

Demystifying Research Workshop 2025

Flyer

Overview	This full-day workshop offers an interactive, practice-based learning experience designed for novice researchers or those interested in developing their research skills. Participants will be guided through the key stages of the research journey, with opportunities to engage in hands-on activities and collaborative discussions.		
Target participants	(1) Staff: All Metro North Health staff - including allied health, nursing, medical, clinical assistant, and administrative staff - who are new to research or interested in beginning their research journey. (2) Consumers: All Metro North Health Consumer Representatives who have experience in consumer advocacy and are currently involved, or wish to become involved, in Metro North Health research initiatives.		
Course fee	Nil – this course is provided free of charge.		
Workshop details	Date	Time	Venue
	Friday 21 st November 2025	8:00am – 4:00pm	Redcliffe Hospital Education Centre, Lecture Room 4 <i>(Online attendance via Microsoft Teams can be supported for a limited number of participants, however, please note that virtual attendance may limit participation in some workshop activities)</i>
	Primary facilitators:		
	Dr Joel Dulhunty – Director of Research, Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital and Redcliffe Hospital Dr Louise Purtell – Research Coordinator, Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital; Senior Research Fellow, Caboolture & Kilcoy Directorate Jane Geltch – Consumer Researcher and Co-Design Lead, Redcliffe Hospital		
	Topics covered:		
	• Framing research questions • Literature searching • Study design and protocol development • Quantitative and qualitative methods		

	• Ethics, governance, and funding • Data collection • Staff and consumer perspectives on the research journey • Statistical analysis • Publication and project completion
Catering	Morning tea will be provided, along with complimentary water, tea, and coffee. Please bring your own lunch. A café is located on the hospital campus, and additional food outlets are located nearby.
Pre-reading	Any pre-reading materials will be emailed to participants prior to the course.
Registration	Please use the following link to register your interest in attending the workshop: Demystifying Research Workshop 2025 - Registration Form <i>Please note: Places are strictly limited and registrations will close by Friday 14th November 2025 or once participant capacity is reached, whichever comes first.</i>
Queries/additional information	Contact the CAHRLI Workforce Development Officer at: CAHRLI@health.qld.gov.au