



Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA

Member for Kurrajong
Minister for Health
Minister for Mental Health
Minister for Finance
Minister for the Public Service

Ministerial Diary: 01 January – 31 March 2026*

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Date	Meeting
<i>Minister Stephen-Smith was on leave from the 12 January to 26 January inclusive. During this time, Deputy Chief Minister Berry was responsible for the Public Service portfolio from 12 January to 18 January inclusive; Minister Cheyne was responsible for the Health, and Mental Health portfolios from 12 January to 17 January inclusive; Minister Steel was responsible for the Finance portfolio from 12 January to 26 January inclusive, and; Chief Minister Barr was responsible for the Health, Mental Health, and Public Service portfolios from 19 January to 26 January inclusive.</i>	
06/01/2026	MEETING: Save Burrangiri Action Group
07/01/2026	BRIEFING: Canberra Health Services
07/01/2026	MEETING: Chair of the Inquiry into the ACT's Health System Data, Demand and Processes
07/01/2026	MEETING: Property Council ACT Capital Region
07/01/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
08/01/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
08/01/2026	BRIEFING: Infrastructure Canberra
08/01/2026	MEETING: Minister Orr
09/01/2026	MEETING: Constituent (Health)
16/01/2026	MEETING: ACT Integrity Commissioner
27/01/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
27/01/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
27/01/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate and Canberra Health Services

28/01/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
28/01/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
28/01/2026	MEETING: United Workers Union, Community and Public Sector Union, Construction, Forestry, Maritime Employees Union with Minister Pettersson
28/01/2026	MEETING: Australia and New Zealand Society for Paediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes and the Royal Australasian College of Physicians
28/01/2026	MEETING: Executive Director, Health Care Consumers' Association
29/01/2026	EVENT: Ronald McDonald House Site Visit
29/01/2026	BRIEFING: Infrastructure Canberra
29/01/2026	MEETING: Independent Chair, ACT Health System Council
29/01/2026	MEETING: Transport Workers' Union with Minister Steel and Minister Paterson
30/01/2026	MEETING: ACT Health System Council
30/01/2026	MEETING: New Street Services
30/01/2026	MEETING: Evoenergy Chief Executive Officer with Minister Orr
02/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
02/02/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
02/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
04/02/2026	BRIEFING: Digital Canberra
04/02/2026	EVENT: Canberra Mothercraft Society Mary Kirk Fellowship Lecture
06/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
06/02/2026	BRIEFING: Canberra Health Services
06/02/2026	MEETING: Australian College of Midwives
09/02/2026	EVENT: Inaugurating Spence Day Respite Centre
09/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate and Canberra Health Services
09/02/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
09/02/2026	MEETING: Canberra Health Services Cardiologists
09/02/2026	MEETING: OzHarvest
10/02/2026	MEETING: ACT Disability, Aged and Carer Advocacy Service
10/02/2026	MEETING: ACT Board of the Medical Board of Australia
10/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
11/02/2026	MEETING: ACT Greens Member for Ginninderra

11/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
11/02/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
11/02/2026	MEETING: State and Territory Health Ministers' Meeting
11/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
12/02/2026	EVENT: ACT State Emergency Service Leadership Day
12/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
12/02/2026	BRIEFING: Infrastructure Canberra
12/02/2026	MEETING: Pharmacy Guild ACT
13/02/2026	MEETING: Food Ministers' Meeting
13/02/2026	MEETING: Joint Mental Health and Health Ministers' Meeting
13/02/2026	EVENT: Mullungarrie Unit Site Visit
16/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
16/02/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
16/02/2026	MEETING: Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation
16/02/2026	BRIEFING: Canberra Health Services
17/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
17/02/2026	MEETING: Oaks Estate Residents' Association
17/02/2026	MEETING: Winnunga Nimmityjah Aboriginal Health and Community Services
18/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
19/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
19/02/2026	MEETING: ACT Council of Social Service Inc.
19/02/2026	BRIEFING: Digital Canberra
19/02/2026	MEETING: ACT Health System Council and Chair of the Inquiry into the ACT's Health System Data, Demand and Processes
19/02/2026	MEETING: Constituent (Health)
20/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
21/02/2026	EVENT: DonatLife ACT Service of Remembrance
22/02/2026	EVENT: Dementia Australia Canberra Memory Walk and Jog
23/02/2026	BRIEFING: Canberra Health Services
23/02/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate and Canberra Health Services

