

## TWEED VALLEY HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT

## Hospital site confirmed for Kingscliff

30 June 2018

It has been confirmed that the new \$534 million Tweed Valley Hospital will be located opposite Kingscliff TAFE, following extensive community feedback and support for the greenfield site.

Health Infrastructure shortlisted three sites based on independent expert advice and the assessment process was overseen by an independent probity advisor. These three sites were assessed against the original evaluation criteria and this, along with community feedback, confirmed that the proposed site opposite Kingscliff TAFE remains the best site for the new hospital.

The basis on which the Kingscliff (Cudgen) site has been chosen will be released to the community in an updated site selection report in the next week.

Over the coming weeks we will be advertising for consumer and community representatives to join the project team in planning and designing the new hospital.

During community engagement sessions, more than 600 people were spoken to, and nearly 700 written submissions were received. Around 50 per cent of people spoken to supported the Kingscliff site; a further 25 per cent were neutral; and the remaining 25 per cent opposed.

View the media release.