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- 2025 CKW Staff Excellence Awards save the date and finalists

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Kia Ora CKW team,

I am very pleased to announce the finalists for the 2025 CKW Staff Excellence Awards. This year we had more than 258 nominations which was wonderful to see.

All finalists are invited to attend the awards ceremony on Thursday 28 August, 10:30am-11:30am in the Caboolture Hospital Auditorium. The awards are proudly sponsored by QSuper, part of Australian Retirement Trust.

Please congratulate your colleagues for their nominations.

2025 CKW Staff Excellence Awards Finalists:

Excellence in Compassionate Patient Centred Care

- Bethany Goodrich, Clinical Nurse, Paediatrics
- Dr Erin Fergus, Palliative Care Senior Medical Officer
- Hannah Knowlman, Social Work
- Heather Bunney, Enrolled Nurse, Theatres

Care4You Wellbeing Champion

- Rosalee Trent, NUM 3C
- Jackie Goldberg, CN Operating Theatres

Health Equity

CKW Anti-Racism Ambassadors:

- Tim Dunn, Director of Pharmacy
- Kirby Harwood, Engagement Officer
- Stella Bamaga, IHLO
- Thomas Casey, Community Engagement Officer Men's Business, Caboolture Satellite Health Centre
- Ni Koegelenberg, Social Work
- Hugh Walker, Nurse, Day Medical, Bribie Island Satellite Health Centre
- Leisa Jackson, NUM 4D
- Clinical Governance Team
- Kieren Bailey, NUM Bribie Island Satellite Health Centre Minor Injury and Illness Clinic
- Belinda Gritsch, Social Work

Excellence in Research

- Ben Shrestha, CN, Vascular Access Specialist
- Dr Mahesh Ramanan, ICU
- Georgia Lester, Audiologist

Excellence in Innovation

- Kylie Page, CNC - Dual Diagnosis - Hep C Point of Care project
- Dietetics & Food Services Team
- Stacey Rand, Speech Pathology - Clinical Lead

Excellence in Integrated Care

- Stephen Brand, Safety and Quality Officer
- Judith Nugent, Rapid responder CNC
- Eat Walk & Engage Team

Excellence in Leadership

- Kelly Nicholls, Advanced Audiologist
- Kieren Bailey, NUM, Bribie Island Satellite Health Centre
- Alana Hogan, CN, 2A
- Selina Hall, Associate CNC, Emergency

Excellence in Training and Education

- Bernadette Campbell, Food Service Officer
- Dr Dominic Chan, General Physician and Deputy Director of Physician Training
- Crystle Bell, CN, Clinical Informatics

Values in Action: Compassion

- Andrea Beauchamp, Administration, SOPD
- Cheryl Fourie, CNC Morbidity and Mortality
- Jayne Nearhos, RN, Red-Cab Child and Youth Mental Health
- Rhonda Arthur, EN, Kilcoy Hospital

Values in Action: High Performance

- Leisa Jackson, NUM 4D
- Kimberley Sugg, Clinical Assistant, Pharmacy, Woodford Corrections

- Tahnee Shaxson, Admin Supervisor
- Kyarni Hewett, Executive Support Officer, Clinical Governance Unit

Values in Action: Integrity

- Dr Maria Saito, Intern, Medicine
- Brooke Packham, Senior Social Worker, Transitional Care - Caboolture Hospital RedCab
- Julia Affleck, Research Officer, Research Development Unit
- Sam Ohaka, Forensic Liaison Officer, Mental Health

Values in Action: Respect

- Jaimee Paniora, CNC Diabetes Educator, Maternity
- Alice Plath, EMM Lead, Pharmacy
- Clinical Assistants in Physiotherapy
- Zoe Houghton, Acting Senior Executive Support Officer, Executive Director

Values in Action: Teamwork

- Hayley Renouf, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Worker
- CKW Clinical Informatics Team
- Jeaninne Josey, Cook, Kilcoy Hospital
- Trisha Wolfenden, Patient Support Officer

It's so exciting to have such an amazing group of finalists. Thank you to all of you who put in nominations, as this was a very hard decision for the panel.

We look forward to you joining us at the event.

Kind Regards

Karlene Willcocks

Executive Director,
Caboolture, Kilcoy and Woodford

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Respect | Integrity | Compassion | High Performance | Teamwork



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Creating healthier futures together—where innovation and research meets compassionate care and community voices shape our services.



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