

# Preventorium

## Details

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A preventorium was an institution to isolate people with tuberculosis from the rest of the population. In Australia, there was the [St Joseph's Preventorium](#) in Western Australia which was for 'sick and under-nourished children of families in poor circumstances, to permit them to recuperate under ideal conditions'.

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