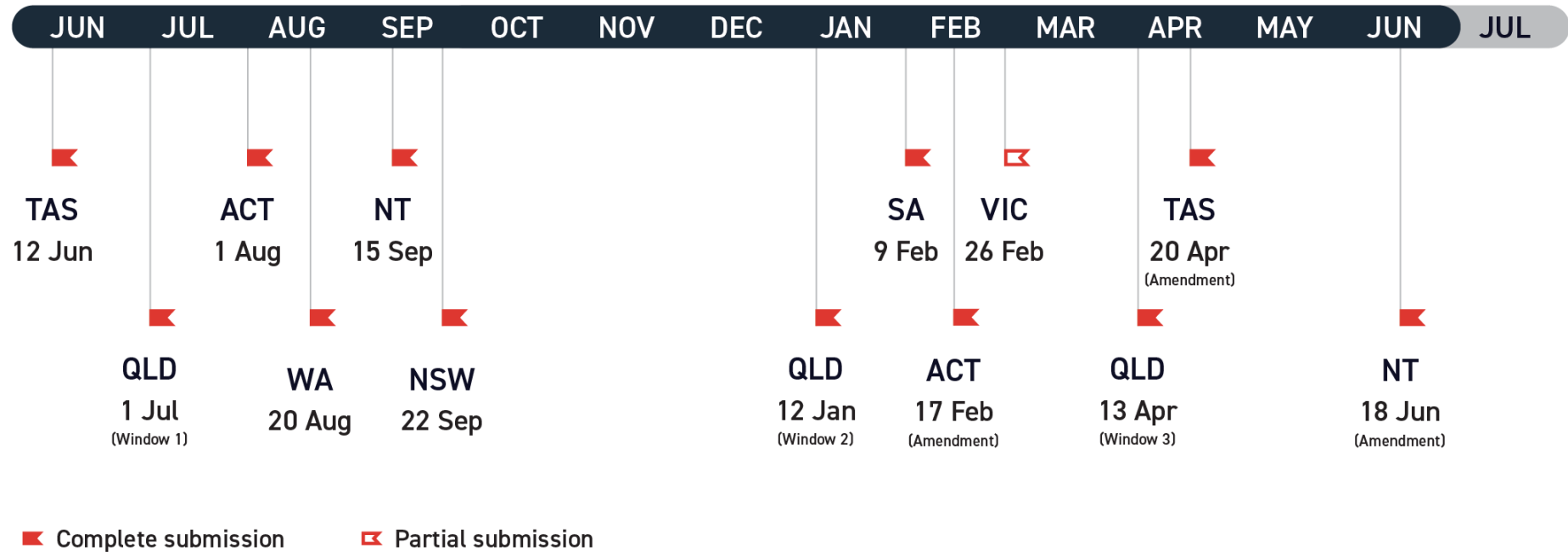
The Administrator's Annual Report 2024-25 - Maintenance of Effort was published on 17 December 2025 at publichospitalfunding.gov.au/publications/ following collaboration between the Administrator, the NHFB and all jurisdictions to improve the consistency and transparency of reporting.

Determinations, and final activity and entitlements – A153 report

Under the Addendum, the Administrator will ensure that determinations, and final activity and entitlements at the Local Hospital Network level, are publicly available for all years that the Addendum has been in operation (A153). The report was discussed at the March 2026 Administrator Jurisdictional Advisory Committee and is being finalised.

