

ANMF NEWSFLASH

Launceston General Hospital Acute Medical Unit Benchmarking

On Tuesday 4 April 2023 the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) met with Launceston General Hospital (LGH) Acute Medical Unit (AMU) members to discuss the proposed AMU Nursing Hours per Patient Day (NHpPD) benchmark for 2023.

AMU will see a benchmarking increase of 2.75 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) for 2023. As discussed at the member meeting this will allow for an increase of 9 nurses plus 1 on the AM, 8 nurses on the PM and 6 nurse on the ND. Members have endorsed the increase in FTE.

The ANMF has followed up with the Tasmanian Health Service (THS) on Friday 26 May 2023, in regards to members endorsement of this FTE increase and progress on the business case in order for this FTE to be permanently recruited to.

The ANMF will update members once a response has been received from the THS.

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If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Member Support Team via email on membersupport@anmftas.org.au. Email is the preferred and fastest way of contacting the team. Alternatively, you can phone 1800 001 241.

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