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## Summary:

- Hamilton Road intersection update
- Administration Professionals Day winners
- Memory Clinic in the Newsroom
- CVIS now live at TPCH
- A heart-felt message

Message feedback



Audience: All staff



Read Time: 5 Minutes



For: Information

Dear Team,

Brisbane City Council is moving ahead with plans to install traffic signals at the intersection of Hamilton Road and Staib Road, at the northern end of the TPCH campus.

The project will include realigning part of Staib Road for a new intersection opposite Western Avenue (near Breastscreen Queensland).

Metro North and TPCH have been in discussion with Brisbane City Council for some time now about upgrading safety and installing traffic signals at this intersection. We remain very supportive of this upgrade.

You can learn more [here](#) on the Brisbane City Council website.

## Pop-up stall next week starts Safety and Quality Roadshow

Join the TPCH Safety and Quality pop-up stall, on Monday 11 May and Tuesday 12 May in The Common Good Café, to mark the start of their Safety and Quality Roadshow.

This will be a great opportunity for the team to better understand the needs and priorities of our clinicians and how Safety and Quality can best support you in your day-to-day work.

Please come down, say hello, and have a chat with the team—whether you have ideas, concerns, feedback, or simply want to learn more about what the Safety and Quality team do.

Your insights are essential in shaping meaningful, practical improvements, so come along and talk to the Safety and Quality team.



More than 2000 staff - which is about 42 percent of the TPCH workforce - have now rolled up their sleeve to have a free flu vaccination.

There will be more vaccination clinics next week.

The TPCH Staff Vaccination Clinic will be open 7am to 4pm weekdays on Level 3 of the Clinical Sciences Building. Simply drop-in - no appointment required.

The dedicated flu vaccination trolley will also continue next week. It will visit:

- Monday 11 May: ICU Tut Room - 1pm - 3pm
- Tuesday 12 May: Mental Health - 10am - 12pm
- Tuesday 12 May: 1G/1F Tut Room - 12.30pm - 2.30pm
- Wednesday 13 May: Medical Imaging - 10am - 12pm
- Wednesday 13 May: RAS Green Room - 1pm - 3pm
- Thursday 14 May: Pharmacy - 10am - 12pm
- Thursday 14 May: Building 50 - 1pm - 3pm
- Friday 15 May: PACU - 10am - 12pm
- Friday 15 May: LG Kitchen Meeting Room - 1pm - 3pm

The trolley will also visit Kallangur Satellite Health Service (Kalangoor) on Tuesday 19 May from 12.30pm to 3.30pm.

I know many of you have had a flu vaccination from your GP or community pharmacy. If this is you, please [let us know](#).

For more details, visit the Metro North [Staff Extranet](#).



# TPCH Nursing Awards 2026

INTERNATIONAL NURSES DAY

Tuesday 12 May 2pm – 4pm | Dr Mark O'Brien Auditorium

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## Celebrating our administration superstars

TPCH celebrated our administration professionals at a great event last Friday, including announcing winners of awards based on the Metro North values.

We received 126 nominations, which demonstrates the administration team's strong commitment to their profession and our values. Congratulations to:

**Respect award:** Peta Kroll

**Integrity award :** Cindy Hill

**Compassion award:** Brittany Turner

**High Performance:** Rickey Teys, William Harwood, Lindsey Curnow, Loni Hilton

**Teamwork:** Carmen Doyle, Quality and Data Team

**Excellence In Leadership:** Kerrie Wilson.



## Early assessment of memory issues is critical

Preserving a good memory is a common health concern for people as they grow older.

When a person's memory starts to falter, it can be a worrying time for the person experiencing the change, and also for loved ones witnessing it.

TPCH Memory Clinic co-lead Geriatrician Dr Benignus Logan (pictured here with fellow lead Geriatrician Dr Sarah Fox) said changes in memory could be subtle at first, then progress to being more serious where it affects important day-to-day activities.

Read more [here](#) in the Metro North Newsroom.



## CVIS now live at TPCH

Congratulations to everyone involved in the successful go live of the Cardiovascular Information System (CVIS) this week.

The system improves access to cardiology images and reports across the state by integrating with the Metro North Clinical Imaging Viewer and The Viewer. Please note, coronary angiograms will no longer be sent to the Radiology PACS.

Clinical Imaging Viewer (aka NilRead) is Metro North's web-based diagnostic viewer that enables clinicians to access and interact with clinical images and associated reports acquired across various clinical specialties at Metro North sites.

All studies from CVIS sites, including historic, are now also accessible using Clinical Imaging Viewer. To find out more about CVIS, visit the [project SharePoint site](#).

### Finally,

A heart-felt finish to the message today.

The importance of good heart health is particularly important to me, given my personal journey with a heart condition.

[Heart Week](#) is a great opportunity to start a conversation about heart health with loved ones and take positive steps to reduce heart disease risk.

Charlies is known around the world for our range of specialty cardiac services that support the treatment of patients with complex heart conditions.

Our Cardiac Rehab Team and Heart Failure Support Service have a booth in the main cafe this week for Heart Week. I'm visiting today to say hello and have a photo with the teams.

On other matters of the heart, best wishes to all the mums and mother figures for a wonderful Mother's Day on Sunday!

Kind regards,

**Tami Photinos**  
Executive Director  
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Respect | Integrity | Compassion | High Performance | Teamwork



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