1. Established under section 637 of the *Mental Health Act 2016*, the Mental Health Court:

* determines the mental condition of persons charged with indictable offences;
* decides on appeals against decisions made by the Mental Health Review Tribunal; and
* considers other matters relating to the detention of patients and applications for changing forensic orders.

1. The Mental Health Court also has special powers of inquiry into the lawfulness of the detention of persons in authorised mental health services.
2. The Mental Health Court is constituted by a Supreme Court Judge, assisted by one or two assisting clinicians.
3. Cabinet endorsed the following persons be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as assisting clinicians to the Mental Health Court for terms commencing on the date published in the Queensland Government Gazette up to and including 29 February 2020:

* Dr Michele Andrews
* Dr Jonathan Mason
* Dr Gaven Palk
* Dr Graeme Senior

1. *Attachments*:

* Nil.