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WALGA Update

Great Eastern Country Zone
August 2025



Rural and Remote Healthcare

- Priority for Band 4 Local Governments and for a high proportion of Zones
- WALGA's Local Government Primary Healthcare Services Survey Report:
 - \$6.8m supporting primary healthcare services
 - Wheatbelt spending a combined \$3.6m on GP services
 - 92% of GP service expenditure committed by Local Governments with populations under 5,000
- Revised Advocacy Position in State Council September Agenda
- Local Government Rural Health Alliance
- Ongoing WALGA advocacy





Public Health

- Updated WALGA Advocacy Position
- Resources on the Department of Health website, including climate change and Aboriginal health and wellbeing
- WALGA public health webinar series
- WACHA support available to Local Governments

