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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **INTERRUPTION TO PHONES**

Wimmera Health Care Group has warned that there may be a brief interruption to the hospital's telephone system in Horsham this Sunday morning.

Chief executive, Chris Scott said that it was necessary for the Health Care Group to test their electricity back up systems on Sunday 31 May 2009.

Mr Scott said that there may be a brief interruption to the telephone system during the morning.

"If people are unable to contact the hospital on ph. 5381 9111 and require emergency treatment or assistance, they should ring the ambulance on 000 immediately."

"Otherwise, we ask people to try again a few minutes later."

"We have a back up plan in place and do not expect any major issues, however, we do ask people to be patient if they cannot contact the hospital on the telephone straight away" he said.

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