

LEGISLATIVE RETURN



SUBMITTED BY: Hon. Pauline Frost

1. On October 23, 2017, Geraldine Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

asked the following question during the Oral Question Period  
at page(s) 1250 of *Hansard*

submitted the following written question – WQ No. \_\_\_\_\_

gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. \_\_\_\_\_

RE: Wait times for Alcohol and Drug Services

OR

2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion related to:


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on \_\_\_\_\_ at page(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

Sec attached

Oct. 25, 2017  
Date

  
Signature

**Question re: Wait times for Alcohol and Drug Services**

**Question Period Follow From: Monday, Oct 23, 2017**

**Geraldine Van Bibber**

**Can the minister confirm the current wait-times for alcohol and drug services? If she doesn't have that information handy, I would accept a legislative return later.**

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I am pleased to be able to provide a response to her question.

In the communities of Dawson, Watson Lake and Haines Junction there are no wait times.

**Whitehorse**

- The counselling program has 89 people waiting for services; however, they can and do participate in the "drop-in" counselling service and the Recovery group while waiting for counselling;
- There is no wait time for Withdrawal Service but service is dependent on bed occupancy – this is the case for Adult and for Youth;
- Youth Treatment and counselling – no wait time, this population is a priority service;
- Intensive Treatment Program (live-in)
  - Men – 1 – 2 month depending on occupancy;
  - Women – 2 – 3 weeks depending on occupancy.
  - While waiting we provide pre-treatment support to ready folks for the program.