



Community still awaiting dialysis demountable

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The Northern Territory Health Department says it is yet to determine whether the Hermannsburg community will get a demountable for dialysis self-care.

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The Western Desert Dialysis service says Hermannsburg has been pushing for a long time to have a self-care dialysis facility placed there.

The Federal Government is funding six demountable units, three of which have been established at Ti Tree, Ali Curung and Milingimbi.

Another two have been earmarked for Amoonguna and Ngukurr.

The federal Indigenous Health Minister, Warren Snowdon, announced that the sixth would be used temporarily in Alice Springs from next month.

It will become a drop-in centre for dialysis next year.

His spokeswoman says another self-care dialysis demountable is under construction and will be ready for deployment by April.

She says the NT Health Department is in talks with Hermannsburg but has not decided where that demountable will be placed.

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