Fact sheet -



New roof for Hutt Hospital's Clock Tower Block

What work is being carried out at Hutt Hospital? The Clock Tower Block building is getting a new roof.

Can I still park in Hutt Hospital?

Yes, only six car parks directly in front of the Clock Tower Block will be closed while the work is taking place. The large car park which is nearest to Gate 2 on High Street can still be used, as can all Hutt Hospital's other car parks including the parking building. **See the Hutt Hospital Campus Map** on the back of this sheet.

Can I still walk into the Clock Tower Block? Yes. Pedestrian access will still be available through the main Clock Tower Block entrance.

Will there be extra noise and disruption and when?

We expect no disruption to normal hospital business but noise levels may be increased during the work period between the hours of 7am to 5pm, Monday to Friday. There will also be more traffic with contractor vehicles and equipment in the hospital's car parking area during these hours so drivers and pedestrians need to take extra care.

How long will the work take? Work will take around five months.

Why will it take this long? The roof will be replaced in stages rather than all at once to minimise disruption.

What is wrong with the roof?

The roof has deteriorated from age and needs to be replaced.

Why is the roof being replaced with steel instead of tiles?

The tiles were made especially for the building several years ago and are unable to be replicated at an economical cost. Colorsteel roofing is more durable than the tiles and will ensure much greater longevity. Colorsteel roofing is also in keeping with the roofing that has been used for the newer buildings in the hospital.

Is the Clock Tower Block a building on the New Zealand Heritage List? No. While we treasure the history of our older buildings, none of Hutt Hospital's buildings are on the New Zealand Heritage List.

Who can I contact for further information about the work? You can contact Donna Creary, Hutt Valley DHB Building Services on DDI: (04) 570 9309