23/02/2026	MEETING: Commonwealth Assistant Minister for Citizenship, Customs and Multicultural Affairs and the Illicit Tobacco and E-cigarette Commissioner with Minister Cheyne
23/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
23/02/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
25/02/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
26/02/2026	BRIEFING: Infrastructure Canberra
27/02/2026	MEETING: Data and Digital Ministers' Meeting
27/02/2026	MEETING: Hands Across Canberra
27/02/2026	MEETING: Cancer Council ACT
02/03/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
02/03/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
02/03/2026	MEETING: Aspen Medical Foundation
02/03/2026	MEETING: Stroke Foundation
02/03/2026	MEETING: Yerrabi Yurwang Child & Family Aboriginal Corporation
03/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
03/03/2026	MEETING: WaterWombats
03/03/2026	EVENT: Youth Trauma Service Site Visit
03/03/2026	EVENT: Enhanced Child Health Services at Molonglo Site Visit
03/03/2026	EVENT: Suicide Prevention Australia ACT LIFE Awards Presentation
04/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
04/03/2026	BRIEFING: Digital Canberra
04/03/2026	EVENT: ACT Public Service State Emergency Service Forum
04/03/2026	EVENT: Pharmacy Guild ACT Branch International Women's Day Dinner
05/03/2026	PUBLIC HEARING: Standing Committee on Environment and Planning
05/03/2026	MEETING: Prevention United
05/03/2026	MEETING: Calvary Health Care
05/03/2026	PUBLIC HEARING: Select Committee on the Fiscal Sustainability of the ACT
05/03/2026	MEETING: Mental Health Advisory Council
06/03/2026	EVENT: Directions Health T25 Clinic Launch
09/03/2026	EVENT: Hands Across Canberra Canberra Day Fun Run

10/03/2026	MEETING: ACT Health System Council
10/03/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
10/03/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
10/03/2026	MEETING: Icon Water Shareholders Meeting with Minister Orr
10/03/2026	BRIEFING: Canberra Health Services
10/03/2026	MEETING: Community and Public Sector Union
11/03/2026	EVENT: Australian College of Nursing Policy Summit
11/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
11/03/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
11/03/2026	MEETING: Fiona Carrick Independent Member for Murrumbidgee
12/03/2026	MEETING: Capital Health Network
12/03/2026	MEETING: Minister Steel
12/03/2026	BRIEFING: Infrastructure Canberra
12/03/2026	EVENT: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Association ACT Report Launch
13/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
13/03/2026	EVENT: Impact of the Government Commitment: Towards a Safer Culture 'The Next Steps' Strategy
16/03/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
16/03/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
16/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet
18/03/2026	BRIEFING: Digital Canberra
18/03/2026	BRIEFING: Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
19/03/2026	MEETING: Official Visitors, Mental Health
20/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
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26/03/2026	EVENT: Australian Medical Association ACT Conversations in Women's Health Panel
27/03/2026	MEETING: Cabinet Subcommittee
27/03/2026	MEETING: Canberra Health Services
27/03/2026	MEETING: Labor Commonwealth Senator for the ACT
27/03/2026	EVENT: Belconnen Arts Centre Mental Health and Nature Exhibition
28/03/2026	EVENT: Cancer Council ACT Relay for Life
29/03/2026	EVENT: Rainbow Families ACT Family Pride Event
30/03/2026	BRIEFING: Health and Community Services Directorate
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30/03/2026	MEETING: ACT Health System Council Chair
30/03/2026	MEETING: United Workers' Union
31/03/2026	MEETING: Pharmaceutical Society of Australia
31/03/2026	MEETING: Go Gentle Australia
31/03/2026	MEETING: Minister Cheyne