

Metropolitan Infectious Diseases Hospital

1938 – 1956

Details

The Metropolitan Infectious Diseases began 1938 in Subiaco (later known as Shenton Park). It was previously the Victoria Hospital for Infectious Diseases. The Hospital offered rehabilitation for patients with polio and paraplegia. From 1956 it was known as the Shenton Park Annexe.

After 1938 the focus of the Metropolitan Infectious Diseases Hospital encompassed the rehabilitation of patients with polio and paraplegia. From 1956 it was known as the 'Shenton Park Annexe' and then the Royal Perth Rehabilitation Hospital in 1966.

Gallery



Infectious Diseases Hospital, Subiaco, February 1938

Description: This is a digitised copy of a negative and is part of the pair of images titled 'Infectious Diseases Hospital under construction, Subiaco, February 1938 [picture]' held at the State Library of Western Australia. The image shows the outside of the Metropolitan Infectious Diseases Hospital while it was under construction.

More info

Chronology

- Victoria Hospital for Infectious Diseases (1893 - 1938)
 - **Metropolitan Infectious Diseases Hospital (1938 – 1956)**

Related Entries

Run by

- [Public Health Department, State Government of Western Australia \(1911 - 1984\)](#)

Records

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- [Correspondence files, class 1 \(general, passports\) \(1892 - 1970\)](#)

Correspondence files, class 1 (general, passports) contains a file titled Overseas Children Scheme - Records of children and custodians (Western Australia) which contains information about two children who spent time at the Metropolitan Infectious Diseases Hospital

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