2025-26 Service Agreement Provision Timeline

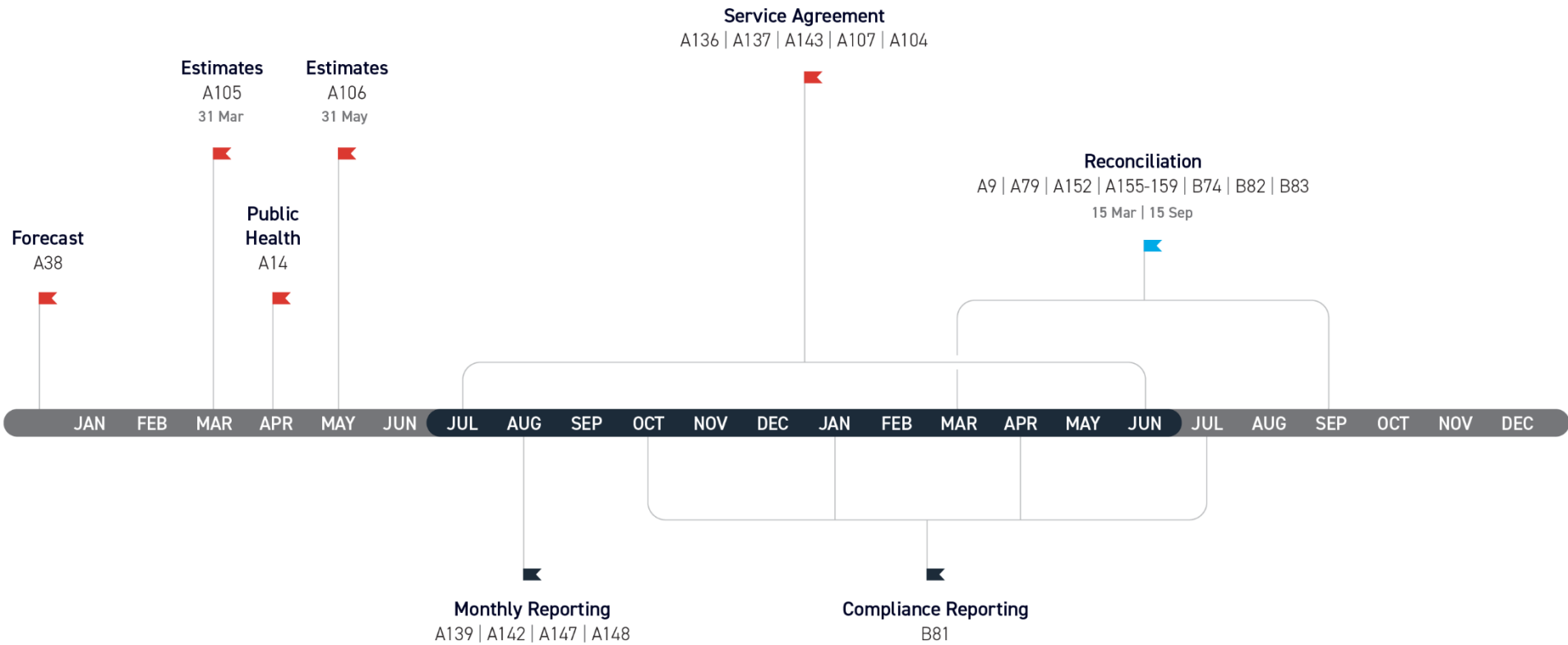
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Data Cycle

DATA PLAN

RELEVANT ADDENDUM CLAUSES: B66 | B67 | B70 | B71 | B72 | B76 | A154



Note: All clauses are from the Addendum to the National Health Reform Agreement 2020-21 to 2024-25 (the Addendum).

TABLE 1 Service Agreement and activity submission compliance with the Administrator's Three-Year Data Plan

