Get a sneak peek at the future of health

It’s been years in the making and now you can take a sneak peek at your new hospital!

Sunshine and Cooloola Coast residents can register now to be part of a community tour day at Sunshine Coast University Hospital on Saturday, 25 February 2017.

Sunshine Coast Hospital and Health Service Chief Executive Kevin Hegarty said almost 3000 lucky residents would be given a sneak peek inside the new Sunshine Coast University Hospital before it becomes operational in March 2017.

The day will run from 10am to 3pm and include 30-minute guided tours of areas including the Adem Crosby Centre, Women’s and Families, Emergency Department, Outpatients and the Sunshine Coast Health Institute.

“Our dedicated staff have been working hard to deliver this exceptional hospital for the community,” Mr Hegarty said.

“I’m extremely proud of what we have achieved and excited to now be able to showcase this fantastic facility to the community before services commence.

“I’m sure the tours and events planned for the day will provide the community with a real sense of pride in their new hospital.”

Mr Hegarty said attendance numbers were limited and registration was a must.

“While we would like to be able show more people through, many parts of the hospital have now been clinically cleaned and fully fitted out in readiness for patients,” he said.

Online bookings are essential to take a 30-minute guided tour through the new state-of-the-art health facility. To avoid disappointment on the day, proof of your booking must be brought along with you to the event.

The tours cover a large distance and are fast paced to ensure the community has an overview of the key areas they may visit once the facility is operational. Comfortable shoes and clothing are recommended for the tours.
To cater for the community on the day, a number of transport options will be provided. Free parking will be available in the main multi-deck carpark, P1, along with end-of-trip facilities for cyclists. Sunbus will be running additional services to the SCUH bus station. You can visit the Translink website (www.translink.com.au) to plan your journey or phone 13 12 30.

To book a tour, go to https://scuh.eventbrite.com.au and select ‘register’ to take a sneak peek inside the new Sunshine Coast University Hospital before services commence.

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How do I register to tour the hospital?
A 30 minute pre-registered guided tour will be provided on the day. With tours running at regular intervals between 10am and 3pm, the day will see the Sunshine Coast and Cooloola Community guided through the new hospital, covering areas such as Main Hospital Street, The Adem Crosby Centre, Women’s and Families Services, Emergency Department and Outpatients. Please note, the tours will follow set paths and are intended to be a ‘sneak peek’ of the building, not a fully comprehensive tour. To register, please click the registration button located below and follow the links. To avoid disappointment on the day, it is imperative that you bring proof of your booking with you as tour entry will be restricted to ticket holders only.

Pre-register your tour here >>

What other activities are available on the day?
The Hub auditorium and the Outdoor Room will be open with interactive displays, giveaways, food and refreshments available for purchase, plus key information relating to SCUH services

What are my travel options?

If travelling by car, parking on the day is FREE and will be available off Doherty Street in the multi-level P1 carpark, located adjacent to the Main Hospital Building.

Alternatively why not try one of the new bus services? The Sunshine Coast University Hospital Bus Station is located next to SCHI. Visit the Translink website to plan your journey or phone 13 12 30.