

Message from the **Executive Director** **Redcliffe Hospital**

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Summary:

- Sally Taranec has announced her retirement.
- We thank Sally for 10+ years of nursing and midwifery leadership at Redcliffe.
- Acting arrangements for the role are in place, with full recruitment to follow soon.

Message feedback



Audience: All staff



Read time: 1 min



For: Information

Dear colleagues

After more than ten years as Redcliffe Hospital's Director of Nursing and Midwifery Services (DN&MS), Sally Taranec has announced that she will be retiring.

Sally's career in nursing spans close to four decades - beginning as a Registered Nurse in NSW in 1986.

In 1989, Sally came to Queensland with nursing roles at the Royal Brisbane Hospital (now RBWH), Princess Alexandra Hospital, The Prince Charles Hospital, and Eventide (now Community and Oral Health).

In 2016, Sally was appointed Redcliffe Hospital's DN&MS where she introduced the Nursing and Midwifery Governance structure, developed the Strengthening Clinical Leadership Program, and established the Nursing and Midwifery Professional Practice Model. Sally also played a pivotal role in launching the Nursing Midwifery Research Program at Redcliffe.



Please join me in thanking Sally for a career dedicated to patient care and nursing and midwifery professionalism. We wish Sally every happiness for a well-earned retirement.

Ben Hackwood will continue to act in the DN&MS role until Keith Von Dohren returns from leave in late August. Keith will then be acting DN&MS, until a full recruitment process can be undertaken for the role.

Kind Regards

Cang Dang
Executive Director,
Redcliffe Hospital

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