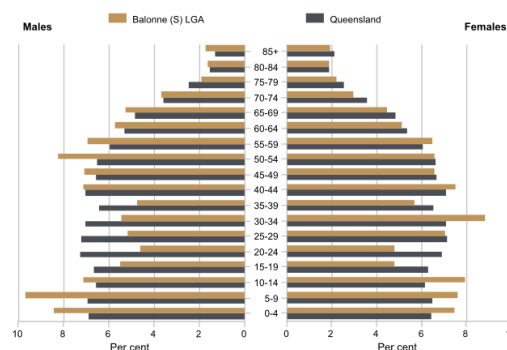


**Population Profile – BALONNE (SWHHS)**  
Western Queensland Primary Health Network



Figure 4 Estimated resident population by age and sex, Balonne (S) LGA and Queensland, 30 June 2015p



Source: ABS 3235.0, Population by Age and Sex, Regions of Australia, 2015

Demand - Demographics and Health Outcomes					
FOCUS AREA	KEY EVIDENCE	DESCRIPTION OF EVIDENCE	REFERENCE	UPDATED	
Health Inequalities and Demographic trends	Estimated resident population and projected growth	Total Population (ERP 2015)	4,826	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
		Average Annual Growth Rate over 5yrs	0%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
		Migration - % of persons with a different address 1 yr ago	15.5%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	Remoteness	Remoteness Category	4 (Remote Australia)	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	Maternal and Child Health	Low Birth Weight Babies (PHN & HHS 2015)	SWHHS 5.4% (non-Indigenous) ; 10.4% (Indigenous) WQPHN 6% (non-Indigenous) ; 12.8% (Indigenous)	Queensland Health Perinatal Data Collection, Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health	December 2016
		Smoking During Pregnancy (PHN & HHS 2015)	SWHHS 8.6% (non-Indigenous) ; 54.5% (Indigenous) WQPHN 8.3% (non-Indigenous) ; 46.6% (Indigenous)	Queensland Health Perinatal Data Collection, Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health	December 2016
		Maternal-Attended antenatal visit in 1st trimester (PHN 2013)	WQPHN 65.4%	<a href="http://www.aihw.gov.au/publication-detail/?id=60129553770">http://www.aihw.gov.au/publication-detail/?id=60129553770</a> Australia's mothers and babies 2013	October 2016
		Fully Immunised Children – Sept 2016 (SA3, PHN)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: 1yr olds 95.8%, 2yr olds 93.1%, 5yr olds 95.6% WQPHN: All: 1yr olds 98.3%, 2yr olds 92.9%, 5yr olds 91.4% Indig.:1yr olds 97.9%, 2yr olds 91.7%, 5yr olds 89.8%	<a href="http://www.immunise.health.gov.au/internet/immunise/publishing.nsf/Content/vaccination-data">http://www.immunise.health.gov.au/internet/immunise/publishing.nsf/Content/vaccination-data</a>	December 2016
	Income support	Child-AEDI (Aust Early Developmental Index)-Vulnerable in 2 or more domains (Regions 2015)	35.8%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
		Centrelink-Health Care Card Holders (Mar 2016 qtr)	393	<a href="http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au">http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au</a>	October 2016
		Centrelink-Pension Card Holders (Mar 2016 qtr)	753	<a href="http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au">http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au</a>	October 2016
	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate (June 2016 quarter)	3.9%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
		Families with no parent employed (2011)	15.5% Families	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	Families	Single parent families with children (Mar 2016 qtr Centrelink, Families 2011)	93 (single parenting payment) [416 FTB-A] – Centrelink data 166 (single parent families) or 14%	<a href="http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au">http://qrsis.qgso.qld.gov.au</a> <a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	Private health status	Private Health Insurance (Jun 16 QLD)	44.5% (hospital), 50.2% (general)	<a href="http://www.apra.gov.au/PHI/Publications/Pages/Industry-Statistics.aspx">http://www.apra.gov.au/PHI/Publications/Pages/Industry-Statistics.aspx</a>	October 2016
	Life expectancy	Life Expectancy at Birth (WQPHN 2011-13)	PHN: 78.1yrs (M 75.7, F 80.7)	<a href="http://www.myhealthycommunities.gov.au/primary-health-network/phn305">http://www.myhealthycommunities.gov.au/primary-health-network/phn305</a>	October 2016
		Median age of death (HHS 2008-10 CHO, LGA 2013 MORT)	SWHHS: 77yrs (Total Population) – CHO LGA: Males 71.5yrs & Females 87.5yrs, Persons 77yrs - MORT	<a href="https://www.health.qld.gov.au/publications/research-reports/reports/cho-report/cho-full-report.pdf">https://www.health.qld.gov.au/publications/research-reports/reports/cho-report/cho-full-report.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.aihw.gov.au/deaths/mort/">http://www.aihw.gov.au/deaths/mort/</a>	December 2016
	Special needs populations	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people	Indigenous Population (ERP 2015)	20.5%	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>
Indigenous median age at death (HHS 2008-10)			SWHHS: 60yrs (Indigenous)	<a href="https://www.health.qld.gov.au/publications/research-reports/reports/cho-report/cho-full-report.pdf">https://www.health.qld.gov.au/publications/research-reports/reports/cho-report/cho-full-report.pdf</a>	October 2016
% fully immunised Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander children (WQPHN yr to Sept 2016)			1yr olds 97.9%, 2yr olds 91.7%, 5yr olds 89.8%	<a href="http://www.immunise.health.gov.au/internet/immunise/publishing.nsf/Content/vaccination-data">http://www.immunise.health.gov.au/internet/immunise/publishing.nsf/Content/vaccination-data</a>	December 2016
Antenatal smoking rates - Indigenous Women (HHS 2015)			Indigenous – 54.5%	Queensland Health Perinatal Data Collection, Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health	December 2016
Rural and Remote		Population in Outer Regional Area	0.0%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
Population in Remote Area	77.9%				
	Population in Very Remote Area	21.1%			

