



New Women and Babies Hospital Project

Osborne Park Hospital expansion construction update – August 2026

Osborne Park Hospital (OPH) is undergoing a major transformation as part of the landmark [New Women and Babies Hospital Project](#).

What's happening in August

Piling completed

Piling is now complete. This critical milestone, which involved driving deep foundation columns into the ground, was achieved earlier this month and creates solid foundations for the future six-storey main clinical block and four-storey support services block.

Preparations are underway to demobilise the piling rigs from site.

Tower crane installation commences

The first of three tower cranes is up and running after being delivered and installed in July, and a further two are scheduled for delivery in September and October. The tower cranes will enable significant structural works to be undertaken.

The cranes will be fully electric, producing lower emissions and contributing to a more sustainable construction process.

Preparing for the central building core

Over the coming weeks, 289 tonnes of steel reinforcement and formwork will be installed in preparation for a major concrete pour in September. The concrete foundations, known as the core rafts, will support the main six-storey building and house the lifts, stairwells and essential building services.





Continuing work

Sheet piling

Sheet piling will be ongoing throughout August to provide support for the deep excavation being undertaken to prepare for the construction of the main clinical block. Sheet piling is a construction technique used on site whereby interlocking vertical steel sheets are driven into the ground to retain soil, allowing excavation to be undertaken on the other side.

Northern car park

Stage 1 works for the new northern car park (adjacent to Osborne Place) are continuing. The works included asphaltting, kerbing, and line marking. Stage 2 works will commence immediately following the completion of Stage 1 and will include the installation of new soakwells, which are an underground water drainage system, and supporting services.

Construction of temporary road

Work to build a temporary road between Limosa Close and the construction site is in the final stages. The road will enable direct safe site access for construction vehicles during construction hours for the duration of the project. The road will not be accessible to the public.

What to expect from upcoming works

- General construction noise, dust and vibrations. Levels are continuously monitored to remain within safe, industry-approved limits.
- Increased traffic and heavy vehicle movements where site works are taking place.
- Traffic management measures, including signage and personnel to assist pedestrians, motorists and cyclists. This may include stop-slow traffic controls and temporary diversions.
- Construction vehicles and equipment, such as survey equipment, compactors and hand tools.
- Lighting and construction activity during scheduled out of hours work. Impacted stakeholders will be notified ahead of these works and lighting will be directed toward the intended target to prevent excessive light spill.
- All impacts will be closely monitored and action taken promptly as needed.

In addition to the Osborne Park Hospital expansion several unrelated residential construction projects are currently underway in the surrounding area.

Plan your visit

If you are visiting the hospital, please plan ahead and allow extra travel time. For more information on where to park, visit the hospital's website at [Osborne Park Hospital - visiting the hospital](#).

There is a hop-on / hop-off buggy service available to pick visitors up onsite at sign posted buggy stops from 8am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday. See [buggy stop map](#) for further details.

Contact

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