Data requirement	Clause^	Due date	Measurement	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Service Agreements and Data Provision											
Estimated (aggregate) State and Territory NWAU by service category 2026-27	A105	31 Mar 26	Date submitted	31 Mar 26	31 Mar 26	31 Mar 26	30 Mar 26	31 Mar 26	01 Apr 26	30 Mar 26	17 Mar 26
Estimated LHN NWAU by service category 2026-27	A106	31 May 26	Date Submitted	29 May 26	29 May 26	27 May 26	28 May 26	31 May 26	01 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	04 Jun 26
2025-26 LHN Service Agreements provided to the Administrator (ABF and Block LHNs)	A107	Not applicable	Number of agreements	19/19	70/71 ¹	18/18 ¹	6/6	11/11	1/1	1/1	1/1
LHN Service Agreements provided within 14 days of finalisation	E8	Not applicable	Number of agreements	19/19	0/71	18/18	0/6	11/11	1/1	1/1	0/1
LHN Service Agreements include the number of services at the service category level to be provided by the LHN	E7(a)	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LHN Service Agreements include the mix of in-scope services at the service category level to be provided by the LHN	E7(a)	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LHN Service Agreements include the mix of out-of-scope services at the service category level to be provided by the LHN	A92 A95 A147	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓
LHN Service Agreements include the level of ABF to be provided to the LHN	E7(c)	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

TABLE 1 Service Agreement and activity submission compliance with the Administrator's Three-Year Data Plan (continued)

Data requirement	Clause^	Due date	Measurement	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Service Agreements and Data Provision											
LHN Service Agreements include the price set by the State (i.e. State Price) for each service category	A92 A95	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LHN Service Agreements include the level of Block Funding to be provided to the LHN	E7(c)	Not applicable	Meets minimum requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LHN Service Agreements (ABF LHNs only) and estimated LHN NWAU aligned	A137 A143	Not applicable	Number of agreements aligned	18/18	0/42	16/16	6/6	11/11	0/1	1/1	1/1
LHN Service Agreement ABF (\$) aligns to the Commonwealth Payment Advice (in-year activity)	E7(c)	Not applicable	Number of agreements	2/18	N/A ²	7/16	2/6	7/11	0/1	0/1	0/1
LHN Service Agreement Block Funding aligns to the National Efficient Cost (NEC)	E7(c) E7(d)	Not applicable	Yes or No	✗	Partial ³	Partial ³	Partial ³	Partial ³	Partial ³	Partial ³	Partial ³
Out-of-scope services funded through the Pool or State Managed Fund	A92 A95 A147	Not applicable	Yes or No	N/A	N/A	✓	N/A	N/A	✓	✓	✓
Updates to estimated LHN NWAU 2025-26	A137	Not applicable	Yes or No	✓	✓	✓	N/A	✓	✓	✓	✓
Updated 2025-26 LHN Service Agreements provided to the Administrator (ABF and Block LHNs)	A143	Not applicable	Date submitted	N/A	0/71	18/18	N/A	N/A	1/1	1/1	0/1

TABLE 2 Data submission compliance with the Administrator's Three-Year Data Plan

Data requirement	Clause^	Due date	Measurement	CW	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Reconciliation Requirements												
Submission A (Quarter 3 2025-26)	B79	15 Jun	Submitted or Not submitted		Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted
Statement of Assurance	B82 B83	N/A	Submitted (if so, when) or Not Submitted	-	Submitted 26 Jun 26	-	-	Submitted 15 Jun 26	-	-	-	-
Data Conditional Payment	A156- A159	15 Jun	Not applied or Applied		Not applied	Not applied	Not applied	Not applied	Not applied	Not applied	Not applied	Not applied
Sentinel Events	A166	N/A	Submitted or Not submitted		-	Submitted	-	-	-	Submitted	-	Submitted
Public Health amounts	A4	N/A	Submitted or Not submitted	Submitted								
Hospital List	A79 B72	15 Jun	Submitted or Not submitted		Submitted ⁴	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted	Submitted
Leave and Hospital in the Home	A9-A12	15 Jun	Submitted or Not submitted		Not available ⁵	Submitted	Submitted	Not available ⁵	Not available ⁵	Submitted	Submitted	Not available ⁵
Monthly Financial reports												
April 2026	A147 A148	12 May	Date submitted		8 May	12 May	11 May	12 May	11 May	12 May	7 May	11 May
May 2026	A147 A148	12 Jun	Date submitted		5 Jun	10 Jun	12 Jun	9 Jun	5 Jun	10 Jun	5 Jun	21 May
June 2026	A147 A148	13 Jul	Date submitted		9 Jul	9 Jul	9 Jul	11 Jul	10 Jul	14 Jul	2 Jul	6 Jul