Special needs populations (continued)	Refugees and new arrivals	Born in Non English Speaking Country <5years Aust. Resident (2011)	0.4%	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
		Born overseas who speak English 'not well' or 'not at all' (2011)	0.3%	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
	Mothers and young children	Female sole parent pensioners (June 2014)	8.1%	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
	Young people at risk	% NOT Learning or Earning (15-19yrs) (2011)	27.9%	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
	Older people	Population aged over 65 yrs (ERP 2015)	670 (13.9%)	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	People with significant disabilities	People with a profound or severe disability (2011)	3.4%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
		People receiving a Disability Support Pension (Mar 2016 quarter)	140 (3.9%)	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
	Disadvantaged Communities	Population in SEIFA Most Disadvantaged Quintile (2011)	38%	<a href="http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles">http://statistics.qgso.qld.gov.au/qld-regional-profiles</a>	October 2016
Health status and health outcomes	Avoidable admissions and deaths	Potentially Preventable-Episodes of Care (HHS 2015-16)	SWHHS 283 (Indigenous), 971 (Non-Indigenous)	Queensland Hospital Admitted Patient Data Collection (QHAPDC), Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health, Queensland	October 2016
		Potentially Avoidable Deaths (SA3 2011-13)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: 171 per 100,000 (M 238, F 97)	<a href="http://www.myhealthycommunities.gov.au/primary-health-network/phn305">http://www.myhealthycommunities.gov.au/primary-health-network/phn305</a>	October 2016
	Chronic conditions	Potentially Preventable Hospitalisations - Chronic (HHS 2015-16)	SWHHS 153 (Indigenous), 594 (Non-Indigenous)	Queensland Hospital Admitted Patient Data Collection (QHAPDC), Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health, Queensland	October 2016
		Hospitalisations – Episodes of Care – Mental (HHS 2015-16)	SWHHS 109 (Indigenous), 200 (Non-Indigenous)	Queensland Hospital Admitted Patient Data Collection (QHAPDC), Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health, Queensland	October 2016
		Prevalence of Diabetes (31 March 2016)	All 5.6%; Type II 5.1%	<a href="http://www.diabetesmap.com.au/#/">http://www.diabetesmap.com.au/#/</a>	October 2016
		Prevalence of high cholesterol (2011-13)	30.5 per 100	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
		Potentially Preventable Hospitalisations – COPD (HHS 2015-16)	SWHHS 33 (Indigenous), 135 (Non-Indigenous)	Queensland Hospital Admitted Patient Data Collection (QHAPDC), Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health, Queensland	October 2016
		Potentially Preventable Hospitalisations – CHD (HHS 2015-16)	SWHHS 31 (Indigenous), 150 (Non-Indigenous)	Queensland Hospital Admitted Patient Data Collection (QHAPDC), Statistical Services Branch, Department of Health, Queensland	October 2016
	Risk factors	Daily Smoking Rates (LGA 2015-16)	Balonne LGA -22.2%	<a href="https://www.health.qld.gov.au/research-reports/population-health/preventive/data/preventive-health-surveys/results/default.asp">https://www.health.qld.gov.au/research-reports/population-health/preventive/data/preventive-health-surveys/results/default.asp</a>	December 2016
