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- [Friday Island Lazaret \(27 October 1892 - c. 1907\)](#)
- [Stradbroke Island Lazaret \(25 November 1892 - 1907\)](#)
- [Goodna Hospital for the Insane \(1898 - c. 1940\)](#)
- [Westbrook Reformatory for Boys \(5 May 1900 - 30 October 1919\)](#)
- [Cherbourg Aboriginal Settlement \(c. 1904 - 1986\)](#)
- [Peel Island Lazaret \(31 May 1907 - 5 August 1959\)](#)
- [Farm Home for Boys, Westbrook \(30 October 1919 - 26 May 1966\)](#)
- [Fantome Island Lazaret \(1939 - 1973\)](#)
- [Charters Towers Mental Hospital \(1 July 1954 - c. 2001\)](#)
- [Brisbane Special Hospital \(1963 - 1969\)](#)
- [Challinor Centre \(1968 - 1998\)](#)
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