

## **Nurses and Midwives Agreement**

## EA Update 14

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) today attended public sector nurses and midwives' negotiations with the Government. Despite expecting a formal offer to be tabled for members consideration, no formal offer was put to the ANMF.

The Chair of negotiations indicated that they were seeking final clarification on three ANMF log of claim items, including ANUM's, Workload Modelling and Clinical Facilitators. The ANMF were informed a formal offer will be conveyed early next week.

The ANMF are disappointed that no formal offer was tabled and understand that members are frustrated by this protracted negotiation process. ANMF members have shown enormous goodwill with suspending the industrial actions in some areas pending a positive offer and have again today been let down.

The ANMF encourage all members to attend the scheduled mass member meetings where ANMF Branch Secretary, Emily Shepherd, will take direction from members as to how they wish to proceed. This includes a consideration of escalating industrial action.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Member Support Team on (03) 6223 6777 or 1800 001 241 (if outside Hobart). Alternatively, email membersupport@anmftas.org.au.

Authorised by Emily Shepherd, Branch Secretary 17 January 2019