		Obesity Rates (2015-16 some LGA & regions) & for Child (WQPHN)	Balonne LGA - 62.7% Child - WQPHN – 38.8%	<a href="https://www.health.qld.gov.au/research-reports/population-health/preventive/data/preventive-health-surveys/results/default.asp">https://www.health.qld.gov.au/research-reports/population-health/preventive/data/preventive-health-surveys/results/default.asp</a>	December 2016
	Self-assessed health status	Fair or Poor Self-Assessed Health (2013-14 WQPHN)	15%	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
	Premature mortality	Premature mortality (Av. Annual ASR per 100,000) 2009-13	Male 468.6 Female 203.9	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
	Causes of premature death	Premature mortality - by cause (ASR per 100,000) 2009-13	Cancer 117.6, Circulatory 70.7, Respiratory - No data, External 50.6	<a href="http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases">http://phidu.torrens.edu.au/social-health-atlases</a>	October 2016
	Suicide	Cause of Death – Suicide (LGA 2009-13)	Male 4, Female 1	<a href="http://www.aihw.gov.au/deaths/mort/">http://www.aihw.gov.au/deaths/mort/</a>	December 2016
<b>Supply (of Services)</b>					
Utilisation of health services	Access to health services	MBS Chronic condition item numbers (SA3 2014-15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: Item 721 (care plans) 3,547, Item 723 (team care arrangements) 3,027, Item 732 (reviews) 2,781	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/PHN-MBS_Data">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/PHN-MBS_Data</a>	October 2016
		GP-Average Attendances Per Person (SA3 2014-15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: 5.2	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
		GP-Percentage of bulk-billed attendances (SA3 2014-15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: 78.2%	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
		GP-Expenditure per person on GP Services (SA3 2014-15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: \$242.55	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
		Specialist-Expenditure per person on Specialist Services (SA3 2014-15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: \$43.13	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
		Cancer screening rates (SA3 & WQPHN Bowel, Cervical & Breast Jan 14-Dec 15)	Darling Downs (West)-Maranoa: Bowel 36.8%, Cervical 52.7% Breast 57.4% WQPHN - Bowel 30.1%, Cervical 51.3% Breast 57% Australia – Bowel 38.9%, Cervical 56.4% Breast 53.8%	<a href="http://analytics.aihw.gov.au">http://analytics.aihw.gov.au</a>	December 2016
		Specialist-% who saw a medical specialist last yr (WQPHN 2013-14)	23%	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
	% of adults who saw a GP last yr (WQPHN 2013-14)	69%	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016	
	Barriers to Access	People delayed medical consultation due to cost (WQPHN 2013-14)	No data	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
		Delayed purchasing prescribed medication due to cost ((WQPHN 2013-14)	No data	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016
	Primary health care capacity	Health Workforce data AHPRA - Medical Practitioners (2015)	35	<a href="http://data.hwa.gov.au/webapi/jsf/tableView/tableView.xhtml#">http://data.hwa.gov.au/webapi/jsf/tableView/tableView.xhtml#</a>	October 2016
	% of adults who felt they waited longer than acceptable to get an appointment with a GP (WQPHN 2013-14)	25%	<a href="http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports">http://www.nhpa.gov.au/internet/nhpa/publishing.nsf/Content/Our-reports</a>	October 2016	