

# Health Commission, State Government of South Australia

1978 – 2008

## Details

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The Health Commission was established in 1978, following a merger of the Hospitals Department and the Department of Public Health. It was responsible for the oversight and regulation of public hospitals, including mental health hospitals. In 2004 a new Department of Health was created, and in 2008 the Health Commission was replaced by the Health Performance Council, which was part of the Department of Health.

## More info

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### Chronology

- Colonial Surgeon's Office, State Government of South Australia (1836 - 1914)
  - Inspector General of Hospitals Office, State Government of South Australia (1914 - 1940)
    - Hospitals Department, State Government of South Australia (1940 - 1978)
- **Health Commission, State Government of South Australia (1978 – 2008)**
  - Department of Health, State Government of South Australia (2004 - 2012)

### Related Entries

#### Ran

- [Glenside Hospital \(1967 - 2007\)](#)  
Date: 1967 - 2004
  - [Royal Adelaide Hospital \(1939 - current\)](#)
  - [Hillcrest Hospital \(1964 - 1994\)](#)
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