

Vision

To return healthier patients to their communities

“Community” is used deliberately and in its broadest context. Patient perceptions of community varies; to some it may be their local correctional/juvenile justice centre or forensic mental health facility, to others it may be their local community or the cultural or Aboriginal community with which they identify, to name a few. No matter their length of contact, the Network is committed to improving the health of those in our care.

Values

Care Clear Communication Honesty Professionalism Respect

Strategic Directions

Strategic Direction 1

Provide a values-based, quality model of care

Strategic Direction 2

Engage with the community and key stakeholders through strong partnerships

Strategic Direction 3

Attract, grow and retain a talented workforce and foster a safe working environment

Strategic Direction 4

Position our organisation to effectively operate in a changing environment

Who we are

A Speciality Network Governed Statutory Health Corporation constituted under the *Health Services Act 1997*.

What we do

JH&FMHN delivers health care to adults and young people in contact with the forensic mental health and criminal justice systems, across community, inpatient and custodial settings.

JH&FMHN forms a vital component of the NSW public health system through its support of a highly vulnerable patient population whose health needs are often numerous and more complex than the wider community. We are part of the broader health system reporting to the Minister for Health through the Network Board and the Secretary, NSW Health.

We are positioned with a unique opportunity to respond to the health needs of these individuals who commonly have had minimal contact with mainstream health services in the community.

The Network cares for over 30,000 patients annually, a health community that is unique in NSW.

Where we are located

We provide services in many facilities across NSW:

Custody	42 Correctional Centres 7 Police and Court Cell Complexes 6 Juvenile Justice NSW Centres
Community	11 Juvenile Justice NSW Community Offices (Community Integration Team) 37 Local and Children's Courts Other community based services such as the Community Forensic Mental Health Service - A specialist consultation and liaison service working in locations across NSW to provide independent assessments of the safe care and release of forensic patients and support to local health district mental health clinicians via clinical supervision and training on Clinical Risk Assessment and Management
Inpatient	The Forensic Hospital The Long Bay Hospital

Support Services

Frontline clinical services are supported by: information and communications technology, executive support, planning, performance, communications, medical administration, finance, clinical and corporate governance, administration, research and evaluation, education and training, information management, corporate services, workforce and culture, practice development, redesign and innovation and patient services.

