



- ensuring appropriate and efficient ethics review and supervision;
- developing systems to ensure uniform financial management practices associated with clinical drug trials;
- enhancing monitoring and reporting process of clinical drug trials, including the development and maintenance of the Queensland Health Research Registry which records all clinical drug trials conducted in Queensland Health facilities.

Sponsorship for clinical drug trials in Queensland Health facilities 2003-04

<i>Health Service District</i>	<i>Amount received \$</i>
<i>Northern Zone</i>	
Cairns	471,279
Sub-total	471,279
<i>Central Zone</i>	
Redcliffe-Caboolture	179,577
Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital	1,662,748
Royal Children's Hospital	55,000
Sunshine Coast	182,770
The Prince Charles Hospital	346,381
Sub-total	2,426,476
<i>Southern Zone</i>	
Bayside	45,165
Gold Coast	392,925
Logan-Beaudesert	155,605
Princess Alexandra Hospital	485,977
Queen Elizabeth II	43,759
Sub-total	1,123,431
Total	4,021,186

Native Title

The Queensland Government Native Title work procedures ensure that Native Title issues are considered in all departmental land and natural resource management activities.

All dealings pertaining to land held by or on behalf of Queensland Health must take Native Title into account before proceeding. These dealings include disposal, acquisition, development, redevelopment, clearing, fencing and the granting of leases, licences or permits.

Dealings may proceed on departmental land, where Native Title continues to exist, provided native title holders or claimants receive the necessary procedural rights.

In accordance with State Government land policies, in most cases once Native Title over a particular holding is cleared, Queensland Health is required to convert the title to Crown freehold.

The Asset Management Unit, Capital Works and Asset Management Branch has completed Native Title assessment of a total of 77.3 per cent of departmental land holdings, 93.5 per cent of which have been cleared of Native Title. Some 88.3 per cent of those sites cleared of Native Title have now been converted to freehold tenure.

Native Title claims lodged in Queensland Health Service Districts 2003-04

<i>District</i>	<i>Number of claims</i>
Cairns	3
Cape York	5
Charleville	1
Charters Towers	2
Charters Towers/Tablelands	1
Innisfail	1
Moranbah	1
Mt Isa	3
Toowoomba/West Moreton/ Logan-Beaudesert/Princess Alexandra Hospital/ Bayside	1
Torres Strait and Northern Peninsula	1
Total Claims	19