

ANMF NEWSFLASH

Calvary Health Care North

ANMF Writes to National CEO

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) wrote to Calvary Health Care National CEO Mr Martin Bowles today (Tuesday 13 February 2024) , following recent news Calvary has pulled out of proceeding with a new co located private hospital in Launceston.

The ANMF expressed members apprehension regarding this decision and the now circulated correspondence from Calvary showing services, including CSSD and surgical services are now under review, and members concern that this may lead to consolidation of services to one campus.

The ANMF has sought clarity from Calvary asking, if one campus is to close, that Calvary share the proposed timeframe of the decision, give an indication of, if necessary, when formal consultation with staff would commence and what options in regard to ongoing employment for current staff would be considered.

The ANMF looks forward to receiving a prompt reply from Calvary. Once we have formal correspondence the ANMF will communicate this with members. If you have any concerns you wish to discuss, please contact Northern Organiser Nicki Hood at Nicki.Hood@anmftas.org.au.

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