TABLE 3 Submission and re-submission dates for Quarter 3 2025-26

Service category or Data type	Dataset	Submission or resubmission date	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Emergency	ED Patient Level (ED)	Submission	11 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	20 May 26	12 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
	ED Aggregate Level (ES)	Submission		12 Jun 26			15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26		
Acute admitted Mental health Sub-acute and non-acute	Admitted Patient Care (APC)	Submission	16 Jun 26 ⁶	12 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1				16 Jun 26 ⁶				
	Mental Health Care - Phase (MHCP)	Submission	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	16 Jun 26 ⁶	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1	16 Jun 26 ⁷	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26			19 Jun 26 ⁸		
	Mental Health Care - Episode (MHCE)	Submission	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	16 Jun 26 ⁶	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1	16 Jun 26 ⁷	15 Jun 26						
	Palliative Care (PCC)	Submission	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	5 Jun 26	17 Jun 26 ⁶	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26					
		Resubmission 2	16 Jun 26 ⁶		18 Jun 26 ⁹					
Non-admitted	Non-Admitted Patient Level (NAP)	Submission	12 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	29 May 26	12 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1	15 Jun 26							

TABLE 3 Submission and re-submission dates for Quarter 3 2025-26 (continued)

Service category or Data type	Dataset	Submission or resubmission date	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Community mental health	Ambulatory Service Contact (ASC)	Submission	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	5 Jun 26	16 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
		Resubmission 1	16 Jun 26 ⁶	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26					
Alternative Funding Source	Alternative Funding Source (AFS)	Submission	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26			15 Jun 26	
		Resubmission 1	16 Jun 26 ¹⁰			22 Jun 26 ¹⁰				
		Resubmission 2	21 Jun 26 ¹⁰							
		Resubmission 3	30 Jun 26 ¹⁰							
Sentinel Events	Sentinel Events (SE)	Submission		12 Jun 26				15 Jun 26		11 Jun 26
Hospital List	Hospital List (HL)	Submission	16 Jun 26 ⁴	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	15 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	12 Jun 26	11 Jun 26
Leave and Hospital in the Home	Leave and Hospital in the Home (L/HITH)	Submission		10 Jun 26	12 Jun 26			15 Jun 26	11 Jun 26	

Comments

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Footnotes

1. Outstanding Service Agreements:
 - a. Contracted Services LHN Victoria
 - i. Note that for Virtual LHNs, a breakdown of In-scope NHR activity and funding by service category is required.
2. Victoria's Service Agreements do not provide a breakdown of Commonwealth and State NHR Activity Based Funding.
3. Partial refers to some service categories aligning with the National Efficient Cost Determination 2025-26, but not all.
4. New South Wales submitted their hospital list after the 15 June submission date, but within the 2-week resubmission window. This file is deemed non-compliant for the June quarter.
5. Submission of the L/HITH file is required under the *Administrator's Three-Year Data Plan* from 2024-25 onwards. Several States advised us that they were unable to submit this file for Quarter 3 2025-26 and are working towards submitting it later in 2025-26.
6. The delay in these file submissions was due to technical issues with the IHACPA data portal. These files are deemed compliant on a qualified basis.
7. Resubmission of New South Wales's Mental Health Care (phase level and episode level) files requested to fix linking and grouping issues.
8. Resubmission of Tasmania's Mental Health Care (phase level) file to fix linkage and grouping issues.
9. Resubmission of Queensland's Palliative Care file to fix linkage and grouping issues.
10. Resubmission of New South Wales's and Western Australia's Alternative Funding Source files requested due to linking issues.