City of Greater Geraldton
Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places
Place Record

Area:	Mullewa	**Place Number:**	27	**Category:**	4
Assessment Date:	10/02/1995	**Last Revision Date:**	29/02/2012		
HCWA Number:	6110	**Asset ID:**	MCH126560		

PLACE DETAILS

Name:	Infant Health Centre
Other Names:	20 Jose Street, cnr Molster Street
Type of Place:	Health Centre
Address:	20 Jose Street, cnr Molster Street
Suburb:	Mullewa

LOCATION

Map Reference:	Mullewa Townsite	**GPS Northing:**	6842273.61 0000	**GPS Easting:**	354452.880 000

Photo Description:
5/10/2011
T. Henkel
The building has undergone numerous changes over time.

SITE DETAILS

Lot No.:	Lot 202		
Reserv No.:		**Assess No.:**	478
Dia/Plan:	173946	**Vol/Fol:**	LR3028/954

USE OF PLACE

Original Use:	Health Centre		
Current Use:	Unknown		
Ownership:	City of Greater Geraldton		
Public Access:	No	**Occupied:**	Unknown Occupancy

DESCRIPTION

Walls:	Brick (Rendered)	**Roof:**	Colorbond
Condition:	Not applicable	**Integrity:**	
Original fabric:	Largely intact		
Modifications:	Tiled roof replaced		

This small rectangular building has undergone numerous alterations since its construction in 1955. The place has a gable colorbond roof which extends to cover an enclosed verandah to the Jose Street frontage. The original concrete tiled roof has been replaced with colorbond roof sheeting. There is a lean to roof to the rear.

HISTORY

Construction Date:	1955	**Source:**	Heritage Trail
Architect:	Unknown		
Builder:	Unknown		

In the early 1950s the local community decided that an Infant Health Centre was needed in the town. An energetic committee was formed and numerous fundraising activities were held. Meanwhile busy-bees produced the many thousands of bricks needed to construct the building. The Mullewa Infant Health Centre was opened on 28 June 1955, by the Hon Emil Nulsen, Minister for Health.

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA:	404 Community services and utilities
AHC:	3.26 Providing health services

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Mullewa Infant Health Centre has undergone numerous modifications over the years however still has some historic and social value to the local community for its important role in the delivery of health services.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category:	4
Level of Significance:	SOME SIGNIFICANCE: Contributes to the heritage and/or historical development of the locality.
Management Recommendation:	Conservation of the place is desirable. Any proposed change to the place should be in sympathy with the heritage values of the place.

OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Mullewa Townsite Heritage Trail; Barden, W.D., "Mullewa Through the Years 1861-1961", Mullewa Road Board, 1961